COURSE DETAIL

KOREAN POPULAR CULTURE AND CULTURE WAVE
Country Korea, South
Host Institution Yonsei University
Program(s) Yonsei University Summer
UCEAP Course Level Lower Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Sociology Communication Asian Studies
UCEAP Course Number 16
UCEAP Course Suffix S
UCEAP Official Title KOREAN POPULAR CULTURE AND CULTURE WAVE
UCEAP Transcript Title KOREAN POP CULTURE
UCEAP Quarter Units 4.50
UCEAP Semester Units

3.00

Course Description

Korean popular culture has recently gained critical attention in the global media marketplace. Particularly, Hallyu (the Korean Wave), a term coined in Asia describing the widespread popularity of Korean cultural products and its regional and trans-regional influences, has been prominently addressed by the scholars, the critics, and the fans altogether in many parts of Asia and beyond. Through readings, discussions, in-class screenings, and presentations, this course provides a comprehensive view of contemporary Korean culture, society, and politics through examining some of the most representative forms of popular culture. Specific topics include the Korean family; marriage, weddings, foreign brides, and multiculturalism; plastic surgery and eating disorders; education; Korean film and TV; and globalization.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
IEE3242

Host Institution Course Title
CONTEMPORARY KOREAN CULTURE & THE KOREAN CULTURE WAVE

Host Institution Course Details

Host Institution Campus
Yonsei International Summer School

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department
Korean Studies

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