

COURSE DETAIL

EASTERN AND WESTERN LITERATURE

Country

Hong Kong

Host Institution

Chinese University of Hong Kong

Program(s)

Chinese University of Hong Kong

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

English Comparative Literature

UCEAP Course Number

128

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

EASTERN AND WESTERN LITERATURE

UCEAP Transcript Title

EAST & WEST LIT

UCEAP Quarter Units

4.50

UCEAP Semester Units

3.00

Course Description

This course serves as a cross-cultural and intercultural introduction to the advanced study of literature from comparative perspectives. The concepts of comparative literature and world literature and even post-world literature are investigated along with the various cultural and literary issues we come across in the study of literature. We examine such areas of interest as influence, reception, genres, and style as well as focusing on themes and of course historical and political context. The course covers recent cultural and literary theories and also classic texts in literary and cultural criticism. The course also examines recent Asian humanities texts in seeking to set up an intercultural perspective on important world texts.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

ENGE3140

Host Institution Course Title

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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

English

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