

COURSE DETAIL

ROME IN THE WORLD HISTORY OF UNIVERSAL EMPIRE

Country

Denmark

Host Institution

University of Copenhagen

Program(s)

University of Copenhagen

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

History

UCEAP Course Number

158

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

ROME IN THE WORLD HISTORY OF UNIVERSAL EMPIRE

UCEAP Transcript Title

ROME IN WORLD HIST

UCEAP Quarter Units

12.00

UCEAP Semester Units

8.00

Course Description

The Roman Empire has traditionally been studied in the perspective of European history, yet Europe is normally defined by the absence of a new overarching, universal empire. It is simply difficult to shoehorn Rome, a realm which bestrode three continents, into a European size. This course explores other comparative contexts for Rome, the imperial Titan. Rather than the oversized anomaly of European history, Rome fits into a world history of vast universal empires spanning across Eurasia from the Achaemenids to the Mughal and Qing dynasties. The course uses a comparative ancient history to view Rome and the Han dynasty empire, and embarks on a journey through history and across cultures.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

HHIK08741U

Host Institution Course Title

ROME IN THE WORLD HISTORY OF UNIVERSAL EMPIRE

Host Institution Campus

Humanities

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

SAXO-Institute - Archaeology, Ethnology, Greek & Latin, History

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