THE UNFINISHED ARAB REVOLUTIONS: POWER, POLITICS AND GOVERNANCE IN THE MIDDLE EAST

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Structured in one week of lectures, it is the first Summer School in Italy and Europe specifically focused on Middle East politics.

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WHY

In response to the growing interest in the Middle East, the eighth edition of the Summer School “Understanding the Middle East” critically unpacks power, politics and governance exploring their role in re-defining the trajectories of Arab states 10 years after the so-called Arab uprisings. The challenging and highly intensive programme will provide the students with the necessary tools of analysis to better understand the complexity of the Middle East and, at the same time, to put forward thoughtful explanations rather than oversimplifications.

The Summer School favours a political science approach offering interpretations that are useful to better comprehend the main critical issues at the regional level as well as to dedicate the necessary attention to the ongoing dynamics in some of the countries where the Arab uprisings were generated.

The working language is English and participation is open to students and professionals willing to critically explore the complex facets of the political dynamics of the Middle East region. The detailed program is available on-line.

Students who do not live in the Turin area may apply for one of the 10 FREETORINO scholarships (see tomid east website for the details).

The School will accept applications from March 14th to June 17th 2021.

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