

# 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**

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**Host Institution Course Details****Host Institution Campus**

Humanities

**Host Institution Faculty****Host Institution Degree****Host Institution Department**

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

**Course Last Reviewed**

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