

## Department of Languages, Literatures & Linguistics

### KOR 4800 3.0

## Power of Image: Visual Culture of North and South Korea

### Course Description

This course examines the visual cultural forms and practices of the two Koreas, the Republic of Korea and the Democratic People's Republic of Korea. Students will gain a deeper understanding of the two Korean societies, culture, and history by exploring diverse visual culture genres.

### Language of Instruction

English

### Prerequisite

None

### \*Course Format and Organization

This course is conducted in the blended format, in which some classes are conducted on campus in-person, while the remaining classes are held online. Students are expected to attend the in-person classes scheduled for lectures and other in-class activities. When the course is scheduled to be held online, they are required to submit assignments and participate in activities on the eClass website by the due dates. Each class will consist of group presentations on the readings with discussions, followed by lectures and in-class discussions.

### Course Evaluation

Assessment	Weight %
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Participation	10
Group Presentation	10
Weekly Responses	20 (10 sets x 2% each)
Take-home Exam Paper	30
Final Exam	30
	<b>100%</b>

### Required Course Materials

There is no required textbook for this course. Almost all course materials can be accessed via York University Library. It is the responsibility of the students to know how to assess the materials.

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\* The ratio of online and in-person meetings and evaluation criteria can be changed depending on the academic year and/or the instructor.