

Faculties of Humanities and Theology

CTRB42, From Teaching of Contempt to Dialogue - The Church and Judaism, 7.5 credits

Från undervisning i förakt till dialog - Kyrkan och judendomen, 7,5 högskolepoäng First Cycle / Grundnivå

Details of approval

The syllabus was approved by The pro-dean for First-Cycle Studies at the Faculties of Humanities and Theology on 2022-02-18 to be valid from 2022-02-18, spring semester 2022.

General Information

The course is offered as a freestanding course. It can be included in a first or second cycle degree.

Language of instruction: Swedish

Main field of studies

Depth of study relative to the degree requirements G1F, First cycle, has less than 60 credits in first-cycle course/s as entry requirements

Learning outcomes

On completion of the course, the students shall be able to:

Knowledge and understanding

- describe how the Christian church's view on Judaism and the Jewish conception of Christianity have developed historically up to our time
- describe in broad terms how Jewish-Christian relations have changed over time
- describe the relationship between Judaism and the Christian church and demonstrate understanding of the problems that exist in this relationship and the ability to see how they have been, and are still, expressed.

Competence and skills

- assimilate, refer to and assess literature that is relevant to the subject
- see where the crucial dividing lines are between Judaism and Christianity today.

Judgement and approach

- see how a negative attitude to Judaism has characterised the Christian church historically
- critically evaluate the accomplishments and problems in the Jewish-Christian dialogue.

Course content

The course covers the relation between the Christian church and Judaism from a historical perspective, but with emphasis on how it has been changed (improved) in modern times. The course addresses relevant documents and positions, as well as issues that are still problematic. The course highlights the more subtle forms of anti-Judaism that remain in the Christian church.

Course design

The teaching consists of lectures and seminars.

Assessment

Assessment of the course is based on two small written assignments and a take-home exam.

The examiner, in consultation with Disability Support Services, may deviate from the regular form of examination in order to provide a permanently disabled student with a form of examination equivalent to that of a student without a disability.

Subcourses that are part of this course can be found in an appendix at the end of this document.

Grades

Marking scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction.

The requirement for a grade of Pass is a grade of Pass on all three graded components. The requirement for a grade of Pass with distinction additionally requires a grade of Pass with distinction on the take-home exam and on at least one of the written assignments.

Entry requirements

To be admitted to the course, students must have successfully completed 30 credits in religious studies, humanities or social sciences.

Further information

- 1. The course is offered at the Centre for Theology and Religious Studies, Lund University.
- 2. The credits allocated for course content that in whole or in part is commensurate with another course can only be credited once for a degree. For further details, see the current registration information and other relevant documentation.

Subcourses in CTRB42, From Teaching of Contempt to Dialogue - The Church and Judaism

Applies from V22

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