COURSE DETAIL

WORLD LITERATURE: COMPARATIVE LITERATURE

Country Korea, South

Host Institution Yonsei University

Program(s) Yonsei University Summer

UCEAP Course Level Lower Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s) Comparative Literature

UCEAP Course Number 17

UCEAP Course Suffix

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UCEAP Official Title WORLD LITERATURE: COMPARATIVE LITERATURE

UCEAP Transcript Title WORLD LITERATURE

UCEAP Quarter Units 4.50

UCEAP Semester Units

Course Description

This course provides an introduction to world fiction with particular focus on imaginative representations of plenitude and loss. This course surveys related but radically different visions of fulfillment, love, loss, and selfhood. Each work provides a distinct experience of a world culture from the inside. A number of overlapping threads connect the works through generational change and conflict in the context of cross-cultural globalization; evolving ideas of love, desire and identity amidst cultural shifts; and colonialism and its after-effects. Assessment: attendance and participation (20%), midterm (35%), final (45%). Texts: Achebe, C., THINGS FALL APART; Dinesen, I., ANECDOTES OF DESTINY; Park, M., PAVANE FOR A DEAD PRINCESS.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

UIC1401

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Host Institution Campus

Yonsei International Summer School

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department Arts & Humanities

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