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Religious Studies 90A Interpreting Religion: The Founding Theories

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In this course we will examine major scholarly efforts to interpret religion made over the past century. What is the essence of religion? What are the origins of religion? What are its purposes and functions? Is religious adherence more a matter of belief or communal rites? Why has religion ...

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Religious Studies C109 Celtic Mythology and Tradition

- This course is cross-listed with Celtic Studies C168

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Religious Studies C124 The Renaissance and the Reformation

- This course is cross-listed with History C157

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Religious Studies C135 Jewish Civilization: Modern Period

- This course is cross-listed with UGIS C155/History C175B

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Religious Studies C165 Hindu Mythology

- This course is cross-listed with South Asian C140

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Religious Studies 190 Section 1: Mormonism: How an American Faith Became a World Religion

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Mormonism is a distinctly American religion that has grown from six members in 1830 to a worldwide membership of 14,000,000, becoming, as one critic predicted,

"the first major faith to appear on earth since the Prophet Mohammed rode out of the desert." Emerging from the "burned-over district" of ...

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Religious Studies 190 Section 2: Jewish Thought, Culture, and Civilization


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This course aims to study one of the civilizations that deeply marked and inspired Western culture. The Jewish tradition, one of the cornerstones of European and American culture, belongs to the group of ancient cultures originated in the Fertile Crescent, which throughout time crystallized in ...

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Classics 121 Ancient Religion

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L&S 120C The Bible in Western Culture

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