

COURSE DETAIL

GENDER AND SEXUALITY

Country

Netherlands

Host Institution

Utrecht University - University College Utrecht

Program(s)

University College Utrecht

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Women's & Gender Studies Anthropology

UCEAP Course Number

104

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

GENDER AND SEXUALITY

UCEAP Transcript Title

GENDER & SEXUALITY

UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

Ranging from work in the nineteenth century to contemporary anthropological studies, this course analyzes evolutionary, psychological, materialist, structuralist, socio-linguistic, and reflexive approaches to understanding gender behavior and gender stratification. The course explores how anthropological data from around the world is crucial for questioning widely held assumptions about men and women in contemporary societies. Therefore, it examines the processes and practices of the construction of the categories of “woman” and “man” in different cultural and historical contexts. By presenting ethnographic and historical accounts of gender variations and how they are currently understood and displayed, the course reveals the social and cultural forces that have created changes in sex/gender systems. It pays particular attention to the ways in which categories of gender/sexuality are deployed in various discursive regimes such as nationalism, modernism, colonialism, and globalization.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

UCSSCANT22

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Host Institution Course Details

Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Social Science

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Anthropology

Course Last Reviewed

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