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

3.30

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 Course Details

Host Institution Campus
University of Cambridge

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department
Social Sciences

Course Last Reviewed

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