

5.0 credits	30.0 h	Ce cours bisannuel est dispensé en 2011-2012, 2013-2014, ...

Teacher(s) :	Obsomer Claude ; Tavernier Jan ;
Language :	Français
Place of the course	Louvain-la-Neuve
Main themes :	By emphasizing the written sources at our disposal, the course focuses on various topics concerning Near Eastern civilization (Hittite and North Syrian societies), Egyptian civilization (chronology, relations with Nubia), or common to both (the Egypt-Hatti relations during the fourteenth - twelfth centuries BC).
Aims :	This course, designed to enhance the student's knowledge of the ancient Near Eastern and Egyptian civilizations, aims at developing their scientific approach to some historical questions. <i>The contribution of this Teaching Unit to the development and command of the skills and learning outcomes of the programme(s) can be accessed at the end of this sheet, in the section entitled "Programmes/courses offering this Teaching Unit".</i>
Content :	The part dealing with Near East concerns the internal organization of the Hittite Empire, and its relations with other Eastern Mediterranean peoples. The part dealing with Egypt addresses such questions as how to establish an absolute chronology, to convert Egyptian into Gregorian dates, as well as the history of the relations between Egypt and Nubia (texts, local inscriptions, and archaeological remains). The part dealing with Egypt-Hatti relations examines the fourteenth century situation (reign of Suppiluliuma I), the Ramesside wars, and the final treaty between Ramses II and Hattusili III instauring a new political order.
Other infos :	Course entry requirements : course GLOR 1511 and a basic knowledge of Hittite and/or Egyptian language. Evaluation : students will be assessed orally by one of both teachers. Course material : A summary of the course and a bibliography will be provided. The course is richly illustrated.
Cycle and year of study :	> Master [60] in Ancient Languages and Literatures: Oriental Studies > Master [120] in Ancient Languages and Literatures: Oriental Studies > Master [120] in History of Art and Archaeology : General
Faculty or entity in charge:	GLOR