**History Undergraduate Courses | Fall 2021**

**HIST 20600 Modern Europe**

An overview of the social, economic, political, and intellectual developments in Europe from the Enlightenment to the present, and an introduction to the study of history. Topics include the problems of revolution, industrialization and the transformation of rural societies, the emergence of liberalism and the challenges it has faced in the 20th century.

* **Section E**
  + **Mon & Wed 2 – 3:15 PM | NAC 5/101 IN PERSON | James Lewis**
* **Section G**
  + **Mon & Wed 2 ­– 6:15 PM | NAC 6/115 IN PERSON | James Lewis**
* **Section M**
  + **Tues & Thurs 11 – 2:15 | ONLINE | Barbara Syrrakos**

**HIST 21300 The Historians Craft**

Designed to introduce history as an academic discipline. It offers students an intensive introduction to research skills and the principles and methods of historical analysis. Helps students enhance their critical reading and writing skills while increasing their understanding of the nature of historical inquiry.

* **Section E**
  + **Mon & Wed 2 – 3:15 PM | ONLINE | Seiji Shirane**
* **Section M**
  + **Tues & Thurs 11 – 12:15 | ONLINE | Yaari Felber-Seligman**

**HIST 22900 Africa before 1500 (cross-listed with Black Studies 31150)**

Course will examine such early civilizations as the Axum, Nubia, Jenne-jeno, Ile-Ife, central African rainforest societies, Swahili towns, and Great Zimbabwe. Close attention will be paid to how mobility, technological innovation, environmental management, and cross-cultural interaction have shaped African history.

* + **Tues & Thurs 2 – 3:15 PM | ONLINE | Yaari Felber-Seligman**

**HIST 23900 20th Century Europe through Film**

An overview of twentieth-century European history that pairs classic films with iconic texts.

* **Tues & Thurs 11 – 12:15 PM | ONLINE | Clifford Rosenberg**

**HIST 24000 The United States: From Its Origins to 1877**

The major theological and social conflicts of 17th century English colonies; the political and ideological process that defined an American identity; the social and economic forces that shaped the early republic; the nature of the civil war.

* **Section B** 
  + **Mon & Wed 9:30 – 10:45 AM | ONLINE | Alexander Gambaccini**
* **Section L**
  + **Tues & Thurs 9:30 – 10:45 AM | HYBRID – Tues: NAC 6/112 Thurs: ONLINE | Alexander Gambaccini**

**HIST 24100 The United States: Since 1865**

Examines the social conflicts that accompanied the transformation of the United States from an agrarian republic and slave society to one of the most powerful industrial nations in the world. Particular attention will be paid to the building of new social and economic institutions and to cultural and visual representations of the nation and its people.

* **Section C**
  + **Mon & Wed 11 – 12:15 PM | ONLINE | Matthew Vaz**
* **Section G**
  + **Mon & Wed 5 – 6:15 PM | ONLINE | Matthew Cotter**
* **Section M**
  + **Tues & Thurs 11 – 12:15 PM | NAC 6/113 IN PERSON | John Gillooly**

**HIST 25300 Modern China**

Change and continuity in the Chinese tradition across the 19th and 20th centuries. The encounter with the West, social and political disruptions, efforts to industrialize, and especially the evolution and outcome of the Chinese revolution will be stressed.

* **Section F** 
  + **Mon & Wed 3:30 – 4:45 PM | ONLINE | Danian Hu**
* **Section G** 
  + **Mon & Wed 5 – 6:15 PM | ONLINE | Danian Hu**

**HIST 28000 Latin America in World History**

A historical introduction to the cultures and societies of Latin America and

the Caribbean from the Pre-Colombian era to the present and their place in

world history.

* **Mon & Weds 12:30 – 1:45 PM | HYBRID – Mon: ONLINE, Weds: NAC 6/113 | Matthew Vaz**

**HIST 31133 India after Gandhi**

* **Mon & Wed 12:30 – 1:45 PM | ONLINE | Ravi Kalia**

**HIST 31686 Science and Society**

This course uses topical issues and recent scientific controversies to introduce students to the history of science. It will be organized around modules. Examples: the first module will take recent manifestations of eugenic thinking to introduce students to the history of the eugenics movement; 2) This module will use the torture scandal to introduce students to the history of bio- and medical ethics; 3) the US’s withdrawal from the Paris climate accord will be the point of departure for a module on environmental history. Practitioners in a range of disciplines (environmental science, psychology, medicine, philosophy) will deliver guest lectures.

* **Tues & Thurs 2 – 3:15 PM | ONLINE | Andreas Killen**

**HIST 31690 The United Kingdom from Decolonization to Brexit**

* **Tues & Thurs 9:30 – 10:45 AM | ONLINE | Barbara Syrrakos**

**HIST 32100 Early America**

* **Mon & Wed 9:30 – 10:45 AM | ONLINE | Darren Staloff**

**HIST 32400 Civil War and Reconstruction**

Analyzes the causes, course, and consequences of the American Civil War. Topics include sectional crisis in an era of antebellum expansion, slavery and emancipation as political and personal realities, and Reconstruction conflicts over the new status of freedpeople in the South and the future of alternative sovereignties in the West.

* **Mon & Wed 3:30 – 4:45 PM | ONLINE | Alexandra Stern**

**HIST 32501 The Gilded Age and Progressive Era**

The political, economic, and social phases of the development of the United States from Reconstruction to the First World War.

* **Tues & Thurs 2 – 3:15 PM | NAC 6/113 IN PERSON | John Gillooly**

**HIST 32600 The U.S. from 1914 to 1945**

America and World War I, the Roaring Twenties, the Depression and New Deal, Roosevelt's leadership, World War II.

* **Tues & Thurs 5 – 6:15 PM | NAC 6/113 IN PERSON | John Gillooly**

**HIST 33350 Twentieth-Century China (combined section with ASIA 31112)**

* **Mon & Wed 11 – 12:15 PM | ONLINE | Danian Hu**

**HIST 34900 The Third Reich**

Hitler, Nazism and Nazi Germany. Topics include: social, economic, and political preconditions to the Nazi takeover; anti-semitism; cultural and artistic policies of Nazi Germany; the churches; the film industry; varieties of resistance; concentration camps; the conquest of Europe; mass murder; fall of the Third Reich. (W)

* **Tues & Thurs 3:30 – 4:45 PM | ONLINE | Andreas Killen**

**HIST 36300 African-American History to Emancipation (cross-listed with Black Studies 31173)**

During the Fall 2021 semester, African American History to Emancipation, AKA: History and Memory in the Early Modern Atlantic World, will operate as a HyFlex class. HyFlex means we will be using technology so that students who wish to attend class in person and students who wish to attend class remotely will be able to do so. We will meet in person or remotely synchronously (at the assigned class meeting time) and you will be able to access course materials online asynchronously (at your convenience). Everyone will be able to participate fully and safely.

We will explore the history, memory, and representation of enslavement and abolition in the United States. The key questions we are posing are: how do we recover the unrecoverable and how do we remember the “unrememberable?” We will consider the history of enslavement in the Atlantic World, its legacies in the United States, the gaps in our knowledge, the global trauma of Atlantic World Slavery, and contemporary and contemporaneous representations. Key themes include: the formation of the Atlantic World, enslavement, the transatlantic slave trade, slavery in the United States, the formation of African American cultures, the emergence of race and racism, resistance and rebellion, abolition, emancipation, and the meaning of freedom.

* **Mon & Wed 5 – 6:15 PM | NAC 4/209 HYBRID | Laurie Woodard**

**HIST 20400 HNR Early-Modern Europe**

An overview of European history from the resurgence of urban life and classical  
culture during the Renaissance to the trials and tribulations of the  
French Revolution.

* **Mon & Wed 11 – 12:15 PM | ONLINE | Julian Gonzalez De Leon Heiblum**