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The historical and archaeological areas of interest include Egypt, Anatolia, the Levant, Syria, Iraq, Iran, Arabia, India, Uzbekistan and Xinjiang. The languages range from ancient Egyptian to Akkadian, Hittite, Ugaritic, Syriac, Middle Iranian languages and Sanskrit.



Off-site classes and excavations

The numerous excavation projects in the areas covered by the MA course, together with off-site lectures, also give students the opportunity to supplement their theoretical training with field experiences.

