COURSE DETAIL

INTRODUCTION TO THE STUDY OF ISLAM

Country

Egypt

Host Institution

American University in Cairo

Program(s)

The American University in Cairo

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Religious Studies

UCEAP Course Number

115

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title

INTRODUCTION TO THE STUDY OF ISLAM

UCEAP Transcript Title

INTRO TO ISLAM

UCEAP Quarter Units

4.50

UCEAP Semester Units

3.00

Course Description

This course provides a survey of Islam and its history from the formative period to its manifestations in modern times. It discusses sectarian movements such as Kharijism, Shi'ism and Sunnism; various schools of thought in law, theology, philosophy, and mysticism; as well as modern interpretations of Islam, especially with regard to political, social, and gender issues.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

ARIC 3435

Host Institution Course Title

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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Humanities and Social Sciences

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Arab and Islamic Civilizations

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