

COURSE DETAIL

DOING GENDER IN US HISTORY: CONCEPTS, DEBATES, AND DEVELOPMENTS

Country

Germany

Host Institution

Free University of Berlin

Program(s)

Free University Berlin

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Women's & Gender Studies History American Studies

UCEAP Course Number

146

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

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UCEAP Transcript Title

GENDER US HISTORY

UCEAP Quarter Units

4.50

UCEAP Semester Units

3.00

Course Description

This introductory seminar approaches two intertwined questions: 1. What is the study of history? 2. How does gender figure into it? Over the course of the semester, this course explores these questions from several perspectives. This includes introductions to the theories and methods of historical scholarship and gender studies, as well as specific historical events and developments to which the theories and methods can be applied. The topics of investigation covers the United States from the colonial period until the Cold War, focusing on issues of femininity, masculinity, and queerness, as well as concepts such as indigeneity, blackness, and imperialism. The course discusses how to find and analyze scholarly literature and primary sources and how to write the seminar's final research paper.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

32401

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