

**Description of Course Unit according to
the ECTS User's Guide 2015**

Course unit title	Middle East and North African Area Studies
Course unit code	HI191334
Type of course unit (compulsory, optional)	Optional
Level of course unit (according to EQF: first cycle Bachelor, second cycle Master)	First cycle Bachelor
Year of study (if applicable)	
Semester/trimester when the course unit is delivered	7 th semester
Number of ECTS credits allocated	4.83 ects
Name of lecturer(s)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Prihandono Wibowo, M.Hub.Int email: prihandono_wibowo.hi@upnjatim.ac.id Office hours: mon-fri, 09.00-16.00 2. Renitha Dwi Hapsar, M.Hub.Int email: renithadwi.hi@upnjatim.ac.id Office hours: mon-fri, 09.00-16.00
Learning outcomes of the course unit	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Students understand the political history of the Middle East and North Africa region 2. Students establish critical understandings regarding security, political, and conflict issues in the Middle East and North Africa studies 3. Students demonstrate critical analysis regarding the strategic relationship between the Middle East and North Africa and Indonesia
Mode of delivery (face-to-face, distance learning)	Face to face / Online learning (ilmu.upnjatim.ac.id)
Prerequisites	
Course contents	For 14 weeks, students will learn:

	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. International Relations Theory and Middle East-North Africa Region Studies 2. The influence of colonialism on the establishment of contemporary issues in the Middle East and North Africa 3. Ideologies in the Middle East region 4. The development of middle east after Cold War 5. Dynamics Arab-Israeli conflict 6. Petroleum commodities and the Middle East geopolitical issues 7. Causes of Arab Spring in the Middle East and North Africa region 8. Terrorism and Hybrid Actors in the Middle East and North Africa 9. Sectarianism issues in the Middle East and North Africa 10. Syria's political crisis and the Intervention of the Great Powers 11. Iran's Nuclear program and Middle East Peace Prospects 12. Regionalism problem in the Middle East and North Africa 13. Indonesia's strategic relationship with the Middle East and North Africa 14. Global political dynamics and the Middle East and North Africa studies
<p>Recommended or required reading</p>	<p>Required reading:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Benjamin MacQueen. 2018. An Introduction to Middle East. SAGE 2. Louise Fawcett. 2018. International Relations of Middle East. Oxford University Press. 3. Fred Halliday. 2005. The Middle East in International Relations 4. Tarek Osman. 2016. Islamism: what it means to the Middle East and the world 5. Eugene Rogan. 2015. The Fall of the Ottomans: The Great War in the Middle East. Basic Books 6. Thannasis Cambinis. 2019. Hybrid Actors: Armed Groups and State Fragmentation in the Middle East 7. Murat Yesiltas. 2018. Non-State Armed Actors in the Middle East: Geopolitics, Ideology, and Strategy. SPringer 8. Frederic Wehrey. 2018 Beyond Sunni and Shia: The Roots of Sectarianism in a Changing Middle East. Oxford University Press
<p>Planned learning activities and teaching methods</p>	<p>Lecture and blended-learning consists of discussions and case studies.</p>

	Mid-term exam : 800 words essay with open-ended questions. Final exam: 1500 words essay with open-ended questions.
Language of instruction	Indonesia-English
Work placement(s)	N/A