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授業科目名 <英訳>		Ancient Egypt in the Greek and Roman Periods-E2 Ancient Egypt in the Greek and Roman Periods-E2					担当者所属 職名・氏名		文学研究科 特別招へい准教授 Free, Alexander			
群	人文・社会科学科目群			分野(分類)		歴史・文明(基礎)			使用言語	英語		
旧群	A群	単位数	2単位		時間数	30時間		授業形態	講義（対面授業科目）			
開講年度・ 開講期	2025・ 後期集中		曜時限	集中			配当学年	全回生		対象学生	文系向	
[授業の概要・目的]												
<p>The class intends to give an overview of the history of Egypt in the Greek and Roman periods and its unique source material, Greek papyri. With the foundation of cities such as Alexandria - very long the biggest city in the entire Mediterranean - or the emergence of Christian asceticism and monasticism, this area and time saw historical developments of fundamental historical importance for entire Europe as well as the near and middle east. The class shall focus on the time of the conquest of Egypt by Alexander the Great in the 4th century BCE, through the Greek and Roman times up to the 7th century CE, when the Arabs conquered the country. It shall give insights into the society, economy, religion, administration and culture of a region that saw a mixed population of Greeks and Egyptians, later also Romans, that lived next to each other, but also connected with each other. In throwing light on important selected events and sources, it shall also make the students familiar with papyri, the universally used writing material of antiquity that almost only survived in Egypt due to its dry climate and that offers a wealth of information on topics that in many cases are only superficially or not at all covered by other ancient sources. Egypt therefore offers a closer and more detailed view of ancient Greek and Roman history than almost any other place.</p>												
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<p>Participants will get knowledge about the history, religion, society, economy and administration of Egypt from the 4th century BCE to the 7th century CE; they will get knowledge about the discipline of papyrology, its aids and methods; they will deal with original material from the Kyoto University Museum and how to work with objects from Egypt; they will reflect on the multiethnic relations of Graeco-Roman Egypt and the dynamics of power between an occupying power such as the Ptolemies or the Romans and the local population; they will realize the importance of Egypt as a strategic and economic part of the Mediterranean and Africa; they will discuss the relevance of Egyptian history for world history and in how far the dynamics of power and the impact of empire that we have analysed in Egypt could be referred to East-Asia, as well.</p>												
[授業計画と内容]												
<p>Course schedule: The class will be held in 4 blocks, 1 block with 3 units of 90 minutes, 3 blocks with 4 units of 90 minutes; Block 1, General introduction: Egypt in the context of Greek and Roman History; The discipline of papyrology, its history, aids and methods; Hands on class in the Kyoto University Museum; Block 2, Ptolemaic Egypt: The conquest of Alexander the Great; The foundation of Alexandria and its urban development; The Ptolemaic kings and the Egyptian priests; The Economy of Ptolemaic Egypt; Block 3, Roman Egypt: The conquest of the Romans and their administrative changes in the new province; Greek cities in Egypt and their influence on the local society; Urban development in the Egyptian countryside; The grain supply to Rome from Egypt; Block 4 Byzantine Egypt: The emperor Diocletian in the province; The emergence of asceticism and monasticism; The church in the Egyptian countryside; The Arab conquest, continuities and changes</p>												
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【履修要件】

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【成績評価の方法・観点】

Method: traditional lecture, individual and group work on sources, class discussion. Evaluation: Class attendance and participation 40%, individual presentation 30%, oral exam 30%

【教科書】

ピーター・パーソンズ（高橋亮介訳）『パピルスが語る古代都市: ローマ支配下エジプトのギリシア人』（知泉書館）ISBN:978-4862853684

Peter Parsons 『City of the Sharp-Nosed Fish: Greek Lives in Roman Egypt』（Weidenfeld & Nicolson）ISBN:978-0753822333

【参考書等】

（参考書）

アンゲロス・ハニオティス（藤井崇訳）『アレクサンドロス以後』（名古屋大学出版会）ISBN: 978-4815811709

Angelos Chaniotis 『Age of Conquests: The Greek World from Alexander to Hadrian (336 BC #8211 AD 138)』（Profile Books Ltd）ISBN:978-1846682971

【授業外学修（予習・復習）等】

Course material will be offered for download in advance

【その他（オフィスアワー等）】

【主要授業科目（学部・学科名）】