

COURSE DETAIL

THE HISTORY OF DISEASE AND DISASTER IN THE MIDDLE EAST

Country

Ireland

Host Institution

Trinity College Dublin

Program(s)

Trinity College Dublin

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Near East Studies

UCEAP Course Number

116

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

THE HISTORY OF DISEASE AND DISASTER IN THE MIDDLE EAST

UCEAP Transcript Title

DISEASE/MIDDLE EAST

UCEAP Quarter Units

8.00

UCEAP Semester Units

5.30

Course Description

This course examines the impacts of disease and disaster on individuals and societies in the Middle East from Medieval times to the 20th century. It uses primary and secondary sources to analyze how the Middle East conceptualized disease and crises, and how they dealt with their effects when they struck. This course trains students in the interpretation of Mesopotamian (Babylonian, Assyrian, and Sumerian) literature in translation. It equips them with both questions and methods, and pays detailed attention to the examination of primary sources.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

NMU34022

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Host Institution Campus

Trinity College Dublin

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Near and Middle Eastern department

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