

## COURSE DETAIL

### DISPLAYING PHOTOGRAPHY IN CULTURAL & CREATIVE INDUSTRIES

**Country**

Italy

**Host Institution**

University of Bologna

**Program(s)**

University of Bologna

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Art Studio

**UCEAP Course Number**

177

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

DISPLAYING PHOTOGRAPHY IN CULTURAL & CREATIVE INDUSTRIES

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

PHOTO CREATV INDSTR

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

6.00

**UCEAP Semester Units**

4.00

## Course Description

This course is part of the Laurea Magistrale degree program and is intended for advanced level students. Enrolment is by permission of the instructor. The course analyzes the development of the photographic language, from its origins in the 19th century to recent experiences, focusing on artistic practices and those of the cultural and creative industries. Special attention is paid to exhibitions, both public and private, and their capacity to help the photographic language change its meanings and identities. Following a theoretical and historical approach, classes explore artistic poetics, creative ideas, and curatorial choices from an aesthetic point of view, reading photography as a social, political, and communicative issue. Several historical exhibitions are analyzed as case histories of the development of curatorial language and photographic display.

Students acquire the fundamental historical and theoretical knowledge that puts photography at the heart of artistic practices and of the cultural and creative industry. In particular, they develop methodological tools and interpretative skills useful to recognize the styles and poetics of the photographic display. They are also able to analyze and comment on display types with critical awareness.

### Language(s) of Instruction

English

### Host Institution Course Number

B5357

### Host Institution Course Title

DISPLAYING PHOTOGRAPHY IN CULTURAL & CREATIVE INDUSTRIES

### Host Institution Campus

BOLOGNA

### Host Institution Faculty

### Host Institution Degree

LM in VISUAL ARTS

**Host Institution Department**  
MANAGEMENT

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