COURSE DETAIL

THE COMING OF AGE NARRATIVE

Country

United Kingdom - Scotland

Host Institution

University of Edinburgh

Program(s)

University of Edinburgh

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

English

UCEAP Course Number

146

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title

THE COMING OF AGE NARRATIVE

UCEAP Transcript Title

COMING OF AGE

UCEAP Quarter Units

8.00

UCEAP Semester Units

5.30

Course Description

This course examines a selection of writings from a variety of national contexts, and analyses a range of texts across the corpus (broadly understood) of the "Coming of Age" narrative. The course explores how writers have responded to the challenge of depicting the complex processes informing how we become who we are, and what we understand to be the rites of passage from childhood through adolescence to adulthood. How do we find "our voice"? What gets in the way of personal growth, or of us feeling wholly ourselves? What is the impact of nature, nurture, education, language, family, geography, and ideology, for example?

Language(s) of Instruction

English

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ELCC08007

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THE COMING OF AGE NARRATIVE

Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

School of Literatures, Languages and Cultures

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

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