

COURSE DETAIL

WAR: INTERDISCIPLINARY APPROACHES

Country

France

Host Institution

Sciences Po Reims

Program(s)

Sciences Po Reims

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Political Science

UCEAP Course Number

102

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

WAR: INTERDISCIPLINARY APPROACHES

UCEAP Transcript Title

WAR: APPROACHES

UCEAP Quarter Units

4.50

UCEAP Semester Units

3.00

Course Description

This discussion-based seminar course examines modern warfare and its effects through a deliberately interdisciplinary lens. From new military history to cultural anthropology, sociology, psychology, medical psychiatry, historical geography, literature, and the study of religion, memory, and art, and employing examples from both European and non-European contexts, the course moves beyond a purely historical approach in order to compare and assess examples of different disciplinary methods and perspectives on the far-ranging and complex phenomenon of war. Students gain a broader understanding of the varied experience of war for different groups and the effects of militarization in the modern period (roughly 1789-present), as well as new methodological tools with which to conduct research and analyze secondary literature. Topics include: nuclear war, ecology, colonialism, prisoners of war, truth and testimony, identity, discourse, violence, memorials, trauma, the body, masculinity, women's work and activism, modernism, spirituality, children, cinema, cyber-warfare.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

DCUL 27A01

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Host Institution Campus

Seminar

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

International Affairs & Strategy

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