

COURSE DETAIL

COLLOQUIAL JORDANIAN ARABIC, INTERMEDIATE I

Country

Jordan

Host Institution

CIEE, Amman

Program(s)

Middle East Studies, Amman

UCEAP Course Level

Lower Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Arabic

UCEAP Course Number

60

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

COLLOQUIAL JORDANIAN ARABIC, INTERMEDIATE I

UCEAP Transcript Title

JORDN ARAB INTMD 1

UCEAP Quarter Units

4.50

UCEAP Semester Units

3.00

Course Description

This course is designed for students to communicate effectively in the Jordanian dialect. The course introduces students to words, expressions, and structures used frequently in everyday life. It also introduces students to the Jordanian culture and how to communicate with locals. The course develops skills to distinguish the fundamental grammatical structure of colloquial Arabic from that of Modern Standard Arabic; express themselves on all aspects of daily life in colloquial dialect, and understand native speakers themselves on these same subjects; recognize different accents of Jordanian colloquial dialect; demonstrate appropriate cultural inferences. The course emphasizes a communication-based method of instruction. Students are expected to be active learners, coming to class prepared to activate vocabulary and grammar through group activities. Instead of lecturing, instructors primarily facilitate these communication-based activities and guide student learning.

Language(s) of Instruction

Arabic

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ARAB 2003 AMJO

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Host Institution Course Details

<https://www.ciee.org/go-abroad/college-study-abroad/programs/jordan/amman/middl...>

Host Institution Campus

CIEE Amman

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Course Last Reviewed

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