ISLAM IN EGYPT
RLST 410
Cairo, Egypt
June 15-July 17, 2009

PROGRAM SUMMARY
Learn about the rich diversity of Islamic religious life and interpretation in Egypt today! Students learn about Egyptian history and culture, visit Cairo’s major Islamic monuments, witness Sufi rituals and popular celebrations, visit Islamic charitable organizations, and meet a wide variety of Egyptians, including scholars, religious teachers, students, and social activists of various types and persuasions. This course is designed primarily for students who have already had one or more courses on Islam or the Middle East.

PROGRAM FEE* $3300
Includes: Airfare, local transportation, tours of Islamic monuments. Does not include: Housing, meals, visa, U of I tuition and fees, personal expenses

LAS students are eligible for a $500-1100 scholarship. All students should visit www.studyabroad.uiuc.edu for additional scholarship, pricing, and application information.

* This is an estimated fee at this time. Cost can fluctuate as a result of changing exchange rates, number of participants, etc.

DEADLINE
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PREREQUISITE
Course on Islam or Middle East (Note: There is such a course available on campus during Summer Session I) or instructor’s permission. Knowledge of Arabic is not necessary.

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