

## COURSE DETAIL

### INTRODUCTION TO THE MIDDLE EAST IN THE MODERN PERIOD

**Country**

Sweden

**Host Institution**

Lund University

**Program(s)**

Lund University

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Political Science History Ethnic Studies

**UCEAP Course Number**

128

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

INTRODUCTION TO THE MIDDLE EAST IN THE MODERN PERIOD

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

MID-EAST MODERN PER

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

6.00

**UCEAP Semester Units**

4.00

## Course Description

The development of the Middle East and North Africa region is examined from an historical perspective. The course begins by exploring the major social, political, and cultural issues, events, and ideas which have shaped the region, primarily from the end of World War 1 until the present day. Particular attention is paid to the legacy of colonialism and the process of state-building, various inter-state conflicts and their domestic and regional consequences, the persistence of authoritarianism as well democratization efforts more recently. The course concludes by examining the Middle East and North Africa in the 21st century, including its changing place in the global political arena. The course is organized according to key events, themes as well as case studies.

### Language(s) of Instruction

English

### Host Institution Course Number

SASH96

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### Host Institution Campus

Lund

### Host Institution Faculty

Humanities and Theology

### Host Institution Degree

### Host Institution Department

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