COURSE DETAIL

TREASURES FROM UKRAINE: PAINTINGS FROM ODESA IN THE GEMÄLDEGALERIE

Country Germany

Host Institution Humboldt University Berlin

Program(s) Humboldt University Berlin

UCEAP Course Level Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s) Art History

UCEAP Course Number

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title TREASURES FROM UKRAINE: PAINTINGS FROM ODESA IN THE GEMÄLDEGALERIE

UCEAP Transcript Title TRSURS FROM UKRAINE

UCEAP Quarter Units 4.50

UCEAP Semester Units

Course Description

In September 2023, 74 works from the 16th to 19th centuries from the Odessa Museum of Western and Eastern Art were brought to Berlin from Ukraine. Since then they have been studied, conserved, re-framed, and prepared for an exhibition starting in January 2025. In January, the Gemäldegalerie will exhibit the paintings removed from Odessa and put them in dialogue with the existing collection in Berlin. This seminar is devoted to the study of the paintings from Odessa and to the consideration of comparable paintings in Berlin, taking advantage of the juxtaposition of the two collections. It reflects upon the fate of works of art during times of war, considering the impact upon artistic and cultural heritage in the Ukraine since the Russian war of aggression. The history of the dispersal of works of art in Berlin in the 20th century provides a comparative history. The exhibition brings to the forefront works of art by important artists that were previously little-known and little-studied: Francesco Granacci, Frans Hals, Bernardo Strozzi, and others.

Language(s) of Instruction

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