

## COURSE DETAIL

### ISLAMIC FEMINISM: CHALLENGES, CONTESTATION, AND DECOLONIALITY

**Country**

Germany

**Host Institution**

Humboldt University Berlin

**Program(s)**

Humboldt University Berlin

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Women's & Gender Studies Religious Studies

**UCEAP Course Number**

127

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

Islamic feminism: challenges, contestation, and decoloniality

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

ISLAMIC FEMINISM

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

4.50

**UCEAP Semester Units**

3.00

### **Course Description**

Islamic feminism is a field of study that has been marginalized in both contemporary Islamic and feminist discourses. This course counters this marginalization by exploring the diverse theoretical frameworks and methodologies used in Islamic feminist scholarship. It takes an intersectional perspective to examine the different strategies that Islamic feminists have developed to challenge multiple constellations of power, such as sexism, patriarchy, and (feminist) neo-Orientalism. The course aims for the decolonization of knowledge on Islam, gender, and feminism. This is achieved by the inclusion of life experiences and knowledge production from different regions in and outside the "Muslim World."

### **Language(s) of Instruction**

English

### **Host Institution Course Number**

9610080

### **Host Institution Course Title**

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### **Host Institution Campus**

### **Host Institution Faculty**

### **Host Institution Degree**

### **Host Institution Department**

Zentralinstitut Berliner Institut für Islamische Theologie (BIT)

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