

Civilization and World Thought (110194)

(3credit hours)

This course tackles the concepts of culture, civilization, the factors that help create such civilizations and factors behind fall . Samples of civilizations such as :

Egyptian, Greek , Roman and Islamic are studied. The course discusses patterns of human thinking, globalization, civilization dialogues and conflicts.

Course objectives:

By studying this course, the student is supposed to have achieved the following:

- Be able to absorb: facts, concepts, terminology, generalizations, and theories discussed in the course.
- know the reasons behind the birth of civilizations .
- Know the birth place of civilizations
- Assess the value of orthography in the development and dissemination of civilization, in addition to its significance preserving the heritage of human civilization.
- Evaluate the role of invention in civilization changes
- Relate environment to civilization creation
- Explain the ancient Egyptian interest in building the pyramids , sculpture, and in mummification of corpses.
- Infer the impact of the Egyptian and Iraqi civilizations on the Greek and Roman Counterparts .
- Demonstrate the role played by Arab Islamic civilization in the development of humanity .