COURSE DETAIL

ANIME AND MANGA
Country Japan
Host Institution Hitotsubashi University
Program(s) Hitotsubashi University
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Sociology International Studies Film & Media Studies Asian Studies
UCEAP Course Number 110
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title ANIME AND MANGA
UCEAP Transcript Title ANIME & MANGA
UCEAP Quarter Units 3.00
UCEAP Semester Units 2.00

Course Description

Globalization and Japan is usually connected with the oft researched policy of “Cool Japan, ” which emphasizes popular culture, particularly anime and manga. Courses on anime and manga tend to focus on an analysis of the object, whether it is a particular anime or manga title. This course aims to fill the gap, by shifting the focus to the industries as popular culture cannot exist without the complex structures of business, form and application of anime and manga.

The course aims:

1. To introduce the student to the “behind-the-scenes” aspects of anime and manga.
2. To introduce the student to research on anime and manga from a case study.
3. To engage students in critical approaches towards familiar topics.
4. To encourage students in think critically through their own projects of a chosen case study.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
SU-G415-G-00

Host Institution Course Title
TOPICS IN GLOBAL STUDIES B

Host Institution Course Details
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Host Institution Campus
Hitotsubashi University

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department
Sociology

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