COURSE DETAIL

MATHEMATICS IN CIVILIZATION

Country
Korea, South

Host Institution
Seoul National University

Program(s)
Seoul National University

UCEAP Course Level
Lower Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)
Mathematics

UCEAP Course Number
27

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title
MATHEMATICS IN CIVILIZATION

UCEAP Transcript Title
MATHEMATICS IN CVLZ

UCEAP Quarter Units
4.50

UCEAP Semester Units
3.00

Course Description

This course explores the development of mathematics in relation to trends and philosophies that have changed over time and that have affected the conceptualization of mathematics. Mathematics and culture frequently meet at the crossroads of evolution of human intelligence. Mathematics had a huge impact on the development of civilization; conversely, mathematics has been influenced by the development of civilization. Topics discussed in this course include axioms for geometry by Euclid, calculus by Newton and Leibniz, concepts of computation by Turing and von Neumann, art and mathematics, society and mathematics, science/technology and mathematics, and Oriental/European culture and mathematics.

Language(s) of Instruction
Korean

Host Institution Course Number
E11.120 001

Host Institution Course Title
MATHEMATICS IN CIVILIZATION

Host Institution Course Details
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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

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