



BRITISH CIVILISATION

Bachelor in Applied Foreign Languages
Faculty of Liberal Arts

Course information

Bachelor year 3 24 HOURS
Fall Semester 5 ECTS
Lectures (CM)
Professor: Robert Ivermee

Course description

In this course, we will explore key aspects of British civilisation, including politics, society, economics and culture. Emphasis is placed on questions of identity: What does it mean to be British today? Is there such a thing as British culture? These questions will be explored in relation to British history and contemporary society. We will consider the diversity of Britain today in relation to race, religion, class, gender and other characteristics. Britain's role as a colonial and postcolonial power is studied, alongside the complicated place of Europe in British thought and public life. The contemporary transformation of British civilisation into a global commodity is examined.