

COURSE DETAIL

ROMAN ART AND ARCHAEOLOGY

Country

United Kingdom - Scotland

Host Institution

University of Edinburgh

Program(s)

University of Edinburgh

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Classics Archaeology

UCEAP Course Number

122

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

ROMAN ART AND ARCHAEOLOGY

UCEAP Transcript Title

ROMAN ART&ARCHEOLGY

UCEAP Quarter Units

8.00

UCEAP Semester Units

5.30

Course Description

This course focuses on the material culture of the Roman world from the early history of Rome through to the early Christian period (c. 8th century BC - 4th century AD). The lectures examine different strands of the art and archaeology of this period, exploring what these reveal about contemporary society and culture, urban and rural life, religious practices, death and burial, visual display, domestic life, the negotiation of status and power, warfare, and interactions between groups within and beyond the Roman empire. Emphasis is placed on considering the potential and limitations of the archaeological record and its role in elucidating patterns of change and heterogeneity across time and space, from the city of Rome to the most distant reaches of Roman influence.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

CACA08011

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Host Institution Course Details

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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

School of History, Classics and Archaeology

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Course Last Reviewed

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