COURSE DETAIL

MUSIC AND GLOBAL POLITICS: FROM BEETHOVEN TO BEYONCÉ AND BEYOND

Country Hong Kong

Host Institution University of Hong Kong

Program(s) University of Hong Kong

UCEAP Course Level Lower Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s) Political Science Music

UCEAP Course Number 10

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title MUSIC AND GLOBAL POLITICS: FROM BEETHOVEN TO BEYONCÉ AND BEYOND

UCEAP Transcript Title MUSIC & GLOBAL POLI

UCEAP Quarter Units 5.00

UCEAP Semester Units

3.30

Course Description

This course examines the dynamic between music and politics from the Haitian and French Revolution until Black Lives Matter, or, alternately, from Beethoven to Beyoncé. Large thematic topics will include the Enlightenment, liberalism, nationalism, fascism, the Cold War and globalization. Musical case studies will include opera, symphonic tone poems, ballet, film scores, folk and pop songs, hip hop and punk, as well as global genres such as Afrobeat and Tropicalia.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

CCGL 9066

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