NEW COURSE FOR SPRING 2017

IGS 110A

Religion and Secularism in French & Francophone Culture

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M, W 2:00 PM–3:20 PM

Tackling the persistent power of religion in France and the Francophone World in spite of common ideals of secularism, we will explore, through literature and film, the historical and contemporary cultural wars waged around the notion of "laïcité" — its struggles against Catholicism and confrontations with Islam, as well as the minority experiences of Jews, Muslims, and Protestants.