COURSE DETAIL

RELIGION AND SEXUALITY IN AFRICA

Country

Korea, South

Host Institution

Yonsei University

Program(s)

Yonsei University

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Sociology Religious Studies African Studies

UCEAP Course Number

126

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title

RELIGION AND SEXUALITY IN AFRICA

UCEAP Transcript Title

RELIGION&SEX/AFRICA

UCEAP Quarter Units

4.50

UCEAP Semester Units

3.00

Course Description

In this interdisciplinary overview, this course explores the intricate ways in which religion and sexuality influence each in contemporary Africa; and an ongoing struggle between contemporary sexual practices and Christianity. The module examines the ways in which culture, religious beliefs, and practices are used to construct and talk about sex and sexuality in the public spaces. In addition, it studies how groups of people and individuals have managed and negotiated the boundaries of normative religions. In the course of the module students explore some of the most controversial debates around religion and sexuality in Africa; gain in-depth knowledge about these debates in their historical, religious, cultural, and political contexts; and develop critical skills to analyZe and reflect upon these debates.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

THE4205

Host Institution Course Title

SEX AND GOD-TALK IN AFRICA

Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Theology

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