

COURSE DETAIL

AUSTRALIAN POPULAR CULTURE

Country

Australia

Host Institution

University of Queensland

Program(s)

University of Queensland

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Australian Studies

UCEAP Course Number

103

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

AUSTRALIAN POPULAR CULTURE

UCEAP Transcript Title

AUS POPULAR CULTURE

UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

This course examines the social function of popular culture in Australia with particular emphasis on the period from the 1960s to the present. It explores how popular culture is produced and consumed and asks how specific forms and practices (such as cinema, music, sport, and food) contribute to concepts of individual and national identity. The course does not attempt to define a uniquely Australian form of popular culture. Rather, students examine the distinctive ways in which cultural activity and practice, whether originating in Australia or overseas, have been produced and consumed in Australia.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

AUST2000

Host Institution Course Title

AUSTRALIAN POPULAR CULTURE

Host Institution Campus

Brisbane

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Australian Studies

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