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## CENTRE FOR ARAB & ISLAMIC STUDIES (CAIS)

### Courses Offered in Semester 2, 2026

#### UNDERGRADUATE

**POLS3070 Politics in Central Asia**

A/Prof Kirill Nourzhanov

**MEAS1002 Islam: History and Institutions**

Dr Mohammed Alsudairi

**MEAS2004 Turkish Politics and Foreign Policy**

Dr Burcu Cevik-Compiegne

**POSL2031 Politics in the Middle East**

Dr Andrew Hammond

**MEAS3004 Iran in World Politics**

Dr Niloufar Baghernia

**MEAS3005 Modern Iraq: State, Politics and Society**

Prof Karima Laachir

#### POSTGRADUATE

**MEAS6004 Iran in World Politics**

Dr Niloufar Baghernia

**MEAS6005 Modern Iraq: State, Politics and Society**

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**MEAS6504 Turkish Politics and Foreign Policy**

Dr Burcu Cevik-Compiegne

**MEAS8112 Dynamics of Israeli Palestine Conflict**

Dr Anas Iqtait

**MEAS8108 Politics of Development in the Middle East and North Africa**

Dr Jessie Moritz

#### LANGUAGES

**ARAB1003 Introductory Arabic 2**

Ms Leila Kouatly

**ARAB2012 Intermediate Arabic 2**

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