COURSE DETAIL

UCEAP Semester Units

THE WAY OF IKEBANA **Country** Japan **Host Institution** Doshisha University Program(s) Japanese in Kyoto **UCEAP Course Level Upper Division UCEAP Subject Area(s)** Asian Studies **UCEAP Course Number** 105 **UCEAP Course Suffix** В **UCEAP Official Title** THE WAY OF IKEBANA **UCEAP Transcript Title** THE WAY OF IKEBANA **UCEAP Quarter Units** 3.00

Course Description

In Japan, *Ikebana* is appreciated with Japanese sophisticated sense of nature, admiring not only the beautiful colors of flowers but also the leaf - its green, beauty of bark, seasonal fruits, or even it withering. The whole of them are named generically "hana," which means "flower" in Japanese Ikebana. Japanese Ikebana is respected as "the way of hana" which is the best way to learn spiritual, philosophical, and aesthetic sense.

This course covers plant features, seasonal changes, and Ikebana techniques. The course aims to understand flower arrangement but also to acquire the skills for communicating and feeling the sense of beauty between a flower arranger (master) and observers (guests).

Language(s) of Instruction

Host Institution Course Number

N/A

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Host Institution Campus

Doshisha University

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Japanese Language and Culture Module, Center for Global Education and Japanese Studies

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