

# The Hebrew University of Jerusalem Syllabus

# The Flood in Akkadian Literature - 42556

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HU Credits: 2

<u>Degree/Cycle:</u> 1st degree (Bachelor)

Responsible Department: Archaeology & Ancient near East

Academic year: 0

Semester: 1st Semester

<u>Teaching Languages:</u> Hebrew

Campus: Mt. Scopus

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Teaching Staff:

#### Prof Nathan Wasserman

## Course/Module description:

Close reading in different mss. of the story of the Flood (in Akkadian), esp. in Gilgamesh Tab. 11.

#### Course/Module aims:

Getting to know the myth of the Flood and strengthening students' ability to read literary Akkadian texts.

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

Based on a scientific edition, the students are expected to be able to read and analyze an Akkadian literary text.

## Attendance requirements(%):

100

Teaching arrangement and method of instruction: Personal reading guided by the teacher. Discussion in class.

#### Course/Module Content:

Different traditions on the Flood. Epics and myths in Akkadian literary system. Gilgamesh.

# Required Reading:

Required reading will be given during the course.

### Additional Reading Material:

<u>Course/Module evaluation:</u> End of year written/oral examination 0 % Presentation 0 % Participation in Tutorials 20 % Project work 80 % Assignments 0 % Reports 0 % Research project 0 % Quizzes 0 % Other 0 %

# Additional information: