COURSE DETAIL

PSYCHOLOGY, AESTHETICS, AND ART

Country

Italy

Host Institution

University of Padua

Program(s)

Psychology and Cognitive Science, Padua

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Psychology

UCEAP Course Number

153

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title

PSYCHOLOGY, AESTHETICS, AND ART

UCEAP Transcript Title

PSYCH AESTHETIC&ART

UCEAP Quarter Units

5.00

UCEAP Semester Units

3.30

Course Description

This course examines the study of preferences and experimental aesthetics within its historical context, the main themes of neuroesthetics and topics of debate in the field, and the methodologies used in the empirical study of aesthetics. The course discusses topics including the definitions of art, empirical aesthetics, Darwin and evolutionary perspectives, sensory systems, reward systems, scenes and landscapes, motion, color, faces and body, and current debates and future developments. The course requires basic knowledge of the foundations of cognitive psychology, of perception, and of the neural basis of behavior.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

PSP8082699

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PSYCHOLOGY, AESTHETICS AND ART

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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Psychology

Host Institution Degree

Second Cycle Degree in Applied Cognitive Psychology

Host Institution Department

Course Last Reviewed

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