

## Brief Course Outline

**Course Title:** **Histories of Love**

**Course Number and Section**

HISTORY

1815F 550

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Disclaimer: Information in the brief course outline is subject to change. The syllabus posted on OWL Brightspace is the official and authoritative source of information for the course.

### Course Description:

What is love? How do we know? How have concepts and expressions of love changed over time? This course will explore these questions using historiographical tools from the broader field of the history of the emotions.

### Learning Outcomes: one outcome per entry

Recognize and define major themes in recent scholarship on histories of the emotions and how they relate to other fields of study

Develop the close readings skills that will equip you for advanced study in history, law or education

Improve your writing skills; your ability to organize your time; your critical and analytical faculties; your ability to develop, discuss, and defend ideas in person and in writing

Conduct original research using primary and secondary materials, and present your research findings effectively through written assignments and in class

### Textbooks and Course Materials:

All materials are free and available online.

### Methods of Evaluation: one assignment per entry

Assignment	Due Date mm/dd/yy	Weight - %
Integrity Tututorial	05/17/2026	5
Research Journal	05/19/2026	25
Research Journal 2	05/25/2026	25
Research Journal 3	06/01/2026	25
Participation		20

In solidarity with the Anishinaabe, Haudenosaunee, Lūnaapéewak, and Chonnonton peoples on whose traditional treaty and unceded territories this course is shared.

Tuesday, May 12, 2026

# Huron Brief Course Outline

## In-course Costs

\$000.00

For Textbooks and Course Materials (below), you are required to include the cost of each textbook or other learning material.

Note whether there are any restrictions that would prevent a student from using a second-hand copy. Here is some suggested text:

- Required textbook: [author, title, edition, publisher, date]. Cost: [insert amount].
  - Or include the weblink of the textbook's publisher site that includes the cost information.
- Students need to purchase this edition. Second-hand or older editions will not be sufficient.
- OR Students are welcome to purchase second-hand or earlier editions of this textbook.
- This course has an optional field trip that costs [insert amount].
- This course has a required field component that costs [insert amount].