COURSE DETAIL

FASHION: EAST AND WEST

Country

Singapore

Host Institution

National University of Singapore

Program(s)

National University of Singapore

UCEAP Course Level

Lower Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Asian Studies

UCEAP Course Number

30

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title

FASHION: EAST AND WEST

UCEAP Transcript Title

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UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

This course introduces a revisionist fashion history that decenters the West (Europe and North America) and places the East as its equal counterpart. Sartorial cultures in Asia are studied in their own right and on their own terms. It explores the history of global cultural exchange through the lens of fashion, covers the differences and similarities between Eastern and Western sartorial cultures, and provides critical insights into contemporary fashion consumption and industry. The course follows a chronological and thematic approach that examines fashion's intersection with other domains of social life such as class, identity, and politics.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

GEC1042

Host Institution Course Title

FASHION: EAST AND WEST

Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Arts and Social Science

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Chinese Studies

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