



Wayne County Community College District

COURSE SYLLABUS

MWS 107 Muslim World Contemporary Issues

CREDIT HOURS: 3.00

CONTACT HOURS: 45.00

COURSE DESCRIPTION:

This course covers the problems and issues facing the contemporary Muslim world, stressing their relevance to United States welfare.

PREREQUISITE: None

EXPECTED COMPETENCIES:

Upon completion of this course, the student will be able to:

- Understand contemporary issues in a historical, geographical, and cultural context.
- Understand the ethnic, social, political, and religious tensions within the region.
- Understand the important impact western hegemony and modernity has had and still has on the Muslim world.
- Understand how some of the new hermeneutical models are designed to address major issues.

ASSESSMENT METHODS:

Student performance may be assessed by examination, quizzes, case studies, oral conversation, group discussion, oral presentations. The instructor reserves the option to employ one or more of these assessment methods during the course.

GRADING SCALE:

90%-100% = A

80%-89.9%= B

70%-79.9%= C

60%-69.9%= D

<60% = E