COURSE DETAIL

INTRODUCTION TO MIDDLE EASTERN HISTORY

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
115

UCEAP Course Suffix
N

UCEAP Official Title
INTRODUCTION TO MIDDLE EASTERN HISTORY

UCEAP Transcript Title
INTRO MID EAST HIST

UCEAP Quarter Units
8.00

UCEAP Semester Units

5.30

Course Description
This course provides an introduction to Middle Eastern History from the dramatic reconfiguration of the Middle East in late Antiquity to its contested and contentious recent past. It explores political, social, and cultural life across the Middle East through the comparative treatment of several themes. These may include states and authority; social dislocation and transformation; belief and literary expression; identity; and cross-cultural engagement. The course also defines and explores key moments of transition, including the spread of Islam, Turkic irruptions, and European encounters. Collectively these have profoundly influenced the modern Middle East.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
MH2002

Host Institution Course Title
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Host Institution Course Details
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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty
School of History

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

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