

COURSE DETAIL

SEEING SPACE: WALKING CONTEMPORARY JERUSALEM, SEEING WITH MULTIPLE LENSES

Country

Israel

Host Institution

The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Program(s)

Hebrew University of Jerusalem

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Urban Studies Near East Studies Geography

UCEAP Course Number

114

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

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UCEAP Transcript Title

SEEING SPACE

UCEAP Quarter Units

4.50

UCEAP Semester Units

3.00

Course Description

This reading, field-trip, and discussion course exposes a range of contemporary geographic narratives, and then works to apply the narratives while exploring daily life in Jerusalem with and for diverse populations. The course examines a series of readings introducing frameworks including the ordinary city; the global, world and capital city; the Zionist city; and the city as shaped by history and religion. The course also weaves a set of four field trips in Jerusalem, three guided and one self-guided. It provides a platform for informed, critical, and multi-perspective discussion about contemporary spatial practices in Jerusalem. The course also encourages challenging values and perspectives while exploring the impact of ideology on the built environment and on the range of Jerusalemites.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

40256

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