



Minor declaration forms are available in the Office of Interdisciplinary Programs, 31 Williams Hall, Suite 101

HEBR 002-10 Elementary Modern Hebrew II CRN 13882 4 credits (HU)

Continuation of Hebrew 1. Instruction will focus on expanding Hebrew vocabulary and grammar; introduction of the past tense. Class activities are planned for an inclusive approach to different styles of learning. Hebrew 1 or previous background in Hebrew required. **Professor Gavish** M, W; 12:45 - 2:00 p.m.

JST, IR 086-10 The Israeli-Palestinian Conflict CRN 14206 4 credits (SS)

Origins of the Zionist movement and of Palestinian national identity. Evolution of the conflict before, during, and after the Israeli War of Independence/Palestinian Nakhsba (Catastrophe). 1967 and subsequent occupations. Camp David, Oslo, and subsequent peace negotiations. The 2006 Fatah/Hamas split and state of Palestinian and Israeli politics and policy. Role of the Arab states and of global powers such as the United States. **Professor Fleisch** M, W; 2:35 - 3:50 p.m.

JST, REL, CLSS 114-10 Christian Origins: New Testament and the Beginnings of Christianity CRN 13881 4 credits (HU)

Early Christianity from its beginnings until the end of the second century. Coverage includes the Jewish and Hellenistic matrices of Christianity, traditions about the life of Jesus and his significance, and the variety of belief and practice of early Christians. Emphasis on encountering primary texts. **Professor Wright** M, W; 11:10 - 12:25 p.m.

JST, GS, SOC 116-10 Jewish Community and Identity CRN 14331 4 credits (SS) CBE Global

A century ago, large Jewish communities existed throughout the world, including North Africa, Europe, the Middle East, and South America. Today, over 80% of all Jews live in North America or Israel. This course focuses on the transformation of Jewish identities and social life in recent years, particularly in the U.S. and in Israel. It also reviews the experience of very small Jewish populations that remain around the world. **Professor Lasker** T, R; 2:35 - 3:50 p.m.

JST 180-10 Independent Study CRN 13574 1-4 credits (HU, SS)

JST, REL 197-11 Armageddon: The End Times in Judaism and Christianity CRN 13893 4 credits (HU)

How will the world end? This question was important to certain types of ancient Judaism. Early Christianity took over many of these ideas, and they became fundamental to later Christian theologies, including many that continue to be advocated today. This course will look at ancient Jewish and Christian texts that speak about the end of the world and will trace some of them through more contemporary developments in these two religious traditions. **Professor Wright** M, W; 2:35 - 3:50 p.m.

PHIL 233-010 Figures and Themes in Medieval Philosophy CRN 14165 4 credits (HU) WI (Writing Intensive)

Maimonides' Guide of the Perplexed. An in-depth study of the most important work of medieval Jewish philosophy. The work deals with such questions as: the nature of God, creation vs. eternity of the universe, free will, whether the biblical commandments are reasonable and have reasons, prophecy, and divine providence. **Professor Weiss** T, R; 9:20 - 10:35 a.m.