

COURSE DETAIL

ISRAEL AND PALESTINE

Country

United Kingdom - England

Host Institution

University College London

Program(s)

University College London

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Political Science History

UCEAP Course Number

118

UCEAP Course Suffix

N

UCEAP Official Title

ISRAEL AND PALESTINE

UCEAP Transcript Title

ISRAEL & PALESTINE

UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

This course examines the history of Palestine and Israel from the 19th century until the present. Rather than studying Israeli and Palestinian history in isolation, the course explores the relationship between the two national groups and the emergence of the Israeli state alongside the prolonged statelessness of Palestinians. Some of the topics include: contrasting narratives of Palestinian and Israeli history, the constituents of identity in late Ottoman Palestine and the formation of Palestinian and Israeli nationalism, Hebrew culture and the Arab encounter with Zionism, the impact of the Mandate period, the Arab revolt of 1936-39, the 1948 War and the birth of the Palestinian refugee problem, the political disappearance of the Palestinian question in Israel's early decades, the rebuilding of Palestinian identity and institutions, and the fate of the two state solution.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

HEBR0102

Host Institution Course Title

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Host Institution Campus

University College London

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Hebrew and Jewish Studies

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