

COURSE DETAIL

IMAGINING BRITAIN: MEDIEVAL PLACES, JOURNEYS, MAPS

Country

United Kingdom - England

Host Institution

King's College London

Program(s)

King's College London

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

English

UCEAP Course Number

177

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

IMAGINING BRITAIN: MEDIEVAL PLACES, JOURNEYS, MAPS

UCEAP Transcript Title

IMAGINING BRITAIN

UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

This course studies medieval narratives of journeys in, to, and from Britain. These journeys of conquest and conversion, pilgrimage, vision, and quest allow examination of the relation between humans and their natural and built environments. Issues considered include national identity and borders; the localization of the sacred; memory places; performance and ritual; the projection of the self onto landscape; the agencies of place. Its places include taverns, cathedrals, castles, cities, forests, and Fairyland: some of them are still here. A core of literary texts is supplemented by visual and historical material.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

6AAEC080

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Host Institution Campus

King's College London

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

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