

Attention!

This is a representative syllabus. The syllabus for the course you are enrolled in will likely be different.

Please refer to your instructor's syllabus for more information on specific requirements for a given semester.

جامعة ولاية أوهايو
Arabic Media
لغة وسائل الإعلام العربية ٤١٢٠
فصل الربيع لسنة ٢٠١٧ 15037 Class Number

الأستاذ: هشام العقاد
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Prerequisite: Arabic 2104

Course Description and Objectives:

Media Arabic introduces the language of print and Internet news media in Arabic. It will be possible for the students to master the core vocabulary and structure typical for front-page news stories and critically read news in Arabic. News Articles, mostly online and printed when available will be discussed in this class: Talks and Conferences, Demonstrations and Protests, Conflicts and Terrorism, Elections, Rule of Law, and Business; as well as other topic that we find interesting.

Students at the end of the course will be able to read and understand extended news related texts with greater accuracy.

Course Materials:

- 1) *Media Arabic: A Coursebook for Reading Arabic News*, by Alaa Elgibali, Nevenka Korica, Published by American Univ in Cairo Press, 2007
- 2) *Online material from websites similar to the following:*
www.aljazeera.net
www.bbc.co.uk/arabic
<http://arabic.rt.com>

(Other websites could be added as we go in the semester)

3) *A Dictionary of Modern Written Arabic* by Hans Wehr.

Homework assignments will be posted weekly on <https://carmen.osu.edu/>

Tentative Schedule:

Week		Unit	Topic
Week 1	January 11-13	Unit 1 اخبار اللقاءات والمؤتمرات	
Week 2	January 18-20	Unit 1	
Week 3	January 25-27	Unit 1	Quiz 1 (pop quiz)
Week 4	February 1-3	Unit 2 اخبار المظاهرات والاضطرابات	
Week 5	February 8-10	Unit 2	
Week 6	February 15-17	Unit 2	
Week 7	February 22-24	Unit 3 اخبار الانتخابات	Midterm after Unit 2
Week 8	March 1-3	Unit 3	
Week 9	March 8-10	Unit 3	
Week 10	March 13-17	Spring Break	
Week 11	March 22-24	Unit 4 اخبار الصراعات والإرهاب	Quiz 2 (pop quiz)
Week 12	Mar 29- 31	Unit 4	
Week 13	April 5-7	Unit 4	
Week 14	April 12-14	Unit 4	
Week 15	April 19-21		News Report
Final Exam	April 26	Wednesday Time: 4:00 – 5:45PM	

Grade Breakdown:

Attendance/participation	10%
Homework	10%
Quizzes	10%
News Reports	10%

Midterm Exam	20%
Final Exam	40%

A = 100-93	A- = 92-90	B+ = 89-87	B = 86-83	B- = 82-80
C+ = 79-77	C = 76-73	C- = 72-70	D+ = 69-67	D = 66-60
E = below 60				

Student Responsibilities

1. Attending and participating in class activities. Most of the language skills to be developed cannot be acquired without effective participation and interaction with other students and with the instructor.
2. Doing homework assignments. This out-of-class preparation is essential for reinforcement of classroom reading and speaking.
3. Taking classroom quizzes, the mid-term, and the written final.
4. Submitting and presenting a news report after the spring break. More information about the news report will be provided later in the semester

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