

## COURSE DETAIL

### ART AND ENVIRONMENT: PERSPECTIVES ON LAND, LANDSCAPE, AND ECOLOGY IN THE US

**Country**

Germany

**Host Institution**

Free University of Berlin

**Program(s)**

Free University Berlin

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Environmental Studies Art History American Studies

**UCEAP Course Number**

103

**UCEAP Course Suffix****UCEAP Official Title**

ART AND ENVIRONMENT: PERSPECTIVES ON LAND, LANDSCAPE, AND ECOLOGY IN THE US

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

ART& ENVIRONMENT: US

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

4.50

**UCEAP Semester Units**

3.00

**Course Description**

This course explores the relationship between the natural world and United States culture, considering specifically the visual expression of that relationship: How have Americans imagined “nature” and represented it? How have concepts of land and landscape shaped perceptions about social order, identity, and sustainability? The course provides both a historical framework for thinking about these questions as well as a contemporary perspective, particularly in the context of a potential new era known as the “Anthropocene.”

**Language(s) of Instruction**

English

**Host Institution Course Number**

32101

**Host Institution Course Title**

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**Host Institution Campus**

Free University of Berlin

**Host Institution Faculty****Host Institution Degree****Host Institution Department**

John F. Kennedy Institute for North American studies

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