COURSE DETAIL

WAR AND THE STATE IN THE ERA OF THE MILITARY REVOLUTION (1550-1730)

Country
United Kingdom - Scotland

Host Institution
University of St Andrews

Program(s)
University of St Andrews

UCEAP Course Level
Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)
History

UCEAP Course Number
162

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title
WAR AND THE STATE IN THE ERA OF THE MILITARY REVOLUTION (1550-1730)

UCEAP Transcript Title
WAR/ERA 1550-1730

UCEAP Quarter Units
12.00

UCEAP Semester Units
8.00

Course Description

The early modern period saw considerable changes in the shape of warfare and in the nature of armed forces and the state, a process some historians have described as a military revolution. Yet the increasing pressures of war brought about considerable social, economic, and political breakdown, as rulers overburdened both their armed forces and their domestic subjects. This course examines how western European states organized and conducted war between the late 16th and the early 18th century, and consider what effects this had on political stability. The focus is not only on some of the great powers but also upon some minor states who punched above their weight on the international stage.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

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MO3038

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Host Institution Campus

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School of History

Host Institution Degree

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