Mendocino College

COURSE LEVEL STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES

	Semester	Year
Term Effective:	Fall	2007

Title: Contemporary America: The People And The Issues *(limit to 50 characters including spaces)*

Course Number: HST 150

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Units Min: 3.00

Units Max: 3.00

If this is a variable unit course, then the relationship between units and any difference in expected SLO's should be explained.

Lecture Hours: 3.00 to 3.00

Lab Hours: 0.00 to 0.00

Activity Hours: 0.00 to 0.00

Student Learning Outcomes: *(Enter the SLO's in an outline format. Use the Ctrl + Tab keys to indent for subtopics.)*

By the end of the course, the student will be able to

1. Identify the major forces that have shaped the role of the individual in modern society.
2. Analyze the current foreign policy of the US in the context of its historical rise to world power.
3. Evaluate the success of the civil rights movement
4. Assess the causes and effects of reduced participation in civic life by American citizens.
5. Identify the major players and influences in the American labor movement.
6. Identify the current demographic forces at work in society and assess their future impact on American society.
7. Demonstrate an understanding of current events by incorporating related historical influences.

Assessment:

1. Evaluation of essays, including homework assignments and examinations
2. Responses to specific questions on written tests.

SIGNATURES / APPROVALS:

Instructor(s) _____ Signature _____ Date

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