

# COURSE DETAIL

## MEDIEVAL WORLDS: A JOURNEY THROUGH THE MIDDLE AGES

**Country**

United Kingdom - Scotland

**Host Institution**

University of Edinburgh

**Program(s)**

University of Edinburgh

**UCEAP Course Level**

Lower Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

History

**UCEAP Course Number**

41

**UCEAP Course Suffix****UCEAP Official Title**

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**UCEAP Transcript Title**

MEDIEVAL WORLDS

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

8.00

**UCEAP Semester Units**

5.30

## **Course Description**

This introductory course takes students on a journey, primarily through the central Middle Ages (c. 800 to c. 1300), seeking to capture key aspects of this age of transformation. The course follows the development of the increasingly global connections which opened up during the medieval period. It begins with Britain and its own medieval heritage, before moving on to explore its links with the powerful empires and faiths of the continent. After examining Rome and its legacy, the course follows Europeans eastwards across the Mediterranean and beyond in their search of new opportunities. Students enrolled in this course not only encounter some of the key figures and writings of the era, including translations of texts written by medieval people themselves, but also challenge traditional assumptions about the period that stand between antiquity and modernity.

## **Language(s) of Instruction**

English

## **Host Institution Course Number**

HIST08035

## **Host Institution Course Title**

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## **Host Institution Course Details**

<http://www.drps.ed.ac.uk/23-24/dpt/cxhist08035.htm>

## **Host Institution Campus**

Edinburgh

## **Host Institution Faculty**

School of History, Classics and Archaeology

## **Host Institution Degree**

## **Host Institution Department**

History

## **Course Last Reviewed**

2023-2024

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