

SUMMER 2015 B-TERM

NEAR E 266

THE MODERN MIDDLE EAST & CENTRAL ASIA

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Develop an understanding of Islam as a lived experience by taking this course, which is an ethnographic overview of Muslim societies in the Middle East and Central Asia from various anthropological perspectives. Students will examine the unity and diversity of Muslim communities and acquaint themselves with the significant linguistic, cultural, and political diversity of Muslim societies.

No prior knowledge of or exposure to Islam on the part of students is presumed or required.



**TTh 12:40-4:50
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