COURSE DETAIL

INTRODUCTION TO WORLD HISTORY: MODERN ERA
Country Hong Kong
Host Institution Chinese University of Hong Kong
Program(s) Chinese University of Hong Kong
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) History
UCEAP Course Number 112
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title INTRODUCTION TO WORLD HISTORY: MODERN ERA
UCEAP Transcript Title INTRO WORLD HISTORY
UCEAP Quarter Units 4.50
UCEAP Semester Units 3.00

Course Description

This course examines the History of the Modern World – the events, people, and long-term developments which, since the end of the Middle Ages, have shaped and reshaped human society – with a focus on the growth of international developments and the creation of today's globalized world. Throughout the semester, we will also be interrogating the continued tensions between local identities and dynamics, state centralization and the rise of nationalism, the spread of Western notions of universalism, and non-Western societies' adaptation to or rejection of those dynamics. What role did the Christianization of Latin America play in the imperial project? What did it mean for a sparsely-populated settler-colonial society to declare that all men are created equal? How "anti-colonial" were the Marxist movements of the Global South?

Language(s) of Instruction
English

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HIST 2007

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