

COURSE DETAIL

OLD AND NEW MUSIC IN SOUTHEAST ASIA

Country

Singapore

Host Institution

National University of Singapore

Program(s)

National University of Singapore

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

South & SE Asian Studies Music

UCEAP Course Number

102

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

OLD AND NEW MUSIC IN SOUTHEAST ASIA

UCEAP Transcript Title

OLD&NW MUSC SE ASIA

UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

This course introduces the variety of music in Southeast Asia, from traditional to pop, and contributes to students' understanding of the region. Lectures with audiovisual illustrations, which emphasize cultural and contextual approaches, are complemented by practical instruction in playing Javanese gamelan music. The course explores the different musical aesthetics, changing cultural and social contexts and functions (from village and palace rituals to arts academies, the cassette industry, and concerts), musical and cultural interaction, and the changing musical landscape of Southeast Asia.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

SE2221

Host Institution Course Title

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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Southeast Asian Studies

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