

COURSE DETAIL

JOURNEYS

Country

United Kingdom - Scotland

Host Institution

University of St Andrews

Program(s)

University of St Andrews

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Comparative Literature

UCEAP Course Number

104

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

JOURNEYS

UCEAP Transcript Title

JOURNEYS

UCEAP Quarter Units

8.00

UCEAP Semester Units

5.30

Course Description

This course introduces students to set texts, both canonical and non-canonical, offering variants on the theme of "Journeys," a topos that embraces both literal and imaginary displacements to "real" and symbolic places and spaces alike. Read in English translation, the texts are originally written in a range of languages (Arabic, French, German, Italian, Persian, Russian, Spanish, and English), represent a number of different genres (e.g. novels, letters, film), and span a broad historical range (typically from the 13th to the 21st century). Students analyze the many ways in which "Journeys" have been conceived and represented in different literary traditions, genres, and times. Further work on comparative theories and methodologies as well as issues raised by translation underpin the course, and provide students with the opportunity to reflect and build on skills acquired at earlier stages of the comparative literature program.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

CO2002

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Host Institution Campus

St Andrews

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Modern Language

Course Last Reviewed

2018-2019

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