COURSE DETAIL

INTRODUCTION TO THE ANTHROPOLOGY OF ISLAM AND THE MIDDLE EAST
Country Denmark
Host Institution University of Copenhagen
Program(s) University of Copenhagen
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Near East Studies Anthropology
UCEAP Course Number 106
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title INTRODUCTION TO THE ANTHROPOLOGY OF ISLAM AND THE MIDDLE EAST
UCEAP Transcript Title ANTHRO/ISLAM&MID E
UCEAP Quarter Units 6.00
UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

This course provides a broad-based introduction to the core themes and ideas of the anthropology of the Middle East, and by extension of the Anthropology of Islam. It begins by exploring the reasons behind the relatively late emergence of the Middle East as an area of study, before moving on to consider such topics as Orientalism, gender, rural versus urban anthropology, the role of religion (traditional and modern), and the forging of a regional subjectivity (as witnessed in the ongoing uprisings throughout the Middle East, the so-called “Arab Spring”). The course stands alone as a regional module, as well as offers an overview of the issues for continued study of the Middle East.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty
Faculty of Social Sciences

Host Institution Degree
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Host Institution Department
Department of Anthropology

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