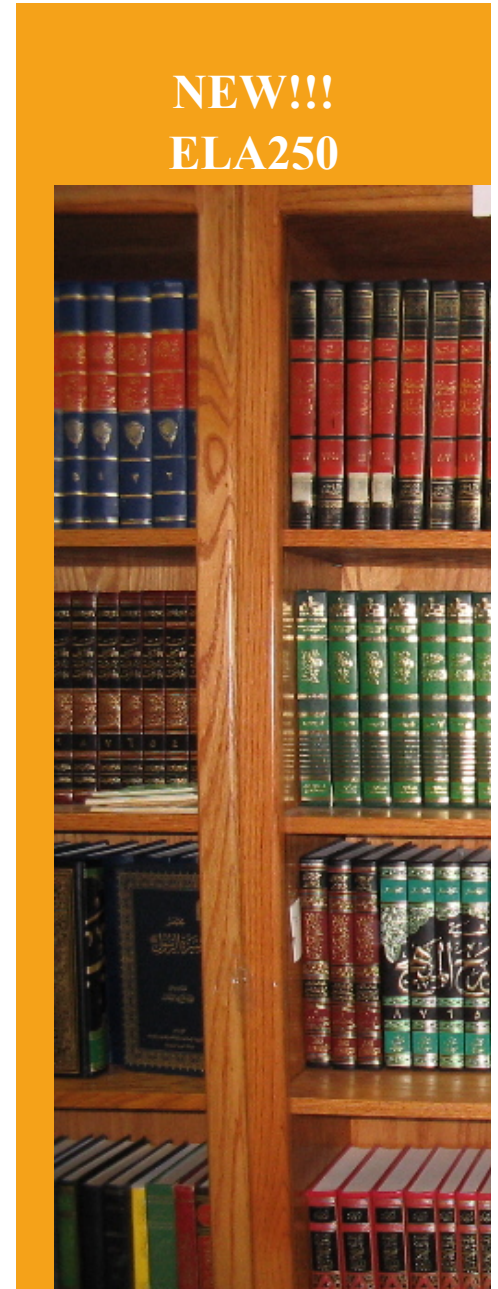


MODERN ARABIC LITERATURE IN TRANSLATION



This course provides students with an opportunity to study Modern Arabic literature TRANSLATED INTO ENGLISH. The course examines an array of literary genres from the late 19th century to the present day. We will explore the social, religious, and historical contexts in which these literary works were created. In addition to reading major literature illuminating changes in Arab culture and society, viewing film adaptations of some masterpieces of Arabic literary works will offer new perspectives about the lives and experiences of Arab writers. Class discussions will encompass Arab intellectualism and the modernization ideology, literature and war, patriarchy, sexuality, and religion.



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