

REL255: Religions of the Ancient World

An introduction to the religious texts, traditions, rituals, and ideas of the ancient Mediterranean world and the ancient Near East. The focus will be on a comparative analysis of the varieties of religious expression, with particular attention paid to the conceptual approaches to the study of religion, as well as to the historical, social, literary, and cultural contexts of religious practices.

Credit Hour(s): 3

Department: Religion

Semester Offered:

Spring (odd)

Area of Inquiry: Religion