COURSE DETAIL

THE POLITICS OF JERUSALEM

Country

Israel

Host Institution The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Program(s) Hebrew University of Jerusalem

UCEAP Course Level Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s) Political Science Near East Studies

UCEAP Course Number 115

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title THE POLITICS OF JERUSALEM

UCEAP Transcript Title POL OF JERUSALEM

UCEAP Quarter Units 4.50

UCEAP Semester Units 3.00

Course Description

This course engages critical and creative discussions about the various aspects of Jerusalem as a rallying point for the contesting groups in the Middle East. Topics include competing narratives; the clash of ethos; city boundaries and territory; demographic and social challenges; citizenship rights; the national and religious character of the city; Islam and nationalism in the local, regional, and international realms; the Temple Mount/Al-Agsa controversy and the future of the Old City and the Holy Basin; Arab neighborhoods and the security barrier; and the struggle for sovereignty and negotiating the Jerusalem issue in the peace process. The course provides an opportunity to conduct a simulation of negotiating the future of Jerusalem within the framework of the Israeli-Palestinian conflict.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number SPGE201.48882

Host Institution Course Title THE POLITICS OF JERUSALEM

Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Rothberg International School

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