

COURSE DETAIL

ISLAM: SOCIETY AND CULTURE IN SOUTH ASIA

Country

Singapore

Host Institution

National University of Singapore

Program(s)

National University of Singapore

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

South & SE Asian Studies Religious Studies

UCEAP Course Number

115

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

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UCEAP Transcript Title

ISLAM SOC/CULTURE

UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

This course introduces South Asian Islamic society, culture and religious thought, especially in Pakistan, Bangladesh and the Maldives, the three South Asian countries with a Muslim majority and where Islam forms an important cultural element. The focus of this course is the period from c. 1750-1950, during which important developments took place in South Asian Islam. The course outlines the role of Islam in pre-colonial society as well as the movements for religious and political reform of the nineteenth and twentieth centuries. Questions of language and literature are also addressed.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

SN2276

Host Institution Course Title

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Host Institution Course Details

<https://nusmods.com/courses/SN2276/islam-society-and-culture-in-south-asia>

Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

South Asian Studies

Course Last Reviewed

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