

## COURSE DETAIL

### DIRECTED INDEPENDENT RESEARCH

**Country**

Jordan

**Host Institution**

CIEE, Amman

**Program(s)**

Middle East Studies, Amman

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Sociology Political Science

**UCEAP Course Number**

186

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

DIRECTED INDEPENDENT RESEARCH

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

DIRECTED RESEARCH

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

4.50

**UCEAP Semester Units**

3.00

## Course Description

Students complete a total of 100-120 hours of research and meet regularly with an advisor to complete an academically rigorous, ethically sound, and culturally appropriate research project and final research paper. The course provides an opportunity to conduct ethical research; analyze primary and secondary source materials; extrapolate relevant content; make contributions to current research; exchange ideas with professionals in prospective fields; develop a scholarly research paper with a defensible argument, supported by evidence and accurate citations; and suggest additional research to be conducted in prospective fields. The research project must be approved by the CIEE Center Director and the student's home school IRB committee. Assessment is based on a research paper that evidences the proposed project, including a literature review, an explanation of the methodology, and suggestions for future research. In addition, students present their findings in a presentation to a panel of academics for feedback and keep a well-documented journal of field notes and findings.

### Language(s) of Instruction

English

### Host Institution Course Number

INDR 4901 AMJO

### Host Institution Course Title

DIRECTED INDEPENDENT RESEARCH

### Host Institution Campus

CIEE Amman

### Host Institution Faculty

### Host Institution Degree

### Host Institution Department

Academic Projects

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