Nebraska Wesleyan University

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RELIG 1150 World Religions

3 hours

Majors, Minors & Degrees:

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International Studies (B.A., B.S.) (formerly Global Studies) Philosophy and Religion (B.A.)

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Departments/Programs:

Philosophy and Religion

This course is a study of the cultural settings, lives of founders when appropriate, oral or written traditions and literature, worldviews, myths, rituals, ideals of conduct, and development of some of the world's religions. Religions studied will typically include tribal religions, Hinduism, Jainism, Buddhism, Taoism, Confuciansim, Shinto, Zoroastrianism, Judaism, Christianity, Islam, Sikhism, and Bahai. Readings, videos, and websites will help introduce and illustrate not only the cultural settings in which these religions appear, but also the voices and faces of contemporary religious practitioners. (Normally offered each fall semester.)