

## Global Learning Semesters

### Course Syllabus

Course: EDUC-302 History of Cyprus

Department: Education

Host Institution: University of Nicosia, Nicosia, Cyprus



Course Summary		
Course Code	Course Title	Recommended Credit Hours
EDUC-302	History of Cyprus	3
Semester Offered	Contact Hours	Prerequisites
Spring	42	None
Department	Level of Course	Language of Instruction
Education	Upper Division	Greek

### Course Description

Introduction: The Study of History (Nature & Significance)

Pre-historic Cyprus

Outline of the main historical events from the Phoenicians to the Romans (C.9<sup>th</sup> Century B.C–364 A.D)

The Byzantine Period (395–1191 A.D)

Frankish and Venetian Rule (1191–1489 A.D / 1489–1571 A.D)

Ottoman Rule (1571–1878 A.D)

British Rule (1878–1960 A.D)

Independence, Rebellion, Invasion, Occupation (1960→ )

The Cyprus Problem

General Survey of:

Arts and Letters

Education

Religion and the Church

### Instructor

Mr Emilios Solomou

### Course Aims and Objectives

The course will cover the main aspects of the political and cultural history of Cyprus aiming at helping students to understand the age-long development of the island and its people.

It is also an objective of the course to relate the above to the present realities on the island and the Cyprus Problem.

### Teaching Methods

The course is delivered through a mixture of lectures and practical exercises and assignments.

### Course Teaching Hours

42 hours. The course is delivered during the Fall semester in 14-weeks (3 hours/week).

## Evaluation and Grading

Homework: 20%  
Mid-Term: 30%  
Final Exam: 40%  
Participation: 10%

## Readings and Resources

### Required Textbook

Hadjidemetriou K. (2002), A History of Cyprus, Hermes Media Press, Nicosia  
Hunt, Sir David, ed. (1982) Footprints in Cyprus: An Illustrated History, London, Trigraph.

### Recommended Reading

Tatton-Brown, (1997), Veronica, Ancient Cyprus, London, British Museum.  
Alastos D., (1995), Cyprus in History, Zeno, London.