

Brief Course Outline

Course Title: Red, White, Black et Blancs: The Americas to the 1860s

Course Number and Section:

HISTORY

2710F 550

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Course Description:

This course examines the history of North America from 1450 to 1867. The course addresses the histories of North American, European and African peoples and their interactions with each other. Key themes addressed in this course are imperial and colonial expansion, slavery and indigeneity, religion, and political revolution. It is designed as a precursor to HIST 2204G and HIST 2304G.

Learning Outcomes:

Students will understand the diversity of Indigenous peoples living in North America and those who came to live on their lands.

Students will understand • the diversity of African, Asian, and European influences on North America and the impact of immigration from these places.

Students will be able to explain • the key historiographical debates defining this period and the strengths and weaknesses of studying it through national frameworks.

Students will refine • the skills necessary to form a historically-focused research project.

Textbooks and Course Materials:

This course is built using Open Educational Resources, available on our course OWL page. All readings should be completed before attending the class for which they have been assigned.

Methods Of Evaluation:

Assignment	Due Date mm/dd/yy	Weight - %
Weekly Summaries		45
Book Review	10/21/2024	10
Group Report	11/25/2024	10
Self/Peer Evaluation	12/2/2024	5

Assignment	Due Date mm/dd/yy	Weight - %
Final Exam		30

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

Monday, August 12, 2024