

## COURSE DETAIL

### THE CONQUERING HERO: THE LIFE, TIMES, AND LEGACY OF ALEXANDER THE GREAT

**Country**

United Kingdom - England

**Host Institution**

University of Manchester

**Program(s)**

University of Manchester

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Classics

**UCEAP Course Number**

132

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

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**UCEAP Transcript Title**

ALEXANDER THE GREAT

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

8.00

**UCEAP Semester Units**

5.30

**Course Description**

This course looks at the life and lasting legacy of Alexander the Great. It begins with Alexander's father Philip and the troubled relations he had with his son. From there it studies Alexander's rise to power in Macedon and his conquest of the Persian Empire; examining his army, strategy, and tactics - and those of his opponents. Students also look at what motivated Alexander throughout his short life and at the nature of the empire that he constructed.

**Language(s) of Instruction**

English

**Host Institution Course Number**

CAHE20041

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**Host Institution Course Details**

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**Host Institution Campus****Host Institution Faculty****Host Institution Degree****Host Institution Department**

Classics, Ancient History, Archaeology and Egyptology

**Course Last Reviewed**

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