UCL Université catholique de Louvain

LGLOR2533
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History and Society of Islam and the Arab World II

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

Teacher(s) :	De Callatay Godefroid ;
Language :	Français
Place of the course	Louvain-la-Neuve
Main themes :	Study of Islamic legal and religious thought from an historical viewpoint, focusing on the question of unity and diversity.
Aims :	The course aims at introducing the student to the history of legal and religious thought in Islam, through the study of its main principles and historical development. *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".*
Content :	The study of the main elements of doctrine in Islamic legal and religious thought as well as the traditional branches of Islam (Sunnism, Shi'a, Khawarij, Mu'tazila, Ash'arism), together with an introduction to Islamic mysticism. The course is illustrated with texts from the classical period quoted in translation. No knowledge of Arabic is required. The course provides E-learning activities, with compulsory registration on the I-campus platform.
Other infos :	Prerequisite : None. No knowledge of Arabic is required. Evaluation : Oral examination of the contents of the course and discussion of a 10-page long written work on freely chosen topics. The course provides E-learning activities, with compulsory registration on the I-campus platform.
Cycle and year of study :	> Master [60] in Political Sciences: General > Master [60] in History > Master [120] in History > Master [60] in Ancient Languages and Literatures: Oriental Studies > Master [120] in Public Administration > Master [120] in Anthropology > Master [120] in Sociology > Master [120] in Political Sciences: International Relations > Master [120] in Sciences of Religions > Master [120] in Ancient Languages and Literatures: Oriental Studies > Master [120] in History of Art and Archaeology : General > Master [120] in Political Sciences: General
Faculty or entity in charge:	GLOR