

LSREL2251

2014-2015

Principiology and spirituality: the ethics and religious thought of Islam

4.0 credits	30.0 h	2q	This biannual
			course is taught on
			years 2015-2016,
			2017-2018,

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Language :	Français
Place of the course	Louvain-la-Neuve
Main themes :	The Tawhid (Divine unicity) as an originary vision of the world The ethics and foundations of religion: the moral values and their foundation Polemics on fundamentals - Fitra, God and the Quran The currents of Muslim thought within Sunni and Shiah: humanism, pluralism and globality Faith and interreligious debate in relation to the question of Muslim monotheism and the space it allows for freedom and human responsibility
Aims :	At the end of this course, the student should be able to - analyse the Islamic religious conception and the most important principles of Muslim thought; - situate the debates Muslim thought has given rise to in history, as well as the schools of Kalam (the major tendencies in the constitution of that thought); - grasp the (convergent and/or divergent) relationships between the principiological fundamentals and the mystical dimension of Islam. 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".
Cycle and year of study :	Master [120] in Ancient Languages and Literatures: Oriental Studies Master [120] in Sciences of Religions
Faculty or entity in charge:	CISR