

# COURSE DETAIL

## REVOLUTIONS, SOCIALISM, AND ISLAMISM IN NORTH AFRICA: ALGERIA BEYOND THE WAR (1962-PRESENT)

**Country**

France

**Host Institution**

Institut d'Etudes Politiques (Sciences Po)

**Program(s)**

Sciences Po Paris

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Political Science History

**UCEAP Course Number**

181

**UCEAP Course Suffix**

F

**UCEAP Official Title**

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**UCEAP Transcript Title**

NRTH AFRCA REVOLUTN

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

4.50

**UCEAP Semester Units**

3.00

**Course Description**

During the Arab springs, Algeria gave the impression of remaining impervious to regional dynamics. Algerians however claimed they recognized in the Tunisian and Egyptian revolts, democratization, rise of Islamism, and later threat of the return of dictatorship, their own experiences. An outlier to current events in the Maghreb, and perhaps a precursor, Algeria is an excellent case study for students to acquire a deeper historical understanding of the region. Based on texts, images, and film sources, and with constant comparison to other Maghribi countries, this course begins with the enthusiasm of independence in 1962, Third Worldism, and socialist utopia, and then moves on to the collapse of the Eastern Bloc, the rise of Djihadi Islam, and the first of its kind civil war between the army and the armed Islamists in the 1990, and its aftermath.

**Language(s) of Instruction**

English

**Host Institution Course Number**

DHIS 2075A

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

English Elective

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

History

## Course Last Reviewed

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