

COURSE DETAIL

CINEMA IN EGYPT AND THE ARAB WORLD

Country

Egypt

Host Institution

American University in Cairo

Program(s)

The American University in Cairo

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Film & Media Studies

UCEAP Course Number

123

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

CINEMA IN EGYPT AND THE ARAB WORLD

UCEAP Transcript Title

CINEMA/EGYPT & ARAB

UCEAP Quarter Units

4.50

UCEAP Semester Units

3.00

Course Description

The course explores various aspects of cinema in Egypt and the Arab World in order to understand its history and determine the themes, styles, and character of this cinema which has been historically among the most influential in national world cinemas. It covers selected films by a number of auteurs from Egypt, Lebanon, and Palestine. Special attention is paid to form and style, as well as recurrent themes; for example, the civil war and Israeli invasions in the case of Lebanon, and the Israeli occupation in the case of Palestine. Additional topics include areas such as New Arab Cinemas, classical Egyptian cinema, the Arab film industry, and independent Arab cinema.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

FILM 3120

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Host Institution Course Details

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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Arts

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