

COURSE DETAIL

JANE AUSTEN: LITERATURE AND LEGACY

Country

United Kingdom - England

Host Institution

Lady Margaret Hall, University of Oxford

Program(s)

Summer in Oxford, Lady Margaret Hall

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

English Comparative Literature

UCEAP Course Number

127

UCEAP Course Suffix

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UCEAP Official Title

JANE AUSTEN: LITERATURE AND LEGACY

UCEAP Transcript Title

LIT OF JANE AUSTEN

UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

This course focuses on the novels of Jane Austen, four published in her lifetime (Sense and Sensibility, Pride and Prejudice, Mansfield Park, Emma), two published posthumously (Persuasion, Northanger Abbey), and one unfinished fragment (Sanditon). It examines key themes in Austen's novels, such as the roles of family and femininity, of class, manners, status and authority, and teaches about Austen's pioneering and distinctive narrative techniques, including her use of free indirect discourse, epistolary narration, and natural dialogue. This course provides a thorough introduction to the life, works, and influence of Jane Austen, and is perfect for students seeking to develop their knowledge of this popular author and their skills of literary analysis.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

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Host Institution Course Details

<https://www.lmh.ox.ac.uk/jane-austen-literature-and-legacy>

Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Course Last Reviewed

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