

RELG 573. RELIGIONS IN GLOBAL SOCIETY.

Credits: 3

Offered by: Religious Studies (Faculty of Arts)

This course is not offered this catalogue year.

Description

This seminar is devoted to the study of a plurality of often intersecting religious traditions in a globalizing world, based on interdisciplinary scholarship drawing from history, sociology, anthropology and archaeology. It starts from locating religious phenomena within intersecting social, cultural and political fabrics around the world. It articulates the relation between a multi-faith appreciation of the role of religions in a variety of societies and the emergence of diverse patterns of secularity in them. It facilitates a rich understanding of a complex past to shed light on the new challenges of globalization, including the opening of horizons of postsecular understandings and arrangements.

- Prerequisite(s): RELG 208 or RELG 331 or permission of instructor

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