

# COURSE DETAIL

## CURATOR ACADEMY

**Country**

United Kingdom - England

**Host Institution**

Sotheby's Institute of Art

**Program(s)**

Sotheby's Institute of Art, London

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Business Administration Art History

**UCEAP Course Number**

141

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

CURATOR ACADEMY

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

CURATOR ACADEMY

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

8.00

**UCEAP Semester Units**

5.30

## Course Description

This course surveys current developments in curating art, examining expanded definitions of curating (in museums and independently post-2020); and the evolving local, global, and digital landscapes for curatorial work and activity today.

With a project-oriented focus, this course equips students with the contextual knowledge as well as the entrepreneurial skill to plan, develop, and deliver a curatorial project as well as situate it in a rapidly changing landscape. Topics include (but are not limited to) the curator as auteur, facilitator, mediator, and project manager as well as contemporary curatorial approaches and research methodology. Project-based learning throughout the course examines: initiating and defining curatorial projects; sourcing artworks in private collections for object-based exhibitions; building connections and relationships with contemporary artists; expanding exhibition formats and sites for curating (including "pop-ups"); writing curatorial statements and press releases; working in a sustainable and accessible way; fundraising and budgeting; marketing and publicity; and working with digital networks and platforms.

## Language(s) of Instruction

English

## Host Institution Course Number

SA05

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## Host Institution Course Details

<https://www.sothebysinstitute.com/london/study-abroad-in-london>

## Host Institution Campus

Sotheby's

## Host Institution Faculty

<b>Host Institution Degree</b>
<b>Host Institution Department</b>
<b>Course Last Reviewed</b> 2023-2024

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