

## COURSE DETAIL

### TRADITIONAL KOREAN SOCIETY AND MODERNIZATION

**Country**

Korea, South

**Host Institution**

Yonsei University

**Program(s)**

Yonsei University

**UCEAP Course Level**

Lower Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Sociology History Asian Studies

**UCEAP Course Number**

24

**UCEAP Course Suffix****UCEAP Official Title**

TRADITIONAL KOREAN SOCIETY AND MODERNIZATION

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

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**UCEAP Quarter Units**

4.50

**UCEAP Semester Units**

3.00

## Course Description

A general survey of the historical development of various aspects of Korean civilization, including politics, society and economy, thought and religion, and the arts. Half of the course covers the main themes in Korean history and their historical interpretations, from prehistoric times to the modern period. It also pays special attention to social systems, religion and culture, as well as the changing geopolitics of the region. The discussions take a comparative approach by examining contemporaneous China, Japan, and northeast Asia, identifying similarities and differences between the regions. Through this course, students have a better understanding of the challenges Korea faced in the late nineteenth and twentieth centuries, and the historical processes through which Korea, China, and Japan developed.

## Language(s) of Instruction

English

## Host Institution Course Number

IEE3121

## Host Institution Course Title

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## Host Institution Course Details

## Host Institution Campus

## Host Institution Faculty

## Host Institution Degree

## Host Institution Department

## Course Last Reviewed

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