

## COURSE DETAIL

### INTRODUCTION TO THE ANCIENT WORLD

**Country**

Norway

**Host Institution**

University of Oslo

**Program(s)**

University of Oslo

**UCEAP Course Level**

Lower Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Classics

**UCEAP Course Number**

70

**UCEAP Course Suffix****UCEAP Official Title**

INTRODUCTION TO THE ANCIENT WORLD

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

INTRO ANCIENT WORLD

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

8.00

**UCEAP Semester Units**

5.30

## Course Description

The course provides an overview of Greek and Roman culture in the classical period. The emphasis is on history, literature, and mythology. The syllabus consists of both texts from antiquity in translation and modern literature on the subject. The course provides a professional basis for further study of antiquity, and at the same time addresses issues and problems around recent use of classical culture in Europe. The course discusses topics including important events, people, and developments in Greek and Roman history; recent interpretations and reuse of ancient culture; ancient literary genres and texts, and how these have been preserved; literary works through the reading of primary texts; important Greek and Roman myths and mythological figures; and antiquity as a historical period and its relevance in recent times.

## Language(s) of Instruction

English

## Host Institution Course Number

ANT1100

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## Host Institution Campus

## Host Institution Faculty

Humanities

## Host Institution Degree

## Host Institution Department

Philosophy, History of Art and Ideas, Greek and Latin

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