MIDDLE EAST STUDIES

COURSE OFFERINGS

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AUTUMN QUARTER 2000

UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON
HENRY M. JACKSON
SCHOOL OF INTERNATIONAL STUDIES
MIDDLE EAST STUDIES

ISLAMIC CIVILIZATION (5 credits)
Instructor:
T Th: 1:30-3:20, PAR 108
SISME 210/SLN: 7463
OFFERED JOINTLY WITH NEAR E 210 A/SLN: 6022
Introduction to Islamic Civilization. Major developments in Islamic civilization from advent of Islam in seventh century to present. Islamic history, law, theology, and mysticism, as well as the politics, cultures, and literatures of the various Islamic societies. Offered: jointly with NEAR E 210.

SEM MIDDLE EAST STUDIES (2 credits/no credit))
Professor: R. Kasaba
To be Arranged: EC THO 111
SISME 530 A/SLN: 7466
Reading Seminar on Middle East Studies Middle Eastern historiography, Islamic law, Islamic theology, relations between the Middle East and the world economy, political structures, social movements in the Middle East. mCredit/no credit only.

UNDERGRAD RESEARCH (credit/no credit)
INSTRUCTOR I.D. THO 111
TO BE ARRANGED
SISME 499 A/SLN: 7464
SISME 499 B/SLN: 7465

INDEPENDENT STUDY (var credit)
INSTRUCTOR I.D. THO 111
TO BE ARRANGED
SISME 600/SLN: 7467

MASTERS THESIS (var credit)
INSTRUCTOR I.D. THO 111
TO BE ARRANGED
SISME 700/SLN: 3468

ART HISTORY

EARLY MED & BYZANTINE (5 Credits)
PROFESSOR: A. Kartsounis
MWF: 11:00-12:20, ART 317
ART H 351 A/SLN: 1474
Christian art and architecture of the Roman and Byzantine empires and of western Europe through the eighth century.
The class will explore the changing artistic traditions of the Early Christian and Byzantine periods from the reign of Constantine the Great (312) to the fall of Constantinople (1453). Emphasis will be placed on the historical, social, political, and religious factors that determined the visual and artistic expression of the sophisticated civilization of Byzantium.

COMPARATIVE RELIGION

INTRO JUDAISM (5 credits)
PROFESSOR: M. Jaffee
MTWThF: 1130-1220, THO 125
RELIG 210 A/SLN: 7317
Basic ideas and motifs of Judaism: God, Covenant, Law, Life Cycle (birth, marriage, family life, sexual laws, role of women, death); Cycle of the Year (Sabbath, holidays, festivals); Holy Land, prayer; Messianism.
This is a general introduction to the various historical cultures that constitute "Judaism." Issues include: the formation and interpretation of sacred Judaic texts; patterns of theological and legal thought; forms of ritual life; ethical ideals; political culture. Most units of the course explicitly compare ancient, medieval, and modern (secular) forms of Judaic culture. (This is a lecture course.)

INTRO NEW TESTAMENT (5 credits)
PROFESSOR: M. Williams
MTWTh: 10:30-11:20, MUS 126
Th: 2:30-3:20, THO 325
RELIG 220 AA/SLN: 7318
Other Sessions available
Modern scholarly methods of research and analysis in dealing with New Testament books and their interpretation. Genres of various books (gospel, epistle, sacred history, apocalypse); problems of the relationships among author, material, and intended audience; relationships between theme and image.
The students will be introduced to modern critical study of the New Testament (=NT). Though now often spoken of in the singular, as a unified document, the NT is actually a collection of what were originally individual writings composed by various early Christians over a period of many years. What is now a standardized collection took shape over several generations. This course is concerned with understanding the NT writings in their original historical settings. Students learn some of the possible circumstances and purposes for the composition of individual writings; what can be known about the authors; key themes found in various writings, and the background for these; interrelationships among NT writings, and their significance; and in general, the relation between these writings and what can be known about the social history and culture of earliest Christian movements.

HISTORY

THE BYZANTINE EMPIRE (5 credits)
INSTRUCTOR: TBA
MWTTh: 1:30-2:50
HSTAM 421 A/SLN: 4446
Political, social, economic, and cultural history of the eastern Roman Empire from the fourth to fifteenth centuries.
JEWS EASTERN EUROPE (5 credits)
INSTRUCTOR: S. Stein
MTTh: 10:30-11:50, MGH 295
HSTEU 465 A/SLN: 4475
Offered: jointly with SISJE 465 A/SLN: 4475
Jewish society in Poland, Russia, the Hapsburg Lands, and Romania from the late Middle Ages to the Holocaust.

JEWISH STUDIES

JEWS EASTERN EUR (5 credits)
INSTRUCTOR: S. Stein
MTTh: 10:30-11:50, MGH 295
SISJE 465 A/SLN: 7457
Offered: jointly with HSTEU 465 A/4475
Jewish society in Poland, Russia, the Hapsburg Lands, and Romania from the late Middle Ages to the Holocaust.

INTERNATIONAL STUDIES

STATES & CAPITALISM (5 credits)
PROFESSOR: R Kasaba
MTThF: 11:30-12:20, KNE 220
W: 8:30-9:20, THO 202
SIS 200 AA/SLN: 7395
Other sessions available
States and Capitalism: The Origins of the Modern Global System
Origins of the modern world system in the sixteenth century and its history until World War I.
Interacting forces of politics and economics around the globe, with particular attention to key periods of expansion and crisis.

BELFAST/CAPETOWN/JERUSALEM PROGRAM (2 credits)
INSTRUCTOR: J. Cloves
To be arranged – Add code: PDL B-103
SIS 200 B/SLN: 7412

POLITICAL SCIENCE

INTRO TO COMPAR POL (5 credits)
PROFESSOR: E. Goldberg
MWF: 9:00-10:20, SAV 216
POLI SCI 204 A/SLN: 6949
Political systems in a comparative framework. Traditional and contemporary approaches to the study of governments and societies in different countries.
This course will introduce students to comparative politics by an examination of the politics of democratization in the contemporary world. The course will consider both the discussion of democracy as a form of government, the arguments about democratization, and the comparative problems of creating and maintaining viable democratic governments in the contemporary world. The severe constraints on polities in which the task of building both democracies and functioning market economies will also be addressed. Texts. Texts for the course have not been chosen at this time.
ARABIC

ELEMENTARY ARABIC (5 credits)
Instructor:
TTTh: 12:30-1:20, PAR 108
MWF: 9:30-10:20, DEN 310
ARAB 411 AA/SLN: 1265
OPEN TO ALL CLASS LEVELS

ELEMENTARY ARABIC (5 credits)
Instructor:
TTTh: 12:30-1:20, PAR 108
MWF: 9:30-10:20, DEN 310
ARAB 411 AB/SLN: 1266
OPEN TO ALL CLASS LEVELS

INTERMEDIATE ARABIC (5 credits)
Instructor:
MTWThF: 11:30-12:20, DEN 213
ARAB 421 A/SLN: 1267
OPEN TO ALL CLASS LEVELS

ADVANCED ARABIC (3 credits)
PROFESSOR: T. DeYoung
MWF: 10:30-11:20, DEN 313
ARAB 431 A/SLN: 1268

MAQAMAT (3 credits)
PROFESSOR: P. Mackay
TTTh: 1:30-2:50, DEN 213
ARAB 452 A/SLN: 1269

SUPERVISED STUDY (Var cr)
INSTRUCTOR I.D. DEN 229
TO BE ARRANGED
ARAB 490 A/SLN: 1270

UNDERGRAD RESEARCH (Var cr)
INSTRUCTOR I.D. DEN 229
TO BE ARRANGED
ARAB 499 A/SLN: 1271

INDEPENDENT STUDY/RESEARCH (Var cr)
GRADS ONLY
INSTRUCTOR I.D. DEN 229
TO BE ARRANGED
ARAB 600 A/SLN: 1272
EGYPTIAN
INTRO TO COPTIC (3 credits)
PROFESSOR: M. Williams
TTH: 8:00-9:20, SAV 131
EGYPT 411 A/SLN: 8925
(PREVIOUSLY COPTC 411).

HEBREW
ELEM MODERN HEBREW (5 credits)
PROFESSOR:
MTWThF: 9:30-10:20, DEN 213
HEBR 411 A/SLN: 4275
OPEN TO ALL CLASS LEVELS

ELEM BIBLICAL HEBREW (5 credits)
PROFESSOR: S. Noegel
TTH: 10:30-12:20, DEN 312
HEBR 414 A/SLN: 4276

INTERMED MODERN HEBREW (5 credits)
PROFESSOR:
MTWThF: 10:30-11:20, DEN 213
HEBR 421 A/SLN: 4277
OPEN TO ALL CLASS LEVELS

SUPERVISED STUDY (Var cr)
INSTRUCTOR I.D. DEN 229
TO BE ARRANGED
HEBR 490 A/SLN: 4278

UNDERGRAD RESEARCH (Var cr)
INSTRUCTOR I.D. DEN 229
TO BE ARRANGED
HEBR 499 A/SLN: 4279

INDEPENDENT STUDY/RESEARCH (Var cr)
GRADS ONLY
INSTRUCTOR I.D. DEN 229
TO BE ARRANGED
HEBR 600 A/SLN: 4280

PERSIAN
ELEMENTARY PERSIAN (5 credits)
PROFESSOR: Karimi-Hakkak
MTWThF: 9:30-10:20, DEN 217
PRSAN 411 A/SLN: 7030
OPEN TO ALL CLASS LEVELS

INTERMED PERSIAN (5 credits)
PROFESSOR: Karimi-Hakkak
MTWThF: 10:30-11:20, PAR 120
PRSAN 421 A/SLN: 7031
OPEN TO ALL CLASS LEVELS
EPIC TRADITION IRAN (3 credits)
PROFESSOR: Karimi-Hakkak
MF: 1:30-2:50, DEN 213
PRSAN 454 A/SLN: 7032

SUPERVISED STUDY (Var cr)
INSTRUCTOR I.D. DEN 229
TO BE ARRANGED
PRSAN 490 A/SLN: 7033

UNDERGRAD RESEARCH (Var cr)
INSTRUCTOR I.D. DEN 229
TO BE ARRANGED
PRSAN 499 A/SLN: 7034

INDEPENDENT STUDY/RESEARCH (Var cr)
GRADS ONLY
INSTRUCTOR I.D. DEN 229
TO BE ARRANGED
PRSAN 600 A/SLN: 7035

UZBEK
ELEMENTARY UZBEK (5 credits)
PROFESSOR: I. Cirtautas (icirt@u.washington.edu)
To be arranged
TKIC 411 A/SLN: 8126
OPEN TO ALL CLASS LEVELS

INTERMED UZBEK (3 credits)
PROFESSOR: I. Cirtautas (icirt@u.washington.edu)
To be arranged
TKIC 421 A/SLN: 8127
OPEN TO ALL CLASS LEVELS

MIDDLE TURKIC (3 credits)
PROFESSOR: I. Cirtautas (icirt@u.washington.edu)
To be arranged
TKIC 562 A/SLN: 8130
GRADS ONLY

SUPERVISED STUDY (Var cr)
INSTRUCTOR I.D. DEN 229
TO BE ARRANGED
TKIC 490 A/SLN: 8128

UNDERGRAD RESEARCH (Var cr)
INSTRUCTOR I.D. DEN 229
TO BE ARRANGED
TKIC 499 A/SLN: 8129
INDEPENDENT STUDY/RESEARCH (Var cr)
GRADS ONLY
INSTRUCTOR I.D. DEN 229
TO BE ARRANGED
TKISH 600 A/SLN: 8131

TURKISH
ELEMENTARY TURKISH (5 credits)
PROFESSOR: S. Kuru
MTWThF: 9:30-1020, DEN 305
TKISH 411 A/SLN: 8132
OPEN TO ALL CLASS LEVELS

INTERMEDI TURKISH (5 credits)
PROFESSOR: S. Kuru
MTWThF: 10:30-1120, PAR 322
TKISH 421 A/SLN: 8133
OPEN TO ALL CLASS LEVELS

SUPERVISED STUDY (Var cr)
INSTRUCTOR I.D. DEN 229
TO BE ARRANGED
TKISH 490 A/SLN: 8134

UNDERGRAD RESEARCH (Var cr)
INSTRUCTOR I.D. DEN 229
TO BE ARRANGED
TKISH 499 A/SLN: 8135

INDEPENDENT STUDY/RESEARCH (Var cr)
GRADS ONLY
INSTRUCTOR I.D. DEN 229
TO BE ARRANGED
TKISH 600 A/SLN: 8136

COURSES ON RELIGION, CULTURE AND SOCIETY
NEAR EASTERN COURSES IN ENGLISH
(for Information Call Near East Dept. - 543-6033)

ISLAMIC CIVILIZATION (5 credits)
PROFESSOR:
TTh: 1:30-3:20, PAR 108
NEAR E 210 A/SLN: 6022
OFFERED JOINTLY WITH SISME 210 A/SLN: 7463

KAZAKH-KIRGHIZ STUDIES (Special Studies) (3 credits)
PROFESSOR: I. Cirtautas (icirt@u.washington.edu)
To be arranged
NEAR E 496 A/SLN: 6024
OFFERED JOINTLY WITH NEAR E 596 A
KAZAKH-KIRGHIZ STUDIES (Special Studies) (3 credits)
PROFESSOR: I. Cirtautas (icirt@u.washington.edu)
To be arranged (GRADS ONLY)
NEAR E 596 A/SLN: 6027
OFFERED JOINTLY WITH NEAR E 496 A

LANGUAGE TEACH METH (2 credits)
INSTRUCTOR: K. Brandl
T: 3:30-5:20, DEN 313
NEAR E 518 A/SLN: 6026
OFFERED JOINTLY WITH SCAND 518 A

SUPERVISED STUDY (Var cr)
INSTRUCTOR L.D. DEN 229
TO BE ARRANGED
NEAR E 490 A/SLN: 6023

UNDERGRAD RESEARCH (Var cr)
INSTRUCTOR L.D. DEN 229
TO BE ARRANGED
NEAR E 499 A/SLN: 6025

INDEPENDENT STUDY/RESEARCH (Var cr)
GRADS ONLY
INSTRUCTOR L.D. DEN 229
TO BE ARRANGED
NEAR E 600 A/SLN: 6028