COURSE DETAIL

DISCOURSES OF DESIRE: SEX, GENDER, AND THE SONNET SEQUENCE IN TUDOR AND STUART ENGLAND

Country

United Kingdom - Scotland

Host Institution

University of Edinburgh

Program(s)

University of Edinburgh

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

English

UCEAP Course Number

123

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title

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UCEAP Transcript Title

DISCOURSE OF DESIRE

UCEAP Quarter Units

8.00

UCEAP Semester Units

5.30

Course Description

Generally acknowledged to be the most difficult verse form, the sonnet flourished in England from the late 16th to the early 17th centuries. By examining the similarities and differences between the form, content, and structure of sonnet sequences by Locke, Sidney, Daniel, Spenser, Shakespeare, and Wroth, students in this course gain an understanding of the gendered historical development of the sonnet sequence. By examining texts by both male and female authors, students also explores how (or if) the sex of the writer influences the way in which desire is articulated and to what extent this has political implications.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

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