

COURSE DETAIL

HISTORY OF ASIAN ART

Country

Korea, South

Host Institution

Seoul National University

Program(s)

Seoul National University

UCEAP Course Level

Lower Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Art History

UCEAP Course Number

47

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

HISTORY OF ASIAN ART

UCEAP Transcript Title

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UCEAP Quarter Units

4.50

UCEAP Semester Units

3.00

Course Description

This class provides an overview of Eastern art, examining the important achievements of traditional Chinese, Indian, and Japanese art. It examines the visual characteristics of ancient Eastern art, Buddhist art, painting, calligraphy, ceramics, and crafts, and aims to understand them within their historical and cultural contexts. Focusing on important themes highlighted in the history of art, it enhances understanding of the historical trends, representative works, stylistic characteristics, and traditional aesthetics of each artwork.

Topics include Ancient Chinese Art: Pottery and Bronze; Buddhist Art: India, Central Asia, China; Ceramics: The Art of Clay and Fire; The Age of Painting and Calligraphy: From Portrait to Landscape; Literary Painting; The Emperor and Art: Court Art; Diversity of Ming-Cheng Dynasty Painting; The Beginnings of Japanese Art and Buddhist Art in Japan; Japanese Painting.

Language(s) of Instruction

Korean

Host Institution Course Number

600.225A

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Host Institution Course Details

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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Course Last Reviewed

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