Green Legacies: Ecology in Ancient Civilizations

Course code: HIS 3130 Total contact hours: 60 hours Pre-requisite: None

Course Overview

In this course students, will learn about the relationship ancient civilizations like Egypt, China, Mesopotamia, India, Greece, Rome, the Celts, and the Pre-Columbian Americans had with their environment. Students will explore how these cultures interacted with nature and managed resources, as land, forests, water and minerals. Also, they will be able to identify the main characteristics that allow civilizations to create a sustainable relationship with their surroundings and habitat, if the case.

This historic overview will allow students to compare our present-day societies with the Ancient World.