

COURSE DETAIL

KOREAN SOCIETY THROUGH THE LENS OF SEXUALITY

Country

Japan

Host Institution

Waseda University

Program(s)

Waseda University

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Sociology Asian Studies

UCEAP Course Number

122

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

KOREAN SOCIETY THROUGH THE LENS OF SEXUALITY

UCEAP Transcript Title

KOR SOC SEXUALITY

UCEAP Quarter Units

3.00

UCEAP Semester Units

2.00

Course Description

This course introduces students to South Korean sexuality issues through the lens of sexuality, addressing topics such as colonialism and migration; industrialization, family, and sexual harassment; popular culture, media, and masculinity; militarization and conscription; and South Korea's blooming LGBTQ+ movement. The methodology to approach these issues in the class is not to judge the phenomena only with one standard, but to articulate the multi-layers intersecting each issue. The course examines how historical change from liberated Korea in 1945 to the present-day was both motivated by and determinative of various gender dynamics, using secondary critical readings by scholars to better understand the relationship between society and sexuality in a chronological fashion. Students will learn about how Koreans have recognized diverse sexual orientations and gender roles over time.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

ARSD20ZZ

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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Liberal Arts

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

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