RELIGION AND POLITICS IN THE MIDDLE EAST

A Summer Institute for Educators

Tuesday, July 5 – Sunday, July 10
Luce Hall, 34 Hillhouse Avenue, New Haven, CT

Located at the crossroads of three continents, the Middle East is one of the most heavily discussed regions in the world. Spend six days in an intensive study program, learning about the many dimensions of religion and politics in the Middle East. Work with Yale faculty and others, and connect with local colleagues who share your interest in the region. In addition to lectures and discussions, the seminar will include cuisine and films from the Middle East as well as field trips designed to familiarize you and your students with local resources.

Tentative Selected Excerpts from Program:

INTRODUCTION TO ISLAM
Beatrice Manz, Tufts University

RELIGION AND POLITICS IN NORTH AFRICA
Jonathan Wyrtzen, Yale University

ISRAELI AND PALESTINIAN NARRATIVES: VICTIMS VS. VICTIMS
Neil Caplan, Concordia University

WOMEN IN THE MIDDLE EAST
Vickie Langohr, College of the Holy Cross

MIDDLE EAST RESOURCES AT THE YALE LIBRARY
Ann Okerson, Yale University

CEUs will be available for participation. Breakfast will be served daily; some other meals will also be included.

Participation in the Summer Institute costs $150; application by May 31 is required. Visit http://www.regonline.com/2011piersummerinstitutes to apply.

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