COURSE DETAIL

THE SENSES IN CULTURE AND SOCIETY
Country Netherlands
Host Institution Utrecht University
Program(s) Utrecht University
UCEAP Course Level Lower Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Philosophy Film & Media Studies
UCEAP Course Number 70
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title THE SENSES IN CULTURE AND SOCIETY
UCEAP Transcript Title SENSES CULTR&SOCITY
UCEAP Quarter Units 6.00
UCEAP Semester Units 4.00

Course Description

In this course, Western ocularcentrism and the modernist segmentation of our sensory functions and sensorial experiences are questioned. Philosophical, artistic, and scientific ideas that question the supremacy of the eye, the modernist hierarchy of the senses, and the division of our sensory functions are reviewed. Through lectures, guest lectures, museum visits, experiments, discussions, and the intensive study of texts participants become more attentive to how our sensorium functions. Students learn to analyze contemporary art, film, fashion, design, consumer goods, and environments from a multisensorial perspective and identify interrelations that exist between the different senses into account in their scientific work. If there are excursions to museums, cities, or other art institutions, these may incur additional costs.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
KU1V19001

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Host Institution Campus
Utrecht University

Host Institution Faculty
Humanities

Host Institution Degree

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