

COURSE DETAIL

PLOTINUS ON LOVE

Country

Germany

Host Institution

Humboldt University Berlin

Program(s)

Humboldt University Berlin

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Philosophy

UCEAP Course Number

137

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

PLOTINUS ON LOVE

UCEAP Transcript Title

PLOTINUS ON LOVE

UCEAP Quarter Units

4.50

UCEAP Semester Units

3.00

Course Description

This seminar engages students in a close reading and discussion of a selection of key texts in which Plotinus addresses problems surrounding his understanding of love. The main focus of this seminar is on Plotinus treatise *Ennead 3.5*, dedicated to the topic of love, which includes his interpretation of central parts of Plato's Symposium. This seminar begins by looking at some central texts by Plato on love, esp. the speech by Diotima in the Symposium. No knowledge of Greek is required. Students are reading all texts in English translation, but occasionally the Greek text is discussed.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

51059

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Host Institution Campus

Humboldt University

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Institut für Philosophie

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