

## *The Hebrew University of Jerusalem*

### *Syllabus*

# *18th Century Paris - From Absolutism to Revolution - 39319*

*Last update 08-08-2022*

*HU Credits: 2*

*Degree/Cycle: 1st degree (Bachelor)*

*Responsible Department: History*

*Academic year: 0*

*Semester: 1st Semester*

*Teaching Languages: Hebrew*

*Campus: Mt. Scopus*

*Course/Module Coordinator: משה סלוחובסקי*

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*Coordinator Office Hours: Tuesday 12:00-14:00*

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Teaching Staff:

Prof Moshe Sluhovsky

Course/Module description:

social history of 18th century Paris

Course/Module aims:

understanding the processes of modernization that shaped the French Revolution and the modern city of Paris

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

understanding the processes that shaped the modern city of Paris

Attendance requirements(%):

100

Teaching arrangement and method of instruction: SEMINAR

Course/Module Content:

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End of year written/oral examination 0 %

Presentation 0 %

Participation in Tutorials 0 %

Project work 75 %

Assignments 25 %

Reports 0 %

Research project 0 %

Quizzes 0 %

Other 0 %

Additional information: