COURSE DETAIL

LITERARY STUDIES, AN INTRODUCTION
Country Netherlands
Host Institution Utrecht University
Program(s) Utrecht University
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) English Comparative Literature Communication
UCEAP Course Number 121
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title LITERARY STUDIES, AN INTRODUCTION
UCEAP Transcript Title INTRO LITERARY STDY
UCEAP Quarter Units 6.00
UCEAP Semester Units 4.00

Course Description

Literature is a cultural and aesthetic phenomenon that takes on many different forms in different periods, regions, and languages. In all of these forms, literature reflects in one way or another the society in which it emerges. This course connects the complex relations between literature and society and teaches how to write and speak about them in an academic way. The characteristics of narrative, interpretation, poetics, and textuality, and place literary texts and analyses in specific historical and cultural contexts are considered. Questions are considered via the analysis of one novel from a number of key theoretical perspectives in literary studies, such as narratology, memory studies, and reader-response theory.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
TL2V18001

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Host Institution Campus
Utrecht University

Host Institution Faculty
Humanities

Host Institution Degree

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Languages, Literature and Communication

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