

# COURSE DETAIL

## INTRODUCTION TO TRADITIONAL AFRICAN DANCE II

**Country**

Ghana

**Host Institution**

University of Ghana, Legon

**Program(s)**

University of Ghana

**UCEAP Course Level**

Lower Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Dance

**UCEAP Course Number**

10

**UCEAP Course Suffix**

B

**UCEAP Official Title**

INTRODUCTION TO TRADITIONAL AFRICAN DANCE II

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

PRACTIC AFR DANCE 2

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

4.00

**UCEAP Semester Units**

2.70

**Course Description**

The course introduces students to the basic movements of West African dance, drumming, and singing. It offers practice of dance techniques based on selected traditional dances from various areas of Ghana and West Africa, with emphasis on style and musicality. The course also places emphasis on movement, technique, body awareness, placement, flexibility, and improvisation. Practical training in dance movements is accompanied by lectures on Ghanaian dances and related arts.

**Language(s) of Instruction**

English

**Host Institution Course Number**

DANS 204

**Host Institution Course Title**

INTRODUCTION TO TRADITIONAL AFRICAN DANCE II

**Host Institution Campus**

Department of Dance Studies

**Host Institution Faculty**

**Host Institution Degree**

**Host Institution Department**

Dance

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