

# COURSE DETAIL

## DECENTERING THE WEST: METHOD, SCOPE, AND CHALLENGES

**Country**

Germany

**Host Institution**

Humboldt University Berlin

**Program(s)**

Humboldt University Berlin

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Art History

**UCEAP Course Number**

115

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

DECENTERING THE WEST: METHOD, SCOPE, AND CHALLENGES

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

DECENTRING THE WEST

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

4.50

**UCEAP Semester Units**

3.00

## Course Description

This course critically examines key conceptual frameworks such as decolonization, postcolonialism and anti-colonialism - particularly in relation to art, museums and heritage. Emphasis is placed on challenging Western systems of knowledge and exploring alternative perspectives on seeing, curating and narrating. The course includes guest lectures from scholars and practitioners as well as field visits to museums and exhibitions.

## Language(s) of Instruction

English

## Host Institution Course Number

533640

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## Host Institution Campus

## Host Institution Faculty

## Host Institution Degree

## Host Institution Department

Institut für Kunst- und Bildgeschichte

## Course Last Reviewed

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