MIDDLE EAST STUDIES

Course Offerings

SUMMER QUARTER 2011

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

SLN: 13253  SISME 490 A  SPECIAL TOPICS (5 Cr)  T. KUYUCU
    (B-term)

MTWThF:  10:50-1:00  RAI 116

POLITICAL ECONOMY OF CONTEMPORARY TURKEY

In this course, we will survey modern Turkish history with a particular focus on how political economic developments at the global level have interacted with local political and economic structures and institutions to yield concrete outcomes. To be more specific, we will look answers for the following questions: What explains the development of a strong state in Turkey that has dominated civil society? What are the historical and institutional factors behind the formation of a strong military establishment that has formed a solid alliance with the civilian state bureaucracy (especially with the judiciary)? What is the nature of Turkish secularism and can we actually call state-religion affairs in Turkey as ‘secular’? How can we explain the recent rise to power of Islamic parties and the uncontested hegemony they have formed in the political arena and in economic governance? Why can’t Turkey resolve the ethnic tensions (and war) with its Kurdish citizens in a peaceful manner? Finally, what accounts for the uneasy, and rather gloomy, coexistence of high economic growth with very high regional inequalities and very low human development scores?

SLN: 13254  SISME 499 A  UNDERGRAD RESEARCH (Var Cr)
SLN: 13255  SISME 499 B
INSTRUCTOR I.D. THO 111

SLN: 13256  SISME 600  INDEPENDENT STUDY (Var Cr)
INSTRUCTOR I.D. THO 111

SLN: 13257  SISME 700  MASTERS THESIS (Var Cr)
INSTRUCTOR I.D. THO 111

TO BE ARRANGED

ENGLISH

SLN: 11176  ENGL 310 A  Bible as Literature (5 Cr)  J. GRIFFITH
ADD CODE FROM INSTRUCTOR
Full - Term

MTWTh:  8:30-9:30  ART 317

Introduction to the development of the religious ideas and institutions of ancient Israel, with selected readings from the Old Testament and New Testament. Emphasis on reading The Bible with literary and historical understanding. SUMMER: A rapid study of readings taken from both the Old and New Testaments, focusing mainly on those parts of the Bible with the most “literary” interest — narratives, poems and philosophy.

HISTORY

SLN: 11547  HIST 261 A  CRUSADES IN MIDEAST (5 Cr)  S. KAMOLA
(Full-term)

MTWThF:  12:00-1:00  GLD 435
Examines the impact of European Christians on the Middle East, from the establishment of the County of
Edessa (1097) to the fall of Acre (1291). Explores how Muslims understood, reacted, and adapted to the crusades and how the close encounter with the "Franks" transformed medieval Middle Eastern societies.

POLITICAL SCIENCE

SLN: 12978    POL S 325 A    ARAB-ISRL CONFLICT (5 Cr)    TBA
Full-Term

TTh: 12:00-2:10    JHN 022
The politics of conflicting ideologies: Zionism and Arab nationalism; formation of the state of Israel; development of Palestinian nationalism; Arab-Israeli wars. Re-emergence of Palestinian activism; domestic sources of foreign policy; the role of the superpowers.

NEAR EASTERN COURSES IN ENGLISH
(for Information Call Near East Dept. - 543-6033)

SLN: 12343    NEAR E 496 A    SPECIAL STUDIES (5 Cr)    S. BENSON
(A-term)

TTh 10:20-1:30    CDH 125
CULTURE OF THE ARABIC WORLD

SLN: 12344    NEAR E 496 B    SPECIAL STUDIES (5 Cr)    S. BENSON
(B-term)

TTh 10:20-1:30    DEN 206
CULTURE OF THE ARABIC WORLD

SLN: 12345    NEAR E 496 C    SPECIAL STUDIES (5 Cr)    T. MAWKANULI
(A-term)

TWTTh 10:20-1:30    DEN 205
INTRO TO SHAMNISM

SLN: 12346    NEAR E 496 D    SPECIAL STUDIES (5 Cr)    T. MAWKANULI
(B-term)

TWTTh 10:20-1:30    DEN 205
COMPARATIVE MUSLIM SOCIETIES IN CENTRAL EURASIA

SLN: 12347    NEAR E 496 E    SPECIAL STUDIES (5 Cr)    H. ELKHAFAIFI
(A-term)

TTh 10:20-1:30    HCK 320
ARABIC CINEMA
Course will be taught B-term with different material and may be repeated for additional credit.

SLN: 12348    NEAR E 496 F    SPECIAL STUDIES (5 Cr)    H. ELKHAFAIFI
(B-term)

TTh 10:20-1:30    DEN 211
ARABIC CINEMA
Course will be taught A-term with different material and may be repeated for additional credit.
SLN: 12342  NEAR E 490 A (Full-term)  
To Be Arranged : Instructor Code: DEN 229  
SUPERVISED STUDY (1-6 Cr)

SLN: 12349  NEAR E 498 A (Full-term)  
To Be Arranged : Instructor Code: DEN 229  
SENIOR ESSAY (5 Cr)

SLN: 12350  NEAR E 499 A (Full-term)  
To Be Arranged : Instructor Code: DEN 229  
UNDERGRAD RESEARCH (1-6 Cr)

SLN: 12351  NEAR E 600 A (Full-term)  
To Be Arranged : Instructor Code: DEN 229  
INDEPENDENT STDY/RESEARCH (1-10 Cr)

NEAR EASTERN LANGUAGE COURSES
(for Information Call Near East Dept. - 543-6033)

ARABIC
SLN: 10098  ARAB 490 A (Full-term)  
To Be Arranged : Instructor Code: DEN 229  
SUPERVISED STUDY (1-6 Cr)

SLN: 10099  ARAB 499 A (Full-term)  
To Be Arranged : Instructor Code: DEN 229  
UNDERGRAD RESEARCH (1-6 Cr)

SLN: 10100  ARAB 600 A (Full-term)  
To Be Arranged : Instructor Code: DEN 229  
INDEPENDENT STDY/RESEARCH (1-10 Cr)

MODERN HEBREW
INTENSIVE ELEMENTARY HEBREW (15 credits)
HEBR 401 A (Full-term), SLN: 11536
Instructor: H. KHAZZAM-HOROVITZ
MTWThF: 9:10-12:30, CDH 223B
Intensive study of grammar, with oral and written drill and reading of simple texts.

ELEMENTARY BIBLICAL HEBREW (15 credits)
HEBR 402 A (Full-term), SLN: 11537
Instructor: G. MARTIN
MTWThF: 9:10-12:30, THO 215

SLN: 11538  HEBR 490 A (Full-term)  
To Be Arranged : Instructor Code: DEN 229  
SUPERVISED STUDY (1-6 Cr)

SLN: 11539  HEBR 499 A (Full-term)  
To Be Arranged : Instructor Code: DEN 229  
UNDERGRAD RESEARCH (1-6 Cr)

SLN: 11540  HEBR 600 A (Full-term)  
To Be Arranged : Instructor Code: DEN 229  
INDEPENDENT STDY/RESEARCH (1-10 Cr)

PERSIAN
FIRST-YEAR PERSIAN (15 credits)
PRSAN 401 A (Full-term), SLN: 13023
Instructor: S. SHAHRZAD
MTWThF: 9:10-12:30, TBA
Intensive study of grammar, with oral and written drill and reading of simple texts.
SLN: 13024  PRSAN 490 A (Full-term)  
To Be Arranged : Instructor Code: DEN 229  
SUPERVISED STUDY (1-6 Cr)

SLN: 13025  PRSAN 499 A (Full-term)  
To Be Arranged : Instructor Code: DEN 229  
UNDERGRAD RESEARCH (1-6 Cr)

SLN: 13026  PRSAN 600 A (Full-term)  
To Be Arranged : Instructor Code: DEN 229  
INDEPENDENT STDY/RESEARCH (1-10 Cr)

TURKIC

SLN: 13668  TKIC 490 A (Full-term)  
To Be Arranged : Instructor Code: DEN 229  
SUPERVISED STUDY (1-6 Cr)

SLN: 13669  TKIC 499 A (Full-term)  
To Be Arranged : Instructor Code: DEN 229  
UNDERGRAD RESEARCH (1-6 Cr)

SLN: 13670  TKIC 600 A (Full-term)  
To Be Arranged : Instructor Code: DEN 229  
INDEPENDENT STDY/RESEARCH (1-10 Cr)

TURKISH

SLN: 13671  TKISH 490 A (Full-term)  
To Be Arranged : Instructor Code: DEN 229  
SUPERVISED STUDY (1-6 Cr)

SLN: 13672  TKISH 499 A (Full-term)  
To Be Arranged : Instructor Code: DEN 229  
UNDERGRAD RESEARCH (1-6 Cr)

SLN: 13673  TKISH 600 A (Full-term)  
To Be Arranged : Instructor Code: DEN 229  
INDEPENDENT STDY/RESEARCH (1-10 Cr)