COURSE DETAIL

CHILDREN AND YOUTH LITERATURE

Country

Chile

Host Institution

Pontifical Catholic University of Chile

Program(s)

Pontifical Catholic University of Chile, University of Chile

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Spanish

UCEAP Course Number

132

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title

CHILDREN AND YOUTH LITERATURE

UCEAP Transcript Title

CHILDREN&YOUTH LIT

UCEAP Quarter Units

5.00

UCEAP Semester Units

3.30

Course Description

This course provides a study of literature for or about children and young adults. It examines the principle characteristics of juvenile literature and the evolution of the cultural landscape of the genre. Topics include: concepts and history of children's literature; European folk traditions, oral legends and fairy tales; classical works of children's literature and challenges of validity (Lewis Carroll; Jonathan Swift, Robert L. Stevenson, and Jules Verne; C.S. Lewis and J.R. Tolkien); canonical Chilean expressions of the genre (Hernan del Solar and Rapa-Nui editorials; Papelucho; Brunet, Hunneus, Morel); postmodern changes in children's literature, including the role of illustration (picture books) and experimentation (palimpsests and metafiction).

Language(s) of Instruction

Spanish

Host Institution Course Number

LET261E

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CHILDREN AND YOUTH LITERATURE

Host Institution Campus

Campus San Joaquín

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

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