

COURSE DETAIL

THE ARCHAEOLOGY OF INTERACTION AND EXCHANGE IN THE ANCIENT MEDITERRANEAN

Country

Italy

Host Institution

UC Center, Castellammare di Stabia

Program(s)

Crossroads of Culture in the Mediterranean

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

History Classics Archaeology

UCEAP Course Number

110

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

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UCEAP Transcript Title

ARCH IN MEDITERRANN

UCEAP Quarter Units

4.50

UCEAP Semester Units

3.00

Course Description

This course explores the time when the “Peoples of the Sea” roamed the southern Italian coasts, to the epic era in which Rome and Carthage fought for control over the Mediterranean basin, all the way to the period when Rome lost control of the Mediterranean at the end of Antiquity. One key component of the course consists in a number of fieldtrips to the most famous archeological sites around Naples, including Ischia, Paestum, and Pompeii. The fieldtrips are organized in temporal sequence, and so are the readings and seminar discussion, so as to arrange the course roughly in historical progression from ancient times to late antiquity. The focuses intensively on certain periods and themes, oscillating from the local to the Mediterranean at large, and from the particular to the general. In-class meetings consist of lectures and seminar discussions focusing on the history of Mediterranean life, culture, and politics in a certain historical period; fieldtrips focus more specifically on local history in that period.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

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