UNIVERSITY OF MALTA

Near Eastern Studies Programme of Studies
(for courses commencing October 2009)

Arabic as a Subsidiary Area in the EDRC Degree

YEAR ONE (2009-2010)

Semester 1 (October 2009- January 2010)

**Compulsory Study Units** (all students must register for these units)

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There are no elective units in the first semester of the course. Students will be given the opportunity to make study-unit choices later on during the course after they would have got used to university studies.

Arabic workload this semester: 12 credits

Semester 2 (February 2010-June 2010)

**Compulsory Study Units** (all students must register for these units)

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Arabic workload this semester: 14 credits

Arabic workload this year: 26 credits

**N.B.** EDRC students are reminded that during their first year of study they are required to register for and obtain 26 credits in their subsidiary area of study.
YEAR TWO (2010-2011)

Semester 1 (October 2010-January 2011)

Compulsory Study Units (all students must register for these units)
ARB3001 Arabic Readings I 6credits Non-Compensatable

Choose study-units to the value of 4 credits from elective study-units on offer in the first and second semester.

Elective Study Unit
ARB3005 Arabic Dialectology 4credits
ARB2022 Arab History and Civilization I 4credits
NES2003 Introduction to the Semitic Languages 4credits

Arabic minimum Workload this semester: 6 credits

Semester 2 (February 2011-June 2011)

Choose study-units to the value of 4 credits from elective study-units on offer in the first and second semester.

Elective Study Unit
ARB3027 Islamic History and Civilization II 4credits
ARB3042 Arabic Literature II 4credits

Arabic Workload this semester: 4 credits

Total Arabic Workload this semester: 10 credits

N.B. EDRC students are reminded that during their second year of study they are required to register for and obtain 10 credits in their subsidiary area of study.

At the end of their second year, EDRC students are required to have obtained 36 credits in their subsidiary area.