

COURSE DETAIL

TRADITION AND ART IN JAPAN: JAPANESE GARDEN

Country

Japan

Host Institution

Doshisha University

Program(s)

Japanese in Kyoto

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Asian Studies Art History

UCEAP Course Number

121

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

TRADITION AND ART IN JAPAN: JAPANESE GARDEN

UCEAP Transcript Title

JAPANESE GARDEN

UCEAP Quarter Units

3.00

UCEAP Semester Units

2.00

Course Description

This course introduces the culture of Japanese gardens, focusing on the main philosophical values, styles, aesthetics, and landscape design principles through history. By doing specific activities, writing assignments and oral presentations, the course increases knowledge and the meaning of what has been learned from interactions and shared experiences.

Comparisons with historical gardens examples in other cultures and a study-tour to relevant Japanese gardens located inside or around Kyoto City are planned to strengthen final debates and discussions as well as to help the formation of group research projects for final evaluation.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

N/A

Host Institution Course Title

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Host Institution Campus

Doshisha University

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Global Education Module, Center for Global Education and Japanese Studies

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