COLLEGE OF THE MARSHALL ISLANDS

COURSE OUTLINE COVER SHEET

CIP No. 54.0101

HIS 202

World History II

Alpha Number

Course Title

Course Description

Introduces trends and influences of civilization from the 1600s through modern times. Investigates modernization resulting from improved transportation, communication and the Industrial Revolution.

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Lecture:  3  
Laboratory:  
Clinical:  
Seminar:  

Number of Weeks:  16  
Total Hours:  48  
Credits:  3

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Purpose of Course:  

Degree Requirement:  

Degree Elective  
Certification  
Developmental  
Other

Prerequisite(s):  C or better in English 101

Total Credit Hours:  3

Signature, Curriculum & Assessment Committee Chairperson  10/14/09

Signature, Dean of Academic Affairs  10/15/09

Vice President for Academic and Student Affairs  10/15/09

Last Date reviewed or revised:  September 2009
I. World History II

II. Course Objectives

A. General Outcomes

Students who complete this course will:
1. Utilize historical reasoning to study the trends and influences of civilization from the 1600's through modern times (GE 1,3) (LA 2, 3)
2. Analyze secondary and primary historical source materials to reach original conclusions about important historical problems, questions, or issues (GE 1, 3) (LA 1, 3)
3. Present original conclusions in clearly written English, and support conclusions with carefully chosen and documented evidence from historical sources (GE 1) (LA 1, 6)

B. Student Learning Outcomes

Upon completion of this course, the student will be able to:
1. Analyze features of early encounters
   a. Identify features of early contact between the Europeans and a New World culture
   b. Analyze and compare specific features of early contact between the Europeans and non-European cultures such as native Americans, Africans, Turks, Persians, Indians, Thai, and Japanese
2. Analyze primary and secondary sources concerning European colonization and occupation
   a. Compare the influence of Western culture on other cultures such as the American Indians, Chinese, Indians, and Japanese
   b. Describe the reasons for collapse of the colonial empires
3. Synthesize primary and secondary source materials to draw historical conclusions in writing assignments

III. Course Content

Students will study and compare modern historical world events from Western, Asian, and Middle Eastern regions.
1. Western civilization in the early modern period
2. Asian and Middle Eastern civilizations in the early modern period
3. Revolutionary changes in the 19th century Western world
4. Decline of the colonial empires in the 20th century and the rise of a global culture

IV. Methods of Instruction

1. Lecture
2. Whole group and small group discussions
3. Multimedia presentations
4. Audio-visual aids
5. Writing projects
6. Group projects and presentations

V. Equipment and Materials

1. Audio-visual equipment
2. World maps
3. LCD projector and laptop computers
VI. Suggested Methods of Evaluation

1. Tests
2. Writing projects
3. Group and individual oral presentations
4. Research projects

Letter grades will be assigned per CMI Grading System.
Course History Summary

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