COURSE DETAIL

ISLAMIC FESTIVALS AND RITUALS IN EVERYDAY MUSLIM AFRICA

Country Germany

Host Institution Humboldt University Berlin

Program(s) Humboldt University Berlin

UCEAP Course Level Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s) Religious Studies Anthropology African Studies

UCEAP Course Number 114

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title ISLAMIC FESTIVALS AND RITUALS IN EVERYDAY MUSLIM AFRICA

UCEAP Transcript Title ISLAM RITUAL AFRICA

UCEAP Quarter Units 4.50

UCEAP Semester Units

3.00

Course Description

Aside from the joy that they offer us, festivals and communal rituals give meaning, rhythm, and identity in community life. This is especially visible in the case of religious communities. This seminar reviews this phenomenon by studying the case of Islamic festivals and rituals in Africa. It studies their historical evolution in the "longue durée" and their impact on the life of today's global modernity.

Language(s) of Instruction

German

Host Institution Course Number 53606

Host Institution Course Title ISLAMISCHE FESTE UND RITUALE IM ALLTAG DER MUSLIME IN AFRIKA

Host Institution Campus KULTUR-, SOZIAL- UND BILDUNGSWISSENSCHAFTLICHE FAKULTÄT

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