



# Interuniversity Course Caribbean Studies 2021

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## INTRODUCTION

The Caribbean has a turbulent, and often disconcerting history, a dynamic culture, and challenging economic and political futures. It is an extraordinarily multifaceted area with its many languages, population groups, and nations. It is also a region that has long and close connections with the Netherlands - Aruba, Curaçao, St. Maarten, the so-called BES- islands, and Suriname in particular. Past and present migration patterns continue to nurture intimate connections between Caribbean and Dutch societies.

In 2021 the KITLV/Royal Netherlands Institute of Southeast Asian and Caribbean Studies will organize a digital version of the Interuniversity Course Caribbean Studies. In this 35<sup>th</sup> edition of the course we will discuss history, politics, economics and socio-cultural issues. The lectures will touch upon ecology, colonialism, slave trade and slavery, indentured labour, small-holding and the post-plantation economy, migration and trans-nationalism, intellectual history, gender, kinship and sexuality, art, literature, music, decolonization, local politics, tourism, and international relations.

The course will be offered in English. Participation is open to students from all universities and to a limited number of interested non-students.

## PRACTICAL INFORMATION

### Information and registration

For all information and registration please contact:

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### Fees

The reduced registration fee for students is € 35.00, which includes access to Leiden University Library. For students currently enrolled in a Caribbean University, the course is free.

Participation of non-students is limited; the registration fee is € 125.00 and excludes participation in the discussion groups, which are for the benefit of students.

Please note that registration is complete only after submitting your registration form and the receipt of payment of your registration fee.

Registration is open until January 22, 2021 and is based on order of received payment.

### Venue and time

The Caribbean Studies course will take place during the period February 5<sup>st</sup> -April 30<sup>th</sup>, 2021. Classes are held on Friday afternoons from 2 p.m. to 4.30 p.m. CET (see schedule). Each lecture / discussion group will last an hour, with a fifteen-minute break in between.

**The classes will take place online, via Zoom.**

### Exams and ECTs

The course level is BA-2 with a total 10 ECTs. It is possible to earn more ECTs (max 2).

The written exam, consisting of essay questions, covers the lectures, required literature, and one of the prescribed novels.

The exam will be in the form of a written essay to be submitted mid-May (exact date TBA). Participants who chose not to take the exam may receive a certificate of participation, provided that they have attended all classes.

### Course coordinators

This course is coordinated by Rosemarijn Hoefte ([hofte@kitlv.nl](mailto:hofte@kitlv.nl)), Alana Osbourne ([alana.osbourne@ulb.ac.be](mailto:alana.osbourne@ulb.ac.be)) and Ellen Sitinjak ([sitinjak@kitlv.nl](mailto:sitinjak@kitlv.nl)).

### Education committee

The committee members are Prof. Dr. Michiel Baud (CEDLA/UvA), Prof. Dr. Rosemarijn Hoefte (KITLV/UvA), Prof. Dr. Rivke Jaffe (UvA), Prof. Dr. Gert Oostindie (KITLV/UL) and Dr. Alana Osbourne (KITLV).

## COURSE STRUCTURE AND LITERATURE

The course is divided into seven thematic blocs. Each bloc is taught over a two-week period and is comprised of a series of 3 lectures and 1 online discussion. Lecturers come from a variety of disciplinary backgrounds and broach a series of topics.

Each thematic bloc is accompanied by a set of required readings; by one or several questions for students to bear in mind while reading; and by one or several propositions. The readings are meant to complement the lectures and are **compulsory**. The questions and propositions serve to stimulate debate during the round table discussions, and do not necessarily represent the lecturers' views.

The required readings for the course are divided into 3 types:

1. For each roundtable discussion, students are expected to have read the related chapter of *Understanding the Contemporary Caribbean*, as well as the articles listed for that week in the course schedule. These are intended as preparation for classes. The articles are accessible online via the Leiden University Catalogue. Students should secure a copy of *Understanding the Contemporary Caribbean*. The book is available via the library or for sale online and in second hand book stores.

-Hillman, Richard S. & Thomas J. D'Agostino (eds.), *Understanding the Contemporary Caribbean*. Boulder [etc.]: Lynne Rienner Publishers; Kingston: Ian Randle, 2009

2. In addition to the chapters from *Understanding the Contemporary Caribbean* and the articles students are required to read for each thematic bloc, students are required to choose at least one novel from the following list:

-Alvarez, Julia, *In the Time of the Butterflies* (In Dutch: *In de tijd van de vlinders*)

-Danticat, Edwidge, *The Farming of Bones* (In Dutch: *Land voor de levenden*)

-Díaz, Junot, *The Brief Wondrous Life of Oscar Wao* (In Dutch: *Het korte maar wonderbare leven van Oscar Wao*)

3. In addition, students are required to read the following monograph:

-Hall, Stuart, *Familiar Stranger: A Life Between Two Islands* (Duke University Press, 2017)

## COURSE SCHEDULE

**Subject to minor modifications – dates and times to be confirmed**

### 1. Geographies - WEEKS 1 & 2

\* Lecture 1. Introduction to the course and to Zoom (Alana Osbourne)

\* Lecture 2. Decolonization and Independence (Wouter Veenendaal)

\* Lecture 3. Migration / Diaspora (Esther Captain)

\* Discussion

#### Preparation

- Hillman & D'Agostino, *Understanding the Contemporary Caribbean*, Chapter 2 A Geographic Preface

- Dodman, David. "A place or a people? Social and cultural geographies of the Anglophone Caribbean: Country report." *Social & Cultural Geography* 8.1 (2007): 143-150.

#### Question(s)

- Where is the Caribbean?

#### Proposition(s)

- The Caribbean cannot be located 'out' there, in opposition to 'here'. It troubles geographical frontiers.

### 2. Histories - WEEKS 3 & 4

\* Lecture 1. Systems of slavery (Damian Pargas)

\* Lecture 2. Resistance, Marronage and Abolition (Karwan Fatah-Black)

\* Lecture 3. Asian Diaspora and Indentured Labour (Rosemarijn Hoefte)

\* Discussion

#### Preparation

- Hillman & D'Agostino, *Understanding the Contemporary Caribbean*, Chapter 3 The Historical Context, to p.74

- Marisa J. Fuentes, *Dispossessed Lives: Enslaved Women, Violence, and the Archive*, University of Pennsylvania Press 2016. Chapter 3 "Venus": Abolition Discourse, Gendered Violence, and the Archive

#### Question(s)

- Slavery and indentured labour were horribly efficient economic systems. How are they linked to capitalism and the birth of modernity?

- What are unique traits of Caribbean history?

#### Proposition(s)

- The history of the Caribbean is the history of modernity; and it is tied with the making of contemporary Europe.

### 3. Identities - WEEKS 5 & 6

\* Lecture 1. Radical Thinkers (Alana Osbourne)

\* Lecture 2. Race and Ethnicity (Francio Guadeloupe)

\* Lecture 3. Sexual Citizenship (Julian Ison)

\* Discussion

Preparation

- Hillman & D'Agostino, *Understanding the Contemporary Caribbean*, Chapter 8 Ethnicity, Race, Class, and Nationality
- Hall, Stuart (2001) "Negotiating Caribbean Identities." In: Brian Meeks and Folke Lindahl (eds.), *New Caribbean thought: A reader*, pp. 24-39. Kingston: UWI Press.
- De Kom, Anton, and Arnold Pomerans. "From We Slaves of Suriname." *Callaloo* 21.3 (1998): 667-672.

Question(s)

- What is Caribbean identity?
- What common questions guide many Caribbean thinkers and authors?

Proposition(s)

- Thinking with and from the Caribbean troubles normative ideas of identity whether in relation to skin colour, roots, belonging or gender.

#### 4. Cultures - WEEKS 7 & 8 [18.03 and 25.03]

\* Lecture 1. Cultural Heritage (Valika Smeulders)

\* Lecture 2. Calypso and Creolization (Gregory Richardson)

\* Lecture 3. Caribbean Literature (Isabel Hoving)

\* Discussion 3

Preparation

- Hillman & D'Agostino, *Understanding the Contemporary Caribbean*, Chapter 11 Literature and Popular Culture
- Negrón-Muntaner, Frances, and Raquel Z. Rivera. "Reggaeton nation." *NACLA Report on the Americas* 40.6 (2007): 35-39.
- Hope, Donna P. "Passa passa: Interrogating cultural hybridities in Jamaican dancehall." *Small Axe* 10.3 (2006): 125-139.

Question(s)

- How to recognise Caribbean music?

Proposition(s)

- Caribbean culture has distinctive traits.

#### 5. Developments in Political Economies – WEEKS 09 & 10

\* Lecture 1. Emancipation and Transition (Michiel Baud)

\* Lecture 2. Caribbean Economy and Integration (Gert Oostindie)

\* Lecture 3. Americanization, Globalization and the Future of the Caribbean (Rosemarijn Hoefte)

\* Discussion 3 pm to 4.30 pm

Preparation

- Hillman & D'Agostino, *Understanding the Contemporary Caribbean*, Chapter 5 The Economies of the Caribbean
- Beckles, Hilary (1997) "Capitalism, slavery and Caribbean modernity." *Callaloo* 20(4): 777-789.
- Matthew Louis Bishop, *The Political Economy of Caribbean Development*, Chapter 6 Economic Development, Palgrave MacMillan 2013.

Question(s)

- What are the Caribbean's main economic resources and challenges?
- How is the Caribbean's contemporary economic situation tied to the history of the plantation economy?

Proposition(s)

- The only way forward for the Caribbean is tourism.

**6. Ecologies – WEEKS 11 & 12 [15.04 and 22.04]**

- \* Lecture 1. Political ecologies (Rivke Jaffe)
- \* Lecture 2. Environmental management and activism (Stacey McDonald)
- \* Lecture 3. Tourism (Alana Osbourne)
- \* Discussion

Preparation

- Hillman & D'Agostino, *Understanding the Contemporary Caribbean*, Chapter 7 The Environment and Ecology.
- Mika, Kasia 2019. *Disasters, Vulnerability and Narratives: Writing Haiti's Futures*, Routledge. Pp 3-16.
- Sheller, Mimi (2004) "Demobilizing and remobilizing Caribbean paradise." In: Mimi Sheller and John Urry (eds.), *Tourism Mobilities: Places to Play, Places in Play*. Routledge, pp. 25-33.

Question(s)

- How is the Caribbean's landscape and ecology represented in Western imaginings?

Proposition(s)

- The Caribbean is a paradise, a tropical gem. It remains untouched, unpolluted and eternal.

**EXAM – Written essay**



## FURTHER READING

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