COURSE DETAIL

PHILOSOPHY OF LOVE
Country Denmark
Host Institution University of Copenhagen
Program(s) University of Copenhagen
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Philosophy
UCEAP Course Number 112
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title PHILOSOPHY OF LOVE
UCEAP Transcript Title PHILOSOPHY OF LOVE
UCEAP Quarter Units 12.00
UCEAP Semester Units 8.00

Course Description

This course uncovers a European history about love that has shaped the present in untold ways. It follows love on various historical stages – from ancient Greece through the Middle Ages, the romantic era, the post-romantic period, and into the present – and pays close attention to the stories we have told ourselves about love. Our love stories reveal that we conceive of the human condition as desiring, striving, and longing, but also as avoiding reality and the concrete commitments that tie us to finitude. The course reads responses to this escapism in the form of a moral call to respond to the other, also when this means respecting difference and the other's independence. Throughout, it provides tools for thinking seriously about love today.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
TTEASK032U

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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty
Theology

Host Institution Degree
Bachelor

Host Institution Department
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