

RELIGIOUS DIVERSITY IN SOUTHERN MEXICO

MEXICO

J-TERM 2022



COURSE OPTION

RELI 230 (A, RG)

PREREQUISITES

2.0 minimum GPA

CREDIT

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APPLICATION

- Apply online at studyaway.plu.edu
- Application requirements:
 - \$50 non-refundable application fee
 - application questions
 - 2 short-answer essays (250 words each)
 - 1 faculty recommendation
- Following the online application process, you may be contacted by the faculty leader(s) for an interview
- April 15th: Application Deadline
- May 7th: Decision Date

PROGRAM FEE

- Estimate Program Fee Range: \$4,200-\$4,700. Final program fee will be determined by July 15, 2021. Check studyaway.plu.edu for pricing and details about inclusions and exclusions
- Global Scholar Award eligible

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

In this course, we will learn about the religious diversity of southern Mexico. We will examine some of the indigenous traditions of the area, and then examine the religious diversity that arrived with the arrival of Europeans (Christianity, Judaism, Islam, Buddhism). We will examine the ways in which these traditions interact and change over time. We will interrogate some of the cultural expressions of the various religious ways in Southern Mexico.

Why Study Religion in Southern Mexico?

- The past - religious expression in southern Mexico has deep and rich roots in pre-colonial and colonial cultures.
- The place - Oaxaca and Chiapas are unique places, with religious and cultural traditions expressed in many ways.
- The project - you can contribute to ongoing research about religion and culture in southern Mexico.

FACULTY LEADER

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