COURSE DETAIL

HISTORY AND THEORY OF SOUTHEAST ASIA ARCHITECTURE

Country

Singapore

Host Institution

National University of Singapore

Program(s)

National University of Singapore

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Architecture

UCEAP Course Number

114

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title

HISTORY AND THEORY OF SOUTHEAST ASIA ARCHITECTURE

UCEAP Transcript Title

SE ASIA ARCHITECTRE

UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

This course introduces the contexts of the production of architecture and the built environment in Southeast Asia in both cultural and historical terms, and the theories and debates surrounding them. It is divided into two parts. The first part provides a historical understanding of the traditions of architecture from the vernacular and the Indic classical to the colonial and modern. It introduces key buildings and types that provides the bases for understanding ideas and approaches. The second part provides a survey of the way architecture in Southeast Asia has been narrated and historicised, the theories that have been produced to explain and justify specific trends and movements, and the debates that have been generated about Southeast Asia as a field of architectural study.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

AR2221

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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

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Architecture

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