

COURSE DETAIL

THE WORLDS OF THE BRITISH EMPIRE, C. 1700-1960

Country

United Kingdom - England

Host Institution

King's College London

Program(s)

King's College London

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

History

UCEAP Course Number

108

UCEAP Course Suffix

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UCEAP Official Title

THE WORLDS OF THE BRITISH EMPIRE, C. 1700-1960

UCEAP Transcript Title

BRIT EMPR 1700-1960

UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

This course covers the history of the British empire from the early 18th century to the Second World War. The course examines the causes and consequences of British imperial expansion and decline, and the relationship between the ruling power and the African, American, Asian, and Australasian subjects it ruled. The course explores the history of empire from a global point of view, examining the connection between the British power and the worldwide exchange of commodities, cultures, and ideas in the early modern and modern periods. Students examine the specific local worlds in which Britons and others encountered one another, investigating the extent to which the British empire was a force that accentuated cultural and economic differences as well as linking different parts of the globe. Students in this option undertake the fall-term portion of the year-long course, The Worlds of The British Empire C. 1700-1960.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

4AAH1107

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Host Institution Course Details

<http://www.kcl.ac.uk/artshums/depts/history/modules/level4/4AAH1007.aspx>

Host Institution Campus

King's College London

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

History

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