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

Course Last Reviewed

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