#### **History 2350 (W)** Fall 2012 term The History of Europe 1789 - 1870

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Classes are held in the fall term in 384 University College (Monday-Wed-Fri from 9.30 am to 10.20)

The "textbook" for History 2350 is a set of course notes which can be obtained from the UMSU print centre for around \$5. It is arranged in the order in which the material will be covered. It is also available on a CD (free)

## Required work:

1 seminar paper of about 3 pages (1500-2000 words), typewritten & single- The seminar paper will be worth 25% of the final mark;

A second paper of 1500-2000 words is to be based on a seminar topic other than your own, will be worth 25% also. It is due two weeks before the end of term.

Seminar participation, worth 10 %; half of this is for attendance

1 final exam, consisting of 2 questions from a wide variety of choices. Each answer will be worth 20%, for a total of 40% for the final.

## Writing of seminars:

Make a xerox copy of your seminar papers for each member of the class, plus one to spare in case you need an extra. Be sure that you retain that extra copy yourself. Each student is expected to be at all seminars, unless he/she has a written note from a doctor showing why he/she could not be there. If such a note is produced, then the student will get credit for attendance, but not for asking a question.

If you are unable to present the seminar, you may do a **minimum** 5,000 word (roughly 10 single-spaced pages) essay on the same topic, so long as you get permission to do this. By agreement with the other person/people in your debate, AND with the agreement of the professor, you can postpone your presentation. But this agreement should be reached WELL ahead of time.

Since this is a course that meets the University Senate's W requirement, students must complete all essay assignments with a passing grade to pass the course.

Evaluative feedback will be provided before the voluntary withdrawal date, **November** 14, 2012.

### Grade Distribution

A+	8.4-10	B+	7.6-7.9	C+	7.0-6.5	D	6
A	8 - 8.3	В	7.1-7.5	C	6.4-6.1	F	5 & under

Students who wish to appeal a grade given for term work must do so within 10 working days after the grade for the term work has been made available to them. Uncollected term work will become the property of the Faculty of Arts and will be subject to confidential destruction.

# **Academic Honesty**

Students should acquaint themselves with the University's policy on plagiarism, cheating and examination impersonation (Section 8 of the General Academic Regulations in the online Academic Calendar and Catalog and the Faculty of Arts regulation (online at http://umanitoba.ca/faculties/arts/student/student\_responsibilities.html)) which reads:

The common penalty in Arts for plagiarism on a written assignment is a grade of F on the paper and a final grade of F (DISC) (for Disciplinary Action) for the course. For the most serious acts of plagiarism, such as purchase of an essay and repeat violations, this penalty can also include suspension for a period of up to five (5) years from registration in courses taught in a particular department/program in Arts or from all courses taught in this Faculty.

The Faculty also reserves the right to submit student work that is suspected of being plagiarized to Internet sites designed to detect plagiarism or to other experts for authentication.

The common penalty in Arts for academic dishonesty on a test or examination is F for the paper, F (DISC) for the course, and a one-year suspension from courses acceptable for credit in the Faculty. For more serious acts of academic dishonesty on a test or examination, such as repeat violations, this penalty can also include suspension for a period of up to five years from registration in courses taught in a particular department or program in Arts or from all courses taught in or accepted for credit by this Faculty.