

COURSE DETAIL

STUDYING RELIGIONS

Country

United Kingdom - Scotland

Host Institution

University of Edinburgh

Program(s)

University of Edinburgh

UCEAP Course Level

Lower Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Religious Studies

UCEAP Course Number

17

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

STUDYING RELIGIONS

UCEAP Transcript Title

STUDYING RELIGIONS

UCEAP Quarter Units

8.00

UCEAP Semester Units

5.30

Course Description

This course invites students to rethink their preconceptions about studying the complex modern topic of religion by introducing them to key approaches and debates in Religious Studies, including historical, sociological, and anthropological approaches. It uses these to examine through a comparative and theoretically informed perspective empirical examples and case studies of how religion/s are articulated by diverse people in multiple settings. The course gives prominence to people's everyday ideas and practices about religion, while also indicating the broader disciplinary shape of the Study of Religion/s.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

DIVI08018

Host Institution Course Title

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Host Institution Course Details

<http://www.drps.ed.ac.uk/25-26/dpt/cxdivi08018.htm>

Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

School of Divinity

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Course Last Reviewed

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