

## Faculty of Theology



### SREL2002 Seminar: Buddhism and Christianity

[30h] 3 credits

This two-yearly course is taught in 2006-2007, 2008-2009,...

This course is taught in the 2nd semester

**Teacher(s):** Jacques Scheuer  
**Language:** French  
**Level:** Second cycle

#### Aims

This seminar is an in-depth study of themes in Buddhism and an introduction to the comparative study of Buddhism and Christianity. It also introduces students to the methods of comparative studies as well as to the presuppositions of inter-religious dialogue and the theological work it requires.

#### Main themes

Taking Buddhism as a starting point, the seminar is built around one or more selected themes. Without lingering on superficial similarities, we basic structures and essential motivations are pointed out on both sides, in order to compare them and analyse what these traditions may represent to one another.

#### Content and teaching methods

This biannual seminar includes lecture time, student presentations and common projects (analyses of texts and audio-visual material, bibliographical research, etc).

#### Other information (prerequisite, evaluation (assessment methods), course materials recommended readings, ...)

Prerequisite : THEO 3170 (or the equivalent)

#### Programmes in which this activity is taught

<b>HORI2</b>	Licence en langues et littératures orientales (philologie et histoire orientales)
<b>HORI2M1</b>	Master en langues et littératures anciennes, orientation "orientales"
<b>SREL9CE</b>	Certificat universitaire en sciences des religions

#### Other credits in programs

<b>COMU22/J</b>	Deuxième licence en information et communication (Journalisme)	(3 credits)
<b>HORI21</b>	Première licence en langues et littératures orientales (philologie et histoire orientales)	(4 credits)
<b>HORI22</b>	Deuxième licence en langues et littératures orientales (philologie et histoire orientales)	(4 credits)
<b>HORI2M1</b>	Master en langues et littératures anciennes, orientation "orientales"	(4 credits)