

COURSE DETAIL

POWERFUL COURT WOMEN FROM QING CHINA AND OTHER CULTURES

Country

Singapore

Host Institution

National University of Singapore

Program(s)

National University of Singapore

UCEAP Course Level

Lower Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

History

UCEAP Course Number

16

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

POWERFUL COURT WOMEN FROM QING CHINA AND OTHER CULTURES

UCEAP Transcript Title

WOMEN OF QING CHINA

UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

This course explores the lives of empresses and concubines in Qing China, some of whom wielded tremendous power during their lifetime and have inspired numerous literary and media renditions of their words and deeds in the present. By critically assessing and deploying the concepts of gender, power, and media representation, the course highlights the curious connections between the Qing harem and other cultures, polities, and societies. It establishes connections between Qing empresses and concubines and those elsewhere in the world, contextualizing their lives and activities in global history.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

GEC1049

Host Institution Course Title

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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Chinese Studies

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