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# SECTION HEADING

## HIST 1122: Modern World History

### Description

Modern World History is a global and cross-cultural study of the modern period of world history from 1500 to the present. Topics include imperialism and colonialism, the interactions of nations and peoples, industrialization, modernization, global conflicts, and modern political, socio-cultural, and economic developments. The course concludes with a consideration of contemporary global conditions.

### Credits

3

### Prerequisite

STSK 0095 or placement by multiple measures

### Topics to be Covered

1. Colonialism
2. Muslim Empires
3. East Asia
4. Modernization & Industrialization
5. Revolution, Conflict & War
6. The Cold War
7. Communism & Nationalism
8. Nation Building in Africa & the Middle East

### Learning Outcomes

1. Name significant people and places in early modern & modern world history
2. Identify important events in early modern & modern world history
3. Explain key turning points and developments in modern world history
4. Analyze the contributions of diverse cultures and civilizations in world history
5. Assess important causes and effects of historical movements
6. Trace the impact of history on the present

### Credit Details

Lecture: 3

Lab: 0

OJT: 0

MnTC Goal Area(s): Goal Area 05 - History and the Social and Behavioral Sciences, Goal Area 08 - Global Perspective

### Minnesota Transfer Curriculum Goal Area(s) and Competencies

Goal Area 05: History and the Social and Behavioral Sciences

1. Employ the methods and data that historians and social and behavioral scientists use to investigate the human condition.
2. Examine social institutions and processes across a range of historical periods and cultures.
3. Use and critique alternative explanatory systems or theories.
4. Develop and communicate alternative explanations or solutions for contemporary social issues.

Goal Area 08: Global Perspective

1. Describe and analyze political, economic, and cultural elements which influence relations of states and societies in their historical and contemporary dimensions.
2. Demonstrate knowledge of cultural, social, religious and linguistic differences.
3. Analyze specific international problems, illustrating the cultural, economic, and political differences that affect their solution.

4. Understand the role of a world citizen and the responsibility world citizens share for their common global future.