## History - 1000 & 2000 Level - 2018/9 - August - 2018

## Middle Eastern History (MH) modules

## MH2002 Introduction to Middle Eastern History

SCOTCAT Credits:	20	SCQF Level 8	Semester	2
Academic year:	2018/9			
Planned timetable:	3.00 pm Mon, Tue, Thu			

This module provides an introduction to Middle Eastern History from the dramatic reconfiguration of the Middle East in late Antiquity to its contested and contentious recent past. It explores political, social and cultural life across the Middle East through the comparative treatment of several themes. These will normally include states and authority; social dislocation and transformation; belief and literary expression; identity; and cross-cultural engagement. It will also define and explore key moments of transition, including the spread of Islam, Turkic irruptions and European encounters. Collectively these have profoundly influenced the modern Middle East.

Pre-requisite(s):	Before taking this module you must pass 60 credits of me or mo modules or 60 credits of ar modules or 60 credits of pr modules			
Learning and teaching	Weekly contact: 3 lectures and 1 tutorial.			
methods of delivery:	Scheduled learning: 44 hours	Guided independent study: 156 hours		
Assessment pattern:	As defined by QAA: Written Examinations = 50%, Practical Examinations = 0%, Coursework = 50%			
	As used by St Andrews: 2-hour Written Examination = 50%, Coursework = 50%			
Re-assessment pattern:	3-hour Written Examination = 100%			
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