

# COURSE DETAIL

## CONTEMPORARY KOREAN HISTORY

**Country**

Japan

**Host Institution**

Waseda University

**Program(s)**

Waseda University

**UCEAP Course Level**

Lower Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

History Asian Studies

**UCEAP Course Number**

55

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

CONTEMPORARY KOREAN HISTORY

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

CONTEMP KOREAN HIST

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

3.00

**UCEAP Semester Units**

2.00

## **Course Description**

This course explores contemporary Korean history at the introductory level. After its liberation from Japan in 1945, Korea sought to build a new modern state, but suffered from division and the Korean War. North and South Korea were at odds with each other even as they sought reunification, and South Korea sought economic growth and modernization but struggled with democratization. This course analyzes the historical development of a post-colonial underdeveloped country that made South Korea what it is today.

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

English

### **Host Institution Course Number**

ARSD100L

### **Host Institution Course Title**

APM-INTRODUCTION TO CONTEMPORARY HISTORY OF THE TWO KOREAS

### **Host Institution Course Details**

<https://www.wsl.waseda.jp/syllabus/JAA104.php?pKey=210CU22800012025210CU2280021...>

### **Host Institution Campus**

Waseda University

### **Host Institution Faculty**

### **Host Institution Degree**

### **Host Institution Department**

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### **Course Last Reviewed**

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