

COURSE DETAIL

TOMB AND TEMPLE: RELIGION AND THE AFTERLIFE IN ANCIENT EGYPT

Country

United Kingdom - England

Host Institution

University of Manchester

Program(s)

University of Manchester

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Religious Studies Archaeology

UCEAP Course Number

120

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

TOMB AND TEMPLE: RELIGION AND THE AFTERLIFE IN ANCIENT EGYPT

UCEAP Transcript Title

RELIG/ANCIENT EGYPT

UCEAP Quarter Units

8.00

UCEAP Semester Units

5.30

Course Description

This course investigates the development of the Egyptian understanding of the Afterlife and the Gods. It discusses the role of the temple both as a religious and economic institution, and the creating of an industry based around the creation of funerary objects and tombs. It covers topics such as mummification, the development of private tomb architecture, the role of the Offering Cult and focus on sites of particular significance such as Abydos. The course as a whole provides the students with a comprehensive overview of how the Egyptians – both elite and non-elite – interacted with their Gods, understood their mythology and prepared themselves for Eternity.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

CAHE10702

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Host Institution Campus

University of Manchester

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Classics, Ancient History, Archaeology and Egyptology

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