COURSE DETAIL

LITERARY HISTORY 3: 1789-1914

Country
Netherlands

Host Institution
Utrecht University

Program(s)
Utrecht University

UCEAP Course Level
Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)
Comparative Literature

UCEAP Course Number
113

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title
LITERARY HISTORY 3: 1789-1914

UCEAP Transcript Title
LIT HIST: 1789-1914

UCEAP Quarter Units
6.00

UCEAP Semester Units
4.00

Course Description

This course discusses literature from different parts of the world from 1789 (the beginning of the French Revolution) to 1914 (the beginning of the First World War). Three different angles are used to study changes and developments in literature and society in this period: (1) a material perspective considers how literature changes as a medium for communication, including developments in the production and distribution of books; (2) a formal perspective which looks at new forms and genres of writing, including the continuing development of the novel as a dominant cultural form; (3) a thematic perspective analyzing how literary expression is influenced by social changes. Examples include industrialization, the relationship between rural and urban environments, and the colonial ambitions of European states and Japan.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
LI2V21001

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Host Institution Course Details
https://osiris-student.uu.nl/onderwijscatalogus/extern/cursussen

Host Institution Campus
Utrecht University

Host Institution Faculty
Humanities

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department
Languages, Literature and Communication

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