

COURSE DETAIL

WORLD HISTORY TO OCEANIC CONTACT

Country

Canada

Host Institution

University of British Columbia

Program(s)

University of British Columbia

UCEAP Course Level

Lower Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

History

UCEAP Course Number

24

UCEAP Course Suffix

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UCEAP Official Title

WORLD HISTORY TO OCEANIC CONTACT

UCEAP Transcript Title

WORLD HISTORY

UCEAP Quarter Units

3.00

UCEAP Semester Units

2.00

Course Description

This course will introduce students to important concepts, processes, and debates in World History (and Global History) from ancient times to the end of the 15th century. A fundamental goal of this course is to recognize that the premodern global past was not a Eurocentric phenomenon. It will de-center Europe in its study of the past and will pursue a greater plurality of perspectives than what historians have often traditionally examined. Students will be introduced to the practice of history: our goal is not to absorb random historical “facts” but to learn how to think historically and to strive to understand how past people understood the world around them. Throughout the course, students will reflect on the enduring relevance of the premodern past to their own lives and society in the 21st century.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

HIST 101

Host Institution Course Title

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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

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