

COURSE DETAIL

GENRE FICTION

Country

Korea, South

Host Institution

Korea University

Program(s)

Korea University

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

English

UCEAP Course Number

133

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

GENRE FICTION

UCEAP Transcript Title

GENRE FICTION

UCEAP Quarter Units

4.50

UCEAP Semester Units

3.00

Course Description

This course explores genre fiction, often defined as formulaic popular fiction such as mystery, detective stories, horror, romance, Western, science fiction, fantasy, and historical fiction. It examines the thematic and stylistic conventions of gothic fiction and those of detective fiction. The course looks at how genres are divided into subgenres and how they are combined into cross genres as well as the establishment of new genres. The primary goal of this course is to learn about gothic fiction—its history, its generic characteristics, and its significance in English literature—while also improving close reading skills and independent interpretation of literary texts seen in their socio-historical context.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

ENGL364

Host Institution Course Title

GENRE FICTION

Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

English Language and Literature

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