

## 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

## Host Institution Course Title

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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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