

## COURSE DETAIL

### BETWEEN EAST AND WEST: CULTURE, EMPIRE AND NATION IN RUSSIA

**Country**

United Kingdom - England

**Host Institution**

University of Manchester

**Program(s)**

University of Manchester

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

History European Studies

**UCEAP Course Number**

174

**UCEAP Course Suffix****UCEAP Official Title**

BETWEEN EAST AND WEST: CULTURE, EMPIRE AND NATION IN RUSSIA

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

CULTR&EMPIRE:RUSSIA

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

8.00

**UCEAP Semester Units**

5.30

### **Course Description**

This course focuses on the intersection of culture and national identity in Russian and Soviet history. Students examine Russia's relationship with its 'others' – East and West – and their role in the construction of Russia's discourses around culture and nationhood. Students also explore the role of empire in Russian and Soviet history, analyzing how Russian writers, artists, and intellectuals have questioned, endorsed or contested it. Through the analysis of literary and visual primary sources, the course provides students with a better understanding of Russia's conflicted identity and its consequences for the present day.

### **Language(s) of Instruction**

English

### **Host Institution Course Number**

RUSS20842

### **Host Institution Course Title**

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### **Host Institution Campus**

### **Host Institution Faculty**

### **Host Institution Degree**

### **Host Institution Department**

Russian Studies

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