COURSE DETAIL

THE HISTORY OF EARLY ISLAMIC SOCIETIES (600-1800)
Country Taiwan
Host Institution National Taiwan University
Program(s) National Taiwan University
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) History
UCEAP Course Number 112
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title THE HISTORY OF EARLY ISLAMIC SOCIETIES (600-1800)
UCEAP Transcript Title ISLAMIC HISTORY
UCEAP Quarter Units 4.50
UCEAP Semester Units 3.00

Course Description

This course begins c. 600 C.E. when Arab Muslims emerged to establish a new religion and empire at the intersection of Christian, Jewish, and Zoroastrian faiths, and the Roman and Sasanian Empires in the Middle East. Over the semester, the course studies the construction of Muslim empires, the dynamics of life in Islamic societies during the classical and medieval periods, the fragmentation of Islamic civilization in the 1000s, and the constitution of new empires in the early modern period. This course ends in the late-1700s when a new era of Christian European power permanently changed the Islamic world. Assessment: Attendance (5%), exam on geography (5%), exam on historical terms (15%), exam on reading passages (25%), two short essays (20%) participation in class discussions (15%), final essay (25%).

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
Hist2210

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Host Institution Course Details

Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department
History

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