COURSE DETAIL

THE ARCHAEOLOGY AND HISTORY OF EGYPT: THE EARLY DYNASTIC UNTIL THE END OF THE MIDDLE KINGDOM (C. 3100-1650 BC)

Country
United Kingdom - Scotland

Host Institution
University of Edinburgh

Program(s)
University of Edinburgh

UCEAP Course Level
Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)
History Archaeology

UCEAP Course Number
168

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title
THE ARCHAEOLOGY AND HISTORY OF EGYPT: THE EARLY DYNASTIC UNTIL THE END OF THE MIDDLE KINGDOM (C. 3100-1650 BC)

UCEAP Transcript Title
EGYPT: 3100-1650 BC

UCEAP Quarter Units
8.00

UCEAP Semester Units
5.30

Course Description

This course introduces students to the study of the archaeology and history of ancient Egypt from the start of the 1st Dynasty at c. 3000 BC, and through the two Pyramid Ages of the Old and Middle Kingdoms, ending at c. 1650 BC. The course focuses on providing a basic solid grounding on the chronology, geography, society, and political organization of Egypt during this period. It furthermore looks to aspects of religion, daily life, and provide some insights into art and literature, particularly pertinent for the Middle Kingdom, the classic period of Egyptian literature.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
ARCA10088

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Host Institution Course Details
http://www.drps.ed.ac.uk/25-26/dpt/cxarca10088.htm

Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty
School of History, Classics and Archaeology

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

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