

COURSE IMPLEMENTATION DATE: January 1996
 COURSE REVISED IMPLEMENTATION DATE: September 2007
 COURSE TO BE REVIEWED: September 2007
 (Four years after implementation date)

OFFICIAL COURSE OUTLINE INFORMATION

Students are advised to keep course outlines in personal files for future use.
 Shaded headings are subject to change at the discretion of the department and the material will vary
 - see course syllabus available from instructor

FACULTY/DEPARTMENT: _____	History	
HIST 385	N/A	4
COURSE NAME/NUMBER	FORMER COURSE NUMBER	UCFV CREDITS
Imperialism and Colonialism in Modern Asia		
COURSE DESCRIPTIVE TITLE		

CALENDAR DESCRIPTION:

This course will examine the process of empire building in Asia by the major imperial powers since the early nineteenth century. The impact of the various imperialist and colonial activities in different parts of Asia will also be studied.

PREREQUISITES: Nine credits of lower-level history.

Note: As of September 2008 the prerequisites will change to the following:
 One of HIST 115, HIST 235 or HIST 236; and either six additional credits of lower-level history or 42 additional university-level credits.

COREQUISITES: **None.**

SYNONYMOUS COURSE(S)	SERVICE COURSE TO:
(a) Replaces: _____ (Course #)	_____
(b) Cannot take: _____ For further credit. (Course #)	_____

TOTAL HOURS PER TERM: 60	TRAINING DAY-BASED INSTRUCTION
STRUCTURE OF HOURS	LENGTH OF COURSE: _____
Lectures: 30 Hrs	HOURS PER DAY: _____
Seminar: 30 Hrs	
Laboratory: _____ Hrs	
Field Experience: _____ Hrs	
Student Directed Learning: _____ Hrs	
Other (Specify): _____ Hrs	

MAXIMUM ENROLLMENT:	35
EXPECTED FREQUENCY OF COURSE OFFERINGS:	Once per year
WILL TRANSFER CREDIT BE REQUESTED? (lower-level courses only)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
WILL TRANSFER CREDIT BE REQUESTED? (upper-level requested by department)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
TRANSFER CREDIT EXISTS IN BCCAT TRANSFER GUIDE:	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No

AUTHORIZATION SIGNATURES:

Course Designer(s): _____ Daniel Kwan	Chairperson: _____ (Curriculum Committee)
Department Head: _____ Eric Davis	Dean: _____ Virginia Cooke
PAC Approval in Principle Date: _____	PAC Final Approval Date: <u>Oct. 27, 2006</u>

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LEARNING OBJECTIVES / GOALS / OUTCOMES / LEARNING OUTCOMES:

- To introduce the major theories of imperialism and colonialism.
- To provide a historical survey of the major imperial and colonial activities in selected Asian countries/regions since the early nineteenth century.
- To enhance students' analytical and interpretative skills through reading, document analysis, and class discussion.
- To encourage students to assess the significance and legacy of imperialism and colonialism in contemporary Asia.

METHODS:

Teaching method will be a combination of classroom lectures and discussions of assigned readings. Relevant audio/visual materials will also be used.

PRIOR LEARNING ASSESSMENT RECOGNITION (PLAR):

Credit can be awarded for this course through PLAR

 Yes No**METHODS OF OBTAINING PLAR:**

Challenge exam and paper.

TEXTBOOKS, REFERENCES, MATERIALS:

[Textbook selection varies by instructor. An example of texts for this course might be:]

W.G. Beasley, *Japanese Imperialism 1894-1945* (Oxford, 1987)

Alice L. Conklin & Ian C. Fletcher eds., *European Imperialism 1830-1930* (Houghton Mifflin, 1999)

Warren I. Cohen: *East Asia at the Center: Four Thousand Years of Engagement with the World* (Columbia, 2000)

John F Laffey, *Imperialism and Ideology: An Historical Perspective* (Black Rose Books, 2000)

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SUPPLIES / MATERIALS:

None.

STUDENT EVALUATION:

[An example of student evaluation for this course might be:]

Short essay	10%
Mid-term exam	20%
Book review	25%
Class participation	10%
Final examination	35%

COURSE CONTENT:

[Course content varies by instructor. An example of course content might be:]

- Historical Settings: The West and Asia in the Early 19th. Century
- Theories and Causation of Imperialism
- Informal Empire: Britain in China in the 19th. Century
- Cultural Penetration or Economic Expansion: France in Indochina in the 19th. Century
- Idealism or Imperialism: the U.S. in the Far East up to 1900
- National Defence or Overseas Expansion: Meiji Japan (1868-1912) as an Asian Imperial Power
- The Heyday of Imperial Rivalry in Asia circa 1895 – 1914
- Japanese Imperialism vs. Western Dominion in Asia 1915-1945
- Economy in colonial East Asian countries: Development or under-development
- East Asia in Wars and Revolutions: nationalism and decolonisation
- The Cold War in post-colonial East Asia
- East Asia in the age of global economy: Era of neo-imperialism?

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