COURSE DETAIL

QUEER, WOMAN, OTHER: INTERSECTION PERSPECTIVES ON SAME-SEX DESIRE IN EARLY 20TH CENTURY IMPERIAL EUROPE

Country

France

Host Institution Institut d'Etudes Politiques (Sciences Po)

Program(s) Sciences Po Paris

UCEAP Course Level Upper Division

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

UCEAP Course Number 120

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title QUEER, WOMAN, OTHER: INTERSECTION PERSPECTIVES ON SAME-SEX DESIRE IN EARLY 20TH CENTURY IMPERIAL EUROPE

UCEAP Transcript Title QUEER WOMAN OTHER

UCEAP Quarter Units

4.50

UCEAP Semester Units

3.00

Course Description

Queer histories situate the emergence of queer identities and subcultures in turn of the century European urban centers. Yet these were shaped by a more global context, in which imperialism and Orientalism were central. To understand this, the course first reads texts which explore the intersections of histories of imperialism and histories of gender and sexuality. It then focuses on Orientalism and racism in queer representations. In a third part, it turns to studies which highlight the importance of travel and encounters for queer experiences. A fourth part addresses the question of silences and absences in the archive, and scholarly approaches to tackling these. Finally, the course turns to primary sources and analyzes them, drawing on the ideas developed throughout the course.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

DHIS 25A26

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