

# COURSE DETAIL

## GENDER, NORMS AND SEXUALITY

**Country**

United Kingdom - England

**Host Institution**

University of Cambridge, Pembroke College

**Program(s)**

Summer in Cambridge

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Sociology Anthropology

**UCEAP Course Number**

127

**UCEAP Course Suffix**

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**UCEAP Official Title**

GENDER, NORMS AND SEXUALITY

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

GENDER & SEXUALITY

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

5.00

**UCEAP Semester Units**

**Course Description**

This course enables students from any subject major to explore gender and sexuality from a critical angle. By looking at the most popular debates from across the world, students examine how cultural makings of body, gender, femininity, masculinity, and sexuality have historically shaped and been shaped by wider social forces. The course visits foundational concepts and theories (feminist and queer theory) in gender studies which draw for example on philosophy, anthropology, sociology, and history. The lectures provide examples from across the globe, to enable students to question their very own norms, in the way people often fail to notice they exist. In seminars, students discuss their chosen examples from popular culture and facilitate discussion of current controversies around gender vis-à-vis the themes and theories covered in the lectures.

**Language(s) of Instruction**

English

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**Host Institution Campus**

University of Cambridge

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

Social Sciences

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