

COURSE DETAIL

LATE ANCIENT ARCHAEOLOGY

Country

Italy

Host Institution

University of Bologna

Program(s)

University of Bologna

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Archaeology

UCEAP Course Number

184

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

LATE ANCIENT ARCHAEOLOGY

UCEAP Transcript Title

LATE ANCNT ARCHLGY

UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

This course focuses on the general themes of Late Antique Archaeology: Issues of definition and periodization; Architecture, urban planning, and sculpture; Settlement dynamics and funerary practices; Iconography and visual culture; Structures of production and issues of economic-commercial exchanges; Relationship between Christianity and other religions in the Late Antique period.

By the end of the course, students know the definition of Late Antiquity and the issues related to periodization in that historical period, have a basic knowledge of the material evidence and are able to recognize the importance of the relationship between objects and contexts; they can find their way around the scientific literature and, through critical reading of the archaeological records, begin to understand the significance of artefacts, buildings, and figurative documents, connecting them to cultural, social, political, and religious phenomena. They have learnt to listen, understand, and debate respectfully with different viewpoints, and spot tie-ups among different disciplines.

Language(s) of Instruction

Italian

Host Institution Course Number

75829,10702

Host Institution Course Title

LATE ANCIENT ARCHAEOLOGY

Host Institution Campus

BOLOGNA

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

LT in ANTHROPOLOGY, RELIGIONS, ORIENTAL CIVILIZATIONS

Host Institution Department

HISTORY

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