

## OFFICIAL UNDERGRADUATE COURSE OUTLINE FORM

Note: The University reserves the right to amend course outlines as needed without notice.

<b>Course Code and Number:</b> HIST 318		<b>Number of Credits:</b> 4 <a href="#">Course credit policy (105)</a>																	
<b>Course Full Title:</b> History of Modern Germany <b>Course Short Title (if title exceeds 30 characters):</b>																			
<b>Faculty:</b> Faculty of Humanities		<b>Department (or program if no department):</b> History																	
<b>Calendar Description:</b> Examines the history of Modern Germany from French Occupation in the 1790s to the (re)unification of Germany in 1990. Focal areas include state formation, political culture, social and cultural upheaval, war, genocide, reconstruction, and the Cold War.																			
<b>Prerequisites (or NONE):</b>		Nine credits of lower-level history or 45 university-level credits.																	
<b>Corequisites (if applicable, or NONE):</b>																			
<b>Pre/corequisites (if applicable, or NONE):</b>																			
<b>Equivalent Courses (cannot be taken for additional credit)</b> Former course code/number: Cross-listed with: Equivalent course(s): <i>Note: Equivalent course(s) should be included in the calendar description by way of a note that students with credit for the equivalent course(s) cannot take this course for further credit.</i>		<b>Transfer Credit</b> Transfer credit already exists: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Transfer credit requested (OREg to submit to BCCAT): <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No (if yes, fill in transfer credit form) Resubmit revised outline for articulation: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No To find out how this course transfers, see <a href="http://bctransferguide.ca">bctransferguide.ca</a> .																	
<b>Total Hours: 60</b> <b>Typical structure of instructional hours:</b> <table border="1"> <tr> <td>Lecture hours</td> <td>30</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Seminars/tutorials/workshops</td> <td>30</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Laboratory hours</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Field experience hours</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Experiential (practicum, internship, etc.)</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Online learning activities</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Other contact hours:</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>Total</b></td> <td><b>60</b></td> </tr> </table>		Lecture hours	30	Seminars/tutorials/workshops	30	Laboratory hours		Field experience hours		Experiential (practicum, internship, etc.)		Online learning activities		Other contact hours:		<b>Total</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>Special Topics</b> Will the course be offered with different topics? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No If yes, different lettered courses may be taken for credit: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes, repeat(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Yes, no limit <i>Note: The specific topic will be recorded when offered.</i>	
Lecture hours	30																		
Seminars/tutorials/workshops	30																		
Laboratory hours																			
Field experience hours																			
Experiential (practicum, internship, etc.)																			
Online learning activities																			
Other contact hours:																			
<b>Total</b>	<b>60</b>																		
		<b>Maximum enrolment (for information only):</b> 30 <b>Expected frequency of course offerings (every semester, annually, every other year, etc.):</b> Every second year																	
<b>Department / Program Head or Director:</b> Dr. Chris Leach		<b>Date approved:</b> March 2017																	
<b>Faculty Council approval</b>		<b>Date approved:</b> April 7, 2017																	
<b>Campus-Wide Consultation (CWC)</b>		<b>Date of posting:</b> May 12, 2017																	
<b>Dean/Associate VP:</b> Dr. Jacqueline Nolte		<b>Date approved:</b> April 7, 2017																	
<b>Undergraduate Education Committee (UEC) approval</b>		<b>Date of meeting:</b> May 19, 2017																	

**Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this course, students will be able to:

- Identify the major events in the last two centuries of German history, and describe their historical significance;
- Analyze the so-called "special path" of German history;
- Identify modern Germany in its many facets, having focused on nationalism, industrialization, socialism, conservatism, Liberalism, militarism, anti-semitism, and what it means to be "German";
- Demonstrate analytical skills in writing and verbal presentation.

**Prior Learning Assessment and Recognition (PLAR)**

☒ Yes      ☐ No, PLAR cannot be awarded for this course because

**Typical Instructional Methods (guest lecturers, presentations, online instruction, field trips, etc.; may vary at department's discretion)**

The format of this course will include lectures, in-class discussions, viewing films, and student presentations.

**Grading system:** Letter Grades: ☒ Credit/No Credit: ☐ Labs to be scheduled independent of lecture hours: Yes ☐ No ☒

**NOTE: The following sections may vary by instructor. Please see course syllabus available from the instructor.**

**Typical Text(s) and Resource Materials (if more space is required, download Supplemental Texts and Resource Materials form)**

Martin Kitchen. *A History of Modern Germany: 1800-2000*. Oxford: Blackwell Publishing, 2006.

**Required Additional Supplies and Materials (software, hardware, tools, specialized clothing, etc.)**

None

**Typical Evaluation Methods and Weighting**

Final exam:	25%	Assignments:	%	Midterm exam:	20%	Practicum:	%
Quizzes/tests:	%	Lab work:	%	Field experience:	%	Book analysis:	15%
Class Participation:	15%	Research paper:	25%	Other:	%	Total:	100%

**Details (if necessary):**

**Typical Course Content and Topics**

Week 1	Introduction: What is German History?
Week 2	French Occupation to the Defeat of Napoleon
Week 3	German Restoration Politics and German Nationalism
Week 4	1848 Revolutions in Frankfurt and Berlin
Week 5	The New Era & The Unification of Germany
Week 6	Bismarck, the <i>Kulturkampf</i> , and German Democracy
Week 7	Wilhelmine Germany and the Outbreak of the First World War
Week 8	The First World War and the Versailles Settlement
Week 9	The Weimar Republic and the Rise of Nazism
Week 10	The Second World War and the Holocaust
Week 11	Occupied Germany and the formation of Two Germanies
Week 12	Germany (East and West), the Iron Curtain & Détente
Week 13	The Road to German (Re)unification