

## COURSE DETAIL

### HISTORY OF ANCIENT EGYPT I: PRE-DYNASTIC THROUGH MIDDLE KINGDOM EGYPT

**Country**

Egypt

**Host Institution**

American University in Cairo

**Program(s)**

The American University in Cairo

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

History Anthropology

**UCEAP Course Number**

122

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

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**UCEAP Transcript Title**

HIST/ANCIENT EGYPT

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

4.50

**UCEAP Semester Units**

3.00

**Course Description**

This course covers the history of Egypt from the Predynastic period to the Middle Kingdom. The course focuses on the "official" history of Egypt rather than the cultural/social history which is covered in a separate course. The scope of "official" history includes: the rise of the Egyptian state, the different rulers of Egypt and their contributions to the state in terms of buildings, religious changes and foreign policy, the economy, social organization, and Egypt's foreign relations. Literary sources are augmented by archaeological evidence. Field trips to archaeological sites in the Cairo area are an obligatory aspect of the course.

**Language(s) of Instruction**

English

**Host Institution Course Number**

EGPT 3211

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**Host Institution Campus****Host Institution Faculty**

Humanities and Social Sciences

**Host Institution Degree****Host Institution Department**

Sociology, Egyptology and Anthropology

**Course Last Reviewed**

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