Syllabus

INTRODUCTION TO BYZANTINE ARCHAEOLOGY - 43107

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HU Credits: 2

Degree/Cycle: 1st degree (Bachelor)

Responsible Department: Archaeology and Ancient Near East

Academic year: 1

Semester: 1st Semester

Teaching Languages: Hebrew

Campus: Mt. Scopus

Course/Module Coordinator: Prof. Joseph Patrich

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Course/Module description:
The purpose of the course is introduction of major issues in Byzantine archaeology, especially from the 4th to the 7th c. The topics to be discussed include continuity and change in the urban landscape, civil and religious buildings - churches and monasteries, walls and fortresses, the rural settlements. The geographical frame includes Constantinople, Asia Minor, the Aegian and Adriatic regions, Syria, Israel, Sinai and Egypt.

Course/Module aims:
The student will become acquainted with key sites of the Byzantine period and basic topics in Christian archaeology (churches, monasteries etc.).

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

Attendance requirements(%):
70

Teaching arrangement and method of instruction: Frontal lecture

Course/Module Content:

Required Reading:
1. מבוא: רקע היסטורי: התמורות הפוליטיות והENSIONS ההיסטוריים, ערב ה, עמ 377-381.
2. "ויזנטיו" האנציקלופדיה העברית, כרך ה, עמ 131.
5. שיטות בניה וחומרי בניה, עמ 3.
9. J. H. W. G. Liebeschuetz, 'Administration and Politics in the Cities of the Fifth to


Additional Reading Material:

Course/Module evaluation:
End of year written/oral examination 100 %
Presentation 0 %
Participation in Tutorials 0 %
Project work 0 %
Assignments 0 %
Reports 0 %
Research project 0 %
Quizzes 0 %
Other 0 %

Additional information: