

CATALOG INFORMATION

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Dept & Nbr: HST 205 Title: WORLD HISTORY TO 1500

Full Title: World History to 1500

Units	Course Hours	Per Week	Nbr of Weeks	Course Hours	Total
Max: 3.0	Lecture	3.0	17	Lecture	51.0
Min: 3.0	Lab	0.0		Lab	0.0
	Contact DHR	0.0		Contact DHR	0.0
	Contact Total	3.0		Contact Total	51.0
	Non-contact DHR	0.0		Non-contact DHR	0.0

Title 5 Category: 01 AA Degree Applic
Grading: GC Credit course for grade or CR/NC
Repeatability: 00 No repeatability allowed or defined
Also listed as:

CATALOG DESCRIPTION:

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PREREQUISITES:

COREQUISITES:

RECOMMENDED PREPARATION:

English 200

LIMITS ON ENROLLMENT:

SCHEDULE OF CLASSES INFORMATION:

Recommended: English 200

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Transfer Credit: CSU.

ARTICULATION and CERTIFICATE INFORMATION

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ASSOCIATE DEGREE: Effective: FALL 2008 Inactive:
 Area: B2 SOCIAL & BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES
 C HUMANITIES

CSU GE: Effective: FALL 2008 Inactive:
 Transfer area: C2 HUMANITIES
 D6 HISTORY

IGETC: Effective: FALL 2008 Inactive:
 Transfer area: 3B HUMANITIES
 4F HISTORY

CSU TRANSFER: TRANSFERABLE Effective: FALL 2008 Inactive:

UC TRANSFER: Effective: Inactive:

CAN:

CERTIFICATE APPLICABLE: B BOTH CERTIFICATE AND MAJOR APPLICABLE

APPROVAL AND DATES

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 Department approved: Debra Polak Date: 10/16/2007
 Curriculum approved: 09/20/2007 Version approved: 09/20/2007
 Prerequisites approved: 09/20/2007 Last reviewed: 09/20/2007
 Term effective: FALL 2008 Last taught: Inactive:

COURSE CONTENT

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OUTCOME AND OBJECTIVES:

1. Compare and contrast differing opinions on issues of historical development
2. Evaluate the importance of interaction between Western and non-Western peoples
3. Identify and Describe events of historical importance
4. Analyze the connection between geography and cultural development
5. Identify factors which lead to the success or failure of a given civilization
6. Identify connections between the past and the present

TOPICS AND SCOPE:

1. The Concept of Civilization
2. Early Civilizations
 - West Asia and the Aegean, 300-500 BCE
 - South and East Asia
3. Age of Great Faiths and Philosophies
4. Classical Age, 500 BCE - 400 CE (AD)
5. Disruption and Renewal, 400 BCE - 1200 CE (AD)
6. New Centers of Civilization Emerge
 - the Americas: Cahokia, Central Mexico, South America
7. The Interplay of Europe and Asia, 1100-1500

ASSIGNMENTS:

READING ASSIGNMENTS:

Textbook material and assigned essays

WRITING ASSIGNMENTS:

In class essay exams

One review essay

One research paper

OUTSIDE ASSIGNMENTS:

None

METHOD OF INSTRUCTION:

Lectures and class discussion

METHODS OF EVALUATION:

In class exams, evaluation of class participation, and evaluation of written work for analytical content and knowledge of subject matter.

BASIS FOR GRADING:

The assignment of a grade is based on the level of achievement of the outcomes and objectives of the course outline and is reflected in quantifiable terms in the course syllabus.

REPRESENTATIVE TEXTBOOKS:

World History, Comprehensive edition by Jiu-Hwa Upshur, Wadsworth Publishing, Fourth edition, 2001.

RATIONALE

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Our history department is not providing the broad education that our students need. Most colleges offer World History courses. We offer Western Civ, which gives the students a more narrow, Euro-centric view of the world. Our students need to be more well versed in World History and this history department needs to update its curriculum to remain current with the dominant trends in California colleges.

RESOURCES REQUIRED

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MISCELLANEOUS

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Advisory generate desc:	N	NO
Area department:	HST	HISTORY
Audit flag:	N	NOT AUDITABLE
Basic skills:	X	NOT BASIC SKILLS
Classification:	A	Liberal Arts and Sciences
Cost level:	00	VALUE NOT FOUND
Disciplines:		HISTORY
Division:	02	MERIDITH RANDALL
Faculty service areas:		HISTORY
Fee:	\$0.00	
In-service:	X	NOT IN-SERVICE
Level below transfer:	X	NOT APPLICABLE
Matric-requiring:	X	Exempt from assessment
Maximum class size:	0	
Maximum wait list:	0	
Method of instruction:	02	LECTURE
Non-credit category:	X	NOT APPLICABLE, CREDIT COURSE
Open entry/exit:	N	Not open entry/exit
Pacs activity:	2205	HISTORY
Pacs program project:	0000	
Preq/coreq generate desc:	N	NO
Preq/coreq provisional:	N	NO
Preq/coreq reg check:	N	NO PREREQUISITE RULES EXIST
Repeat group id:		
Requires instructor sig:	N	INSTRUCTOR'S SIGNATURE NOT REQUIRED
SAM classification:	E	Non-occupational
Selected/special topic:	N	NOT A SELECTED TOPIC COURSE
Special class:	X	NOT A SPECIAL COURSE
TOP code:	2205.00	HISTORY
Workload:	0.0000	