## **COURSE DETAIL**

## **BEYONCÉ, BATMAN AND BARBIE: FANS AND FAN CULTURES**

**Country** New Zealand

**Host Institution** University of Waikato

**Program(s)** University of Waikato

UCEAP Course Level Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s) Sociology Film & Media Studies

UCEAP Course Number 127

**UCEAP Course Suffix** 

**UCEAP Official Title** BEYONCÉ, BATMAN AND BARBIE: FANS AND FAN CULTURES

**UCEAP Transcript Title** FANS & FAN CULTURES

**UCEAP Quarter Units** 6.00

**UCEAP Semester Units** 4.00

## **Course Description**

This course examines the many different ways that we might think about fans and fan cultures, from what they think about, talk about and produce, to the way they are seen by themselves, other fans, media industries, the culture more broadly. This course encourages students to observe the media around them and to assess it critically, including understanding economic and power dynamics, as well as the role that is played by gender, race, ethnicity, language, sexuality, and cultural and social capital.

Language(s) of Instruction English

Host Institution Course Number MEDIA205

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