COURSE DETAIL

CHRISTIANITY IN ASIA
Country Hong Kong
Host Institution University of Hong Kong
Program(s) University of Hong Kong
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Religious Studies International Studies History
UCEAP Course Number 112
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title CHRISTIANITY IN ASIA
UCEAP Transcript Title CHRISTIANITY/ASIA
UCEAP Quarter Units 5.00
UCEAP Semester Units 3.30

Course Description

This course examines the history of Christianity in Asia from the early modern period to the present, focusing on the nineteenth and twentieth centuries while covering China, Japan, Korea, Southeast Asia, and others. Over a broad chronology, this course highlights how Asian Christianities were shaped and reshaped within specific regional contexts and in parallel with changes in Christianity worldwide. Students will explore the interactions between missionaries and indigenous Christians, the various expressions of Christianity, and context-specific constraints such as imperialism, nationalism, and broader interreligious settings. Using both primary and secondary sources, this course illustrates the shape of Asian Christianity from past to present, the thorny nature of religious encounter, and its surprising outcomes in World History.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
HIST 2202

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Host Institution Course Details

Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department
History

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