# HIST 1112 Sections 06 and 12 Introduction to Modern World History

Semester: Fall 2019

**Location: Engineering Technology Center, Room 107** 

Time: 11:00-12:15 and 2:00-3:15

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Electronic Communications. The University provides all KSU students with an "official" email account with the address "students.kennesaw.edu." As a result of federal laws protecting educational information and other data, this is the sole email account you should use to communicate with your instructor or other University officials.

## **Course Description:**

This course is a survey of world history from early modern times to the present. The course examines themes, events, trends, and ideas with a focus on global connections and interactions.

### **Learning Objectives:**

HIST 1112 satisfies one of Kennesaw State University's general education program requirements. It addresses the SOCIAL SCIENCES general education learning outcome(s). The learning outcome states: Students analyze the complexity of human behavior and how social, historical, economic, political, or spatial relationships develop, persist, or change. For more information about KSU's General Education program requirements and associated learning outcomes, please visit <a href="http://catalog.kennesaw.edu/preview\_program.php?catoid=24&poid=2668">http://catalog.kennesaw.edu/preview\_program.php?catoid=24&poid=2668</a>

### **Required Reading: ISBN 978-1-319-01842-9**

Strayer, Robert W. and Nelson, Eric W. Ways of the World. A Brief Global History with Sources. Since the 15<sup>th</sup> Century. Volume 2. 3<sup>rd</sup> edition. Paperback. Bedford St. Martins, 2016

## **Attendance Policy:**

Students are solely responsible for managing their enrollment status in a class; nonattendance does not constitute a withdrawal.

Considering the rapid pace of this course, attaining a passing grade without regular attendance is extremely hard. Students are therefore strongly recommended but not required to attend class.

Students will sign in at the beginning of each class session so that anyone who never attends or who stops coming can be reported at the end of the semester.

## **Electronic Devices Policy:**

- Voice recorders are permitted in the classroom.
- **No Lap-tops** may be used in the classroom unless cleared by me for valid pedagogical reasons.
- **No cell phones** may be used in the classroom. Cell phones may not sit on desk tops or in laps.
- Failure to turn off these devices will result in a reduction of the FINAL grade by 2% for each infraction.
- Cases in which these devices are needed for emergency communication must be cleared by me beforehand.
- No electronic equipment may be visible during exams/quizzes with penalty of automatic failure for the course.

## **Course Assessments/Assignments:**

- There will be **THREE** exams, spread throughout the semester. The last one will be the final exam.
- Each exam will have 60 multiple choice questions, worth 60 points
- Each exam will have a written section worth 40 points
- Students will need to have a Scantron sheet for each exam, and a Blue/Green Book (any size) for the in-class written sections of the tests. One book should be enough for the semester.
- **FOUR map quizzes** will be given. Students will have a word bank in advance from which to study, and will be able to consult it during the quiz. Each map quiz will be worth 10 points. **Map quizzes are scheduled**
- **EIGHT Pop (unannounced) quizzes** will be given on the reading in the textbook and the sources. They will each be worth 10 points. **These will be given in class** the day the assignment is due.
- Quizzes on the sources will be based on the questions accompanying them.
- The lowest two grades of the quizzes will be dropped. There will be no makeups for quizzes.
- Quizzes will be given promptly at the beginning of class. Students who are tardy will not be given extra time to finish.

## **Grading:**

## **Grade calculation:**

THREE exams worth 100 points each = 300 points. 75% of the grade TEN quizzes (maps, chapter readings and sources) = 100 points 25% of grade.

## **Makeup Exams and Late Assignments:**

Aside from an exceptional circumstance students will not be able to make up a test. If such a situation exists then sound documentation will be needed. "Not being ready for the test" will not

be acceptable. All exams will be made up on Friday December 6<sup>th</sup>. Students must see me in advance to determine the time.

No make-ups will be given for the quizzes. The lowest two quiz grades will be dropped

## **Grading Scale**

Students are evaluated on the following scale:

A - 360-400 points

B - 320-359 points

C - 280-319 points

D - 240-279 points

F – Below 240 points

I—Indicates an incomplete grade for the course, and will be awarded only when the student has done satisfactory work up to the last two weeks of the semester, but for nonacademic reasons beyond his/her control is unable to meet the full requirements of the course. Incomplete grades are only valid after submission of the Incomplete Grade form (signed by both the instructor and student) to the Department Chair's office.

Academic Integrity. Every KSU student is responsible for upholding the provisions of the Student Code of Conduct, as published in the Undergraduate and Graduate Catalogs. Section 5. C of the Student Code of Conduct addresses the university's policy on academic honesty, including provisions regarding plagiarism and cheating, unauthorized access to university materials, misrepresentation/falsification of university records or academic work, malicious removal, retention, or destruction of library materials, malicious/intentional misuse of computer facilities and/or services, and misuse of student identification cards. Incidents of alleged academic misconduct will be handled through the established procedures of the Department of Student Conduct and Academic Integrity (SCAI), which includes either an "informal" resolution by a faculty member, resulting in a grade adjustment, or a formal hearing procedure, which may subject a student to the Code of Conduct's minimum one semester suspension requirement. See also https://web.kennesaw.edu/scai/content/ksu-student-code-conduct.

Cheating and Plagiarism: Violations can result in consequences up to and including an automatic grade of F in the class and be referred to the KSU Department of Student Conduct and Academic Integrity

If a student is not sure what constitutes plagiarism one of the following websites should be consulted.

http://plagiarism.org/

http://www.indiana.edu/~wts/pamphlets/plagiarism.shtml

http://www.library.arizona.edu/help/tutorials/plagiarism/index.html

## **ADA Compliance:**

Students with qualifying disabilities under the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) and/or Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act who require "reasonable accommodation(s)" to complete the course may request those from Office of Student Disability Services. Students requiring such accommodations are required to work with the University's Office of Student Disability Services rather than engaging in this discussion with individual faculty members or academic departments. If, after reviewing the course syllabus, a student anticipates or should have anticipated a need for accommodation, he or she must submit documentation requesting an accommodation and permitting time for a determination prior to submitting assignments or taking course quizzes or exams. Students may not request retroactive accommodation for needs that were or should have been foreseeable. Students should contact the office as soon as possible in the term for which they are seeking accommodations. Student Disability Services is located on the ground floor of the Joe Mack Wilson Student Center.

Contact information:

SDS Email: <a href="mailto:sds@kennesaw.edu">sds@kennesaw.edu</a>

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Additional Student Rights and Responsibilities can be found in the Student Handbook

## **Course Schedule**

When: Reading and		Themes
other Assignments		
WEEK 1 Reading assignment.	8.22 pp. 499-518 DUE.  All assignments that say DUE mean that the reading has to be completed by the day shown. There may be a pop	The varieties of human experience in the early modern age.
WEEK 2 Reading assignments and map quiz	quiz on the material.  8.27 518-534 and 535-539 DUE  8.29 <b>Map Quiz</b> #1 and 547-570 DUE	Transformations in the economy, religion and science
WEEK 3 Reading assignments and map quiz	<ul> <li>9.3 571-588 and 593-595 DUE</li> <li>9.5 <b>Map Quiz</b> #2 and 601-620 DUE</li> </ul>	
WEEK 4	<ul><li>9.10 620-632 and 634-636 DUE</li><li>9.12 643-661 DUE</li></ul>	The Impact of the Atlantic Revolutions

WEEK 5 Reading assignments and TEST #1	9.17 661-677 and 679-681 DUE 9.19 <b>TEST #1</b>	
WEEK 6 Reading assignments.	9.24 689-708 DUE 9.26 709-728 DUE	How industrialization changed the world
WEEK 7 Reading assignments and map quiz	<ul> <li>10.1 Map Quiz #3 and 737-755 DUE</li> <li>10.3 755-773 and 783-784 DUE</li> </ul>	The impact of the New Colonialism
WEEK 8 Reading assignments and map quiz	10.8 <b>Map Quiz #4</b> and 787-805 DUE 10.10 805-823 and 829-830 DUE	
WEEK 9 Reading assignments	10.15 833-849 DUE 10.17 849-861 and 867-869 DUE	Global conflict and depression
WEEK 10 Reading assignment and TEST #2	10.22 873-898 DUE 10.24 <b>TEST #2</b>	•
WEEK 11 Reading assignment	<ul><li>10.29 No reading assignment due</li><li>10.31 898-920 and 925-927 DUE</li></ul>	
WEEK 12 Reading assignments	<ul><li>11.5 929-947 DUE</li><li>11.7 947-965 DUE</li></ul>	
WEEK 13 Reading assignments	11.12 975-994 DUE 11.14 994-1010 and 1016-1018 DUE	The world after the end of Empire

			Capitalism and its
WEEK 14 Reading	11.19	1023-1041 DUE	impact.
	11.21	1043-1061	
WEEK 15 Reading assignment	12.3	No assignment due	
	12.5	No assignment due	

Important Dates		
10.9	Last day to withdraw	
12.6	Make-up Exam Day (No quizzes can be made up.)	
12.10 (Tuesday)	FINAL EXAM.	
10:30-12:30 (11:00am. Class)		
1:00-3:00 (2:00pm. Class)		

## **Professional Courtesy**

In a large format classroom, courtesy toward your fellow students is absolutely necessary for maintaining a successful learning environment. The instructor has the right to remove any student(s) who engage in disruptive behavior including (but not limited to) excessive tardiness, excessive talking, and use of unapproved devices.