COURSE DETAIL

2.00

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**

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

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