

## COURSE DETAIL

### READING THE NATION: AMERICAN LITERATURE

**Country**

Australia

**Host Institution**

University of Sydney

**Program(s)**

University of Sydney

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

English

**UCEAP Course Number**

106

**UCEAP Course Suffix****UCEAP Official Title**

READING THE NATION: AMERICAN LITERATURE

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

NATION:AMERICAN LIT

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

6.00

**UCEAP Semester Units**

4.00

**Course Description**

This course studies a variety of American literary and visual texts to consider what it means to read "nationally". We first examine the rise of literary nationalism to look then at the ways in which exigencies of empire, race and ethnicity, and gender and sexuality, for example, have exerted pressure on the fantasy of a cohesive national culture. We also consider the transnational turn of recent decades to understand the nation's function in a global context.

**Language(s) of Instruction**

English

**Host Institution Course Number**

ENGL2660

**Host Institution Course Title**

READING THE NATION: AMERICAN LITERATURE

**Host Institution Campus**

sydney

**Host Institution Faculty****Host Institution Degree****Host Institution Department**

English

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