COURSE DETAIL

EDINBURGH COLLECTIONS

Country
United Kingdom - Scotland

Host Institution
University of Edinburgh

Program(s)
University of Edinburgh

UCEAP Course Level
Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)
Art History

UCEAP Course Number
107

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title
EDINBURGH COLLECTIONS

UCEAP Transcript Title
EDINBURGH COLLECTNS

UCEAP Quarter Units
8.00

UCEAP Semester Units
5.30

Course Description

The course promotes the implementation of object-based learning. It uses an active art and object collection from the university and accessible national collections as its starting point, and students learn about the histories and ideas behind collections, material handling, ethical, and curatorial issues. Students bring together their own understanding of the context of existing and possible future meta-collections, and they develop and propose curatorship of their own personal collections. Most collections in Edinburgh have been formed around teaching through the object, and their meaning is intrinsically linked to the study and development of a visual language, and the way artists collect and process information. The course maintains a consistent structure while the exact content may vary to capitalize on current events. The course is open to students from different programs of study and brings together contributors and participants from across the university, thereby increasing interdisciplinary practice.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

ARTX08061

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Host Institution Course Details

Host Institution Campus

Edinburgh

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Art

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