

COURSE DETAIL

CULTURE AND CRIMINAL JUSTICE

Country

United Kingdom - England

Host Institution

University of London, Queen Mary

Program(s)

Summer at Queen Mary London

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Sociology Legal Studies

UCEAP Course Number

118

UCEAP Course Suffix

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UCEAP Official Title

CULTURE AND CRIMINAL JUSTICE

UCEAP Transcript Title

CULT&CRIM JUSTICE

UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

This course sits at the forefront of cultural criminology and legal humanities, offering students a deep exploration of the relationship between culture and criminal justice. It engages students in critical discussions on how culture shapes, and is shaped by, law covering topics such as art theft, cultural looting, AI and technology, performance in trials, and the role of technology in legal processes. The first half of the class examines criminal justice through the lens of art and culture, exploring literature, theatre, and art that engage with justice themes, and developing analytical skills through performance analysis and creative writing. The second half reverses the perspective, analyzing art through a criminal justice lens by considering issues such as censorship, policing culture, and the legal frameworks that regulate art and cultural expression. The class fosters cross-disciplinary thinking and equips students with new methods of critical analysis for criminology, law, and justice studies.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

SUM5013

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Host Institution Course Details

<https://www.qmul.ac.uk/summer-school/what-can-i-study/modules/culture-and-crimi...>

Host Institution Campus

University of Queen Mary

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Course Last Reviewed

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