

Advising Newsletter



WELCOME FIRST YEARS!

We are happy to have you! If you don't know who your advisor is, check with your LAC 101 Peer Mentor for help or look it up on eWebb. Happy to see you soon!

INTERNSHIPS!

Do a history internship or research assistantship for credit! Contact Dr. Carenen for internship information and individual professors for research assistantship information. Looks good on a resume!

TAKE A LOOK:

Below you will find registration dates, blurbs about courses, a list of upper division courses available, and a description of Spring 2025 Senior Seminar.



HIS373 Mao's China



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The middle course in a three-course sequence on the history of China from the nineteenth century to the present, "Mao's China" concentrates on the political, cultural, and economic history of the Chinese Communist Party (CCP) and the People's Republic of China (PRC) during the period of Mao Zedong's leadership (late 1920s to 1976). Through books, articles, and translations of primary sources, we will examine Mao's unique political philosophy, the CCP, the Chinese Civil War, the Great Leap Forward, the Cultural Revolution, the Republic of China (Taiwan), and the changing relationship between the PRC and the world (including the United States) in the 1970s. Students will complete essays and a literature review assignment for this discussion-based course. No previous knowledge of Chinese history is required.

HISTORY CLUB

The History Club meets weekly in the Stu Room 113, Tuesdays, 4-6 pm. Lots of fun trips planned and volunteer opportunities.

Register on Time!

Spring 2025 Advising and Registration Dates

Students with 90+ Credits Earned

Advising Period:

October 7-11, 2024

Registration Start Date:

Monday, October 14, 2024 at 7:00am

Students with 60-89 Credits Earned

Advising Period:

October 14-18, 2024

Registration Start Date:

Monday, October 21, 2024 at 7:00am

Students with 30-59 Credits Earned

Advising Period:

October 21-25, 2024

Registration Start Date:

Monday, October 28, 2024 at 7:00am

Students with 0-29 Credits Earned

Advising Period:

November 4-8, 2024

Registration Start Date:

Monday, November 11, 2024 at 7:00am



HIS 362: The Crusades

“God wills it!” This course examines the phenomenon of the European Crusades: from their origins in the 10th century, through the Frankish conquest of the Holy Land, to the collapse of Crusader States in the 13th century and beyond. We will examine the causes, conduct and consequences of these wars, and explore the experience of conflict and coexistence between Christians, Muslims, Jews, and heretics. We will also trace the legacy that the Crusades left to the modern world.

Spring 2025 Senior Seminar:

“Identity and Nationalism in Europe since 1800” Dr. Moore

This seminar examines the complex issue of identity in Europe during the nineteenth and twentieth centuries. It will look at how the development of nationalism challenged and transformed existing forms of identity, how non-national forms of identity persisted during this period, and how national identities themselves changed over time. It will also explore how the emergence of radical, ethnocentric nationalism contributed to the development of radical political movements in the first half of the twentieth century.

Spring 2025 Elective Courses:

HIS 255/LAS 255: Intro to Latin America

HIS 322 African American History from 1877 (Dr. Close)

HIS 325 Expansion of New England (Dr. Balcerski)

HIS 337: History of Russia (Dr. Moore)

HIS 362: The Crusades (Dr. Ostwald)

HIS 365: Special Topics in Latin American History

HIS 365: Europe 1350-1650 (Dr. Frye)

HIS 373: Mao’s China (Dr. Davis)

HIS 379: The U.S. in the Middle East (Dr. Carenen)

HIS 386: Introduction to Digital History (Dr. Ostwald)