

# COURSE DETAIL

## ANCIENT HISTORY 2A: PAST AND PRESENT IN THE ANCIENT WORLD

**Country**

United Kingdom - Scotland

**Host Institution**

University of Edinburgh

**Program(s)**

University of Edinburgh

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

History Classics

**UCEAP Course Number**

128

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

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**UCEAP Transcript Title**

ANCIENT HISTORY 2A

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

8.00

**UCEAP Semester Units**

5.30

## Course Description

The course is an introduction to the study of ancient historiography, itself a crucial element of the study of history, past and present. I.e. the course encourages students to analyse a good number of ancient historians and histories, especially the key figures and key texts in the development of the practice we call history, including Herodotus, Thucydides, Xenophon, Polybius, Livy, Cassius Dio, Tacitus, Ammianus Marcellinus, and others. The selection of authors to be studied in any one year depends on the research expertise of staff teaching the course so as to allow maximum scope for cutting-edge teaching based on new research undertaken by staff at Edinburgh.

### Language(s) of Instruction

English

### Host Institution Course Number

ANHI08014

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<http://www.drps.ed.ac.uk/22-23/dpt/cxanhi08014.htm>

### Host Institution Campus

University of Edinburgh

### Host Institution Faculty

### Host Institution Degree

### Host Institution Department

School of History, Classics and Archaeology

### Course Last Reviewed

2022-2023

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