COURSE DETAIL

DEATH AND DYING IN THE HUMAN EXPERIENCE

Country

Singapore

Host Institution

National University of Singapore

Program(s)

National University of Singapore

UCEAP Course Level

Lower Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

South & SE Asian Studies

UCEAP Course Number

25

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title

DEATH AND DYING IN THE HUMAN EXPERIENCE

UCEAP Transcript Title

DEATH IN HUMAN EXP

UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

This course introduces students to the intricacies of the end-of-life journey, fostering empathy, cultural sensitivity, and practical knowledge to navigate this inevitable part of the human experience with wisdom and compassion. Students explore the historical, philosophical, and cultural aspects surrounding death and dying and gain a deeper understanding of the diverse beliefs, rituals and attitudes that have emerged across different civilizations and time periods in Southeast Asia. This comprehensive exploration encourages critical thinking and fosters an appreciation of the significance of death in shaping human societies and its profound impact on shaping the human psyche and world cultures.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

GEC1048

Host Institution Course Title

DEATH AND DYING IN THE HUMAN EXPERIENCE

Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Southeast Asian Studies

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