COURSE DETAIL

DISCOVERING THE DUTCH
Country Netherlands
Host Institution Utrecht University – University College Utrecht
Program(s) University College Utrecht
UCEAP Course Level Lower Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) International Studies European Studies Dutch
UCEAP Course Number 20
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title DISCOVERING THE DUTCH
UCEAP Transcript Title DISCOVERING DUTCH
UCEAP Quarter Units 6.00
UCEAP Semester Units 4.00

Course Description

Country of tulips, windmills, bicycles, and canals, with friendly and open-minded people. There must be more to the Netherlands than is being suggested by such stereotypical images. This course explores peculiarities, intricacies, and dynamics of Dutch culture and society in a global context. The course provides various perspectives on contemporary Dutch society and culture, discusses themes such as national identity, toleration, ethnic diversity, and the echo's of two world wars in the previous century. Each theme is presented within a historical dimension and includes case studies from Dutch literature, architecture, film, or painting. With reference to the concept of "cultural memory", narratives about the past featuring in today's realities are explored. The course is designed for international exchange students, to familiarize them with Dutch society and culture as they find it during their stay in the Netherlands.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
UCINTDUT12

Host Institution Course Title
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Host Institution Course Details
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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty
Interdepartmental

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department
Dutch

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