

The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Syllabus

The Vikings in European History - 39110

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HU Credits: 2

Degree/Cycle: 1st degree (Bachelor)

Responsible Department: History

Academic year: 2019

Semester: 1st Semester

Teaching Languages: Hebrew

Campus: Mt. Scopus

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Course/Module description:

This course will focus on the Vikings invasions to Europe and beyond, and their influence on the economic, social and political systems of the 8th-10th centuries. Among the topic discussed are: The dissolution of the Carolingian empire; the nature of the Viking raids; the viking settlement and Christianisation; the Vikings in Russia and America; the Viking myth.

Course/Module aims:

Reading medieval text.

Learning outcomes - On successful completion of this module, students should be able to:

Reading and analysing medieval texts.

Attendance requirements(%):

Teaching arrangement and method of instruction:

Course/Module Content:

A detailed program will be circulated during the first class.

Required Reading:

A detailed reading list will be circulated during the first class.

Additional Reading Material:

Course/Module evaluation:

End of year written/oral examination 80 %

Presentation 0 %

Participation in Tutorials 0 %

Project work 0 %

Assignments 20 %

Reports 0 %

Research project 0 %
Quizzes 0 %
Other 0 %

Additional information: