

COURSE DETAIL

ENGLISH LITERARY STUDIES

Country

South Africa

Host Institution

University of Cape Town

Program(s)

Explore South Africa,University of Cape Town

UCEAP Course Level

Lower Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

English

UCEAP Course Number

73

UCEAP Course Suffix

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UCEAP Official Title

ENGLISH LITERARY STUDIES

UCEAP Transcript Title

LITERARY STUDIES

UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

What is 'literature' and how does it work? How can we read and write critically? What can close attention to plays, novels, and poems tell us? How can we trace the shift from 'English literature' to 'literature in English' in a 21st-century world? This course introduces a range of critical tools and methods for reading and writing about texts in the most interesting and thought-provoking ways possible. Topics include literary and rhetorical terms; basic issues in literary studies; different literary genres, including the novel, poetry, and drama; and different kinds of critical writing. Assessment: coursework (50%) and a final exam (50%).

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

ELL1013F

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ENGLISH LITERARY STUDIES

Host Institution Campus

Humanities

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

English Language & Literature

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