

COURSE DETAIL

INTRODUCTION TO KOREAN LITERATURE

Country

Korea, South

Host Institution

Seoul National University

Program(s)

Seoul National University

UCEAP Course Level

Lower Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Comparative Literature Asian Studies

UCEAP Course Number

42

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

INTRODUCTION TO KOREAN LITERATURE

UCEAP Transcript Title

INTRO KOREAN LIT

UCEAP Quarter Units

4.50

UCEAP Semester Units

3.00

Course Description

This course introduces Korean literature in English translation and explores the relationship between Korean literature and world literature. The first half of the semester is devoted to pre-modern texts, including prose fiction, essays, and poems with an emphasis on Buddhism and Confucianism. The second half of the course examines short stories and poems of the 1920's through the 1980's against the backdrop of the Japanese colonization and the Korean War.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

055.007

Host Institution Course Title

INTRODUCTION TO KOREAN LITERATURE

Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Liberal Education

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