

COURSE DETAIL

POSTCOLONIAL THEORY

Country

Netherlands

Host Institution

Utrecht University

Program(s)

Utrecht University

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

History Comparative Literature Anthropology

UCEAP Course Number

132

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

POSTCOLONIAL THEORY

UCEAP Transcript Title

POSTCOLONIAL THEORY

UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

This course examines the major developments in the field of Postcolonial Theory. The course starts with Said's observation that colonialism affected both the colonizing countries as well as the colonized peoples. As such, Postcolonial Theory provides a variety of methodological tools for analyzing literature and culture that are of special relevance in the age of globalization. Students focus on the development of a postcolonial consciousness, the implication of literature and other cultural forms in the colonizing process, and as forms of resistance. Students become familiar with all major issues in the field of Postcolonial Studies and acquire a number of theoretical perspectives that apply to the interpretation of literature and other forms of culture.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

LI3V19002

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Host Institution Campus

Utrecht University

Host Institution Faculty

Humanities

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Gender Studies

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