COURSE DETAIL

POLITICS OF PERFORMANCE

Country United Kingdom - England

Host Institution University of Bristol

Program(s) University of Bristol

UCEAP Course Level Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s) Dramatic Arts

UCEAP Course Number 122

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title POLITICS OF PERFORMANCE

UCEAP Transcript Title POL OF PERFORMANCE

UCEAP Quarter Units 8.00

UCEAP Semester Units 5.30

Course Description

This course explores the relationship between theater and politics, focusing on theater and performance events that are rooted in the explicit exploration of political issues. Case studies span historical periods and include suffrage parades, Brecht and political play-writing, workers theater, agitprop, Welfare State International, sit-ins, the Occupy movement, and contemporary approaches to political theater. This course considers these examples in detailed social and historical context, with focus on political, national, local, and cultural identities.

Language(s) of Instruction English

Host Institution Course Number THTR20005

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Host Institution Campus Bristol

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department Theatre

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