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Visiting Professor Program Academic Year 2024/2025

TEACHING COMMITMENT: 12 hours

COURSE TITLE

A Global Religious Order: the Society of Jesus and the Discovery of the World

TEACHING PERIOD

2nd term

SCIENTIFIC AREA

Early Modern History

LANGUAGE USED TO TEACH

English

COURSE SUMMARY

The visiting professor's course will illustrate the characteristics (organization, spirituality, rules and regulations) of a religious order approved in the age of early globalization. In the second week it will focus on the relationship between Jesuits and European empires in the new worlds.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

Knowledge of the principles underlying the emergence of a global religious order in the space-time context of the age of geographical discoveries and the creation of the first European globalized empires; learning about the long-term role played by missionary intermediaries.

VISITING PROFESSOR PROFILE

We are looking for a professor specializing in the history of globalization with a focus on the role of the Society of Jesus in the global context and relations with the Muslim worlds. Preference will be given to scholars who have worked on the history of dating up to the late 18th century.

CONTACT REFERENT

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