

COURSE DETAIL

BEING MANY: CONSTRUCTIONS OF RACE AND ETHNICITY IN THE GERMAN-SPEAKING WORLD

Country

United Kingdom - England

Host Institution

King's College London

Program(s)

King's College London

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Sociology Ethnic Studies

UCEAP Course Number

119

UCEAP Course Suffix

N

UCEAP Official Title

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UCEAP Transcript Title

RACEÐNCTY/GERMAN

UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

In this course, students explore the German-speaking world through a range of cultural materials drawn from the Medieval period to the contemporary. Work in the course is rooted in an understanding of race as a culturally constructed category whose meanings shift in different historical and cultural contexts. From year to year the course's primary texts might include films, short literary texts, performances, objects, visual artefacts, music and other forms. These are allocated to thematic blocks that focus on key concepts including borders, language, and the body. Weekly exercises in close analysis, alongside key short readings in theory and method, equip students with the critical skills to analyze how cultural materials both construct and challenge ideas about race and ethnicity.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

4AAGA116

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