COURSE DETAIL

PHILOSOPHY OF ART AND LITERATURE
Country South Africa
Host Institution University of Cape Town
Program(s) University of Cape Town
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Philosophy
UCEAP Course Number 110
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title PHILOSOPHY OF ART AND LITERATURE
UCEAP Transcript Title PHIL ART & LIT
UCEAP Quarter Units 8.00
UCEAP Semester Units 5.30

Course Description

This course considers a variety of issues in contemporary philosophy of art and literature. Topics include the ontology of art, interpreting literary and other artworks, the nature of metaphor, the relationship between art and morality, truth and sincerity as criteria of literary and artistic value, and the definition of art and literature. DP requirements: Regular attendance at lectures and tutorials; completion of all tests, submission of all essays and assignments by due dates, and an average mark of at least 35% for the coursework. Assessment: Coursework counts 40%; one 3-hour examination in October/November counts 60%. Course entry requirements: At least second-year status.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

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Host Institution Campus
University of Cape Town

Host Institution Faculty
Humanities

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department
Philosophy

Course Last Reviewed

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