COURSE DETAIL

SEX AND SOCIALISM: GENDER, SEXUALITY AND THE BOUNDARIES OF THE NATION STATE IN POST-WAR CENTRAL AND SOUTHEASTERN EUROPE

Country Germany

Host Institution Humboldt University Berlin

Program(s) Humboldt University Berlin

UCEAP Course Level Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s) Women's & Gender Studies History European Studies

UCEAP Course Number

129

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title SEX AND SOCIALISM: GENDER, SEXUALITY AND THE BOUNDARIES OF THE NATION STATE IN POST-WAR CENTRAL AND SOUTHEASTERN EUROPE

UCEAP Transcript Title SEX & SOCIALISM

UCEAP Quarter Units

4.50

UCEAP Semester Units

Course Description

This course will investigate the ways in which the policing of gender and sexuality intersected with the policing of (ethno) national boundaries in Central-Eastern Europe, with a focus on the state-socialist period (1945-1990) but including the interwar period and the post socialist period as contextual bookends. At the same time, it will explore the ways in which the socialist ideologies of gender equality and internationalism were actually (and selectively) implemented in these countries, the effect this had on women and men from both ethnic majority and minority populations in these countries. Finally, it takes a transnational approach, looking at the role of gender and sexuality in positioning Central Eastern Europe within the (white) West, and in the West's perception and 'othering' of the region.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

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