

**HISTORY 104**  
**Fall 2012****I. ASSIGNED READING**

McKay, Hill & Buckler, *A History of Western Society since 1300* (10<sup>th</sup> edition)

**II. OFFICE HOURS:**

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Tuesday 10-11:00

Feel free to use email for course-related questions and comments. In addition, you should subscribe to the Hist104 class list, which will be used for important announcements, including the posting of exam questions.

**FOOD FOR THOUGHT:** I am always interested in getting together with students over a meal, whether it's a bag lunch in my office or a dinner at a fraternity, sorority or residence hall (such as the Ford Dining Facility, which I visit regularly as a Cary Quad faculty fellow).

**III. GUIDELINES:**

A. **CLASS ATTENDANCE** is mandatory and will be taken regularly. Each student will be permitted three absences, for which it will be automatically assumed that s/he has a valid excuse. After these three absences, 2% will be deducted from the final course grade for each missed class unless it is accompanied by a written excuse from a doctor, academic counselor, coach, etc. Students who arrive late or leave early should use the back entrance or take a seat on the floor near where they entered; they may also be marked absent unless they confer before/after class with the teaching assistant, who will have the discretion of marking him/her present.

B. **FINAL COURSE GRADES** will be based almost exclusively on a level averaging of the three 60-minute exams, although they may be modified by spot quizzes (up to 5% of the course credit), and adjusted upward by extraordinary class participation and satisfactory completion of all three map assignments. I do not offer or accept extra credit work.

C. **A MAJOR CAMPUS EMERGENCY**, might necessitate making changes in the syllabus, including course requirements, deadlines, grading procedures and attendance policies, in which case instructions will be provided in class and/or via email.

D. **PLAGIARISM** refers to the reproduction of another's words/ideas without proper attribution. University Regulations contains further information on dishonesty. Plagiarism and other forms of academic dishonesty are serious offenses, and will be treated as such. You are expected to produce your own work and to accurately cite all necessary materials. Cheating, plagiarism, and other dishonest practices (including copying assigned maps from other students) will be punished as harshly as Purdue University policies allow. Any instances of academic dishonesty will likely result in a grade of F for the course and referral to the Dean of Students Office.

**IV. CLASS SCHEDULE****READING:**

August	21	Medieval Mentality	
	23	Italian Renaissance	372-387
	28	Art & Society	387-397, 442-475
	30	The Reformation	397-412
September	4	Wars of Religion	412-438
	6	Spain: Golden Age & Decline	478-487, 492-493
	11	France: Absolutism	487-492
	13	Central Europe: Cameralism	494-505
	18	England: Constitutionalism	506-515
	20	Science & Enlightenment	518-543
	24	<b>EXAMINATION #1:* 6:30-7:30 PM - LILY 1105</b>	
	25	Enlightened Absolutism	543-550
	27	French Revolution	618-633
October	2	The Revolutionary Wars	633-651
	4	Age of Metternich	684-690
	11	Industrial Revolution	552-614, 654-681
	16	Revolutions of 1848	691-713
	18	German & Italian Unification	748-759
	23	Bourgeois Society	716-746, 759-778
	25	The New Imperialism	780-811
	30	Road to Sarajevo	814-821
	30	<b>EXAMINATION #2:* 6:30PM - 07:30 PM - LILY 1105</b>	
November	1	World War I	821-833
	6	Peacemaking 1919	833-849
	8	Crisis of the Middle Class	852-883
	13	Fascism & Totalitarianism	886-900
	15	Hitler's Germany	900-907
	20	World War II	907-920
	27	The Cold War Begins	922-937
	29	Nuclear Stalemate	937-991
December	4	The Post-Communist World	994-1024
	6	<b>NO CLASS*</b>	

**EXAMINATION #3\***

\*We have reserved 120 minutes total for each of the two evening exams. The time is compensated by the cancellation the December 6 class (= 75 minutes) and the reduction of the exam week meeting by 45 minutes.