

# COURSE DETAIL

## GENDER AND SEXUALITY IN SOUTHEAST ASIA

**Country**

Thailand

**Host Institution**

Thammasat University

**Program(s)**

Thammasat University

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Women's & Gender Studies South & SE Asian Studies

**UCEAP Course Number**

102

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

GENDER AND SEXUALITY IN SOUTHEAST ASIA

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

GENDER IN SE ASIA

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

5.00

**UCEAP Semester Units**

3.30

## **Course Description**

This course explains the various foundations of gender, sex and sexuality issues in contemporary Southeast Asia. The course covers key concepts such as social construction of gender and sexuality, gender socialization, performance theory, the varieties of sexual identities and relationships, embodiment, mothering (childbearing-rearing) and families in contemporary Southeast Asia. In this regard, some general themes are addressed: contemporary and historical definitions of gender, sex, and sexuality under patriarchy; the wide range of ways the meaning and values are attached to these categories, the relation of gender, sexuality and power and how this relation leads to the issues of Orientalism; sexualities in Southeast Asia; feminization of labor migrants; transnational marriage migration; gender, sexuality, imperialism and nationalism; gendered violence; and activism around gender and sexuality. Through the transnational perspective and the lens of intersectionality, topics are situated at the intersection of what are often viewed as the variety ways in which gender, sexuality, race and class both inform and constitute one another. Finally, agency, resistance, activism, and social change are key themes,

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

English

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SE 418,SE 446

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## **Host Institution Campus**

## **Host Institution Faculty**

## **Host Institution Degree**

**Host Institution Department**

Southeast Asian Studies

**Course Last Reviewed**

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