

**HIST 2280 W A01
ABORIGINAL HISTORY
Summer Intersession 2013**

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Course Description

This course consists of lectures, seminars, student papers, tests and a final exam. The main focus of the course is to examine the relationship between Aboriginal peoples and Euro-Canadians over the last four centuries in selected regions of Canada. Particular attention will be devoted to the experience of the last two centuries, to the policies of the Canadian state and the economies and societies of First Nations.

Students are encouraged to use community resources including museums, galleries, archives and specialised libraries.

Course Requirements

Final Exam -----40% - 3 hours, June 28, 9:00 am

First Term Paper -----10% 6pp double-spaced (1500 words), due May 21

Mid Term test-----10% in-class, May 28

Second Term Paper -----20% - 8-10pp, double-spaced (2,000 - 2,500 words), due June 10

Seminars/ Summaries (4)-----20% - due dates: May 14, May 24, June 5, June 17

Grade distribution:

A+	85-100	B+	75-79	C+	65-69	D+	55-59
A	80-84	B	70-74	C	60-64	D	50-54
						F	0-49

Note: June 13, 2013 is the VW date for May to June Day courses. Evaluation of some term work will be provided by the VW date.

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.

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.

Weekly Student Calendar

May 14 - #1 Seminar & a Summary of 2 pages (Tuesday)

May 21 – First Term Paper Due (Tuesday)

May 24 - #2 Seminar & a Summary of 2 pages (Friday)

May 28 – Mid-Term test – In –class (Tuesday)

June 5 - #3 Seminar & a Summary of 2 pages (Wednesday)

June 10 – Second Term Paper Due (Monday)

June 17 - #4 Seminar & a Summary of 2 pages (Monday)

June 28 – Final Exam 3 hours (Friday)

Text (available at the University bookstore)

A. J. Ray, *I Have Lived Here Since the World Began*

Isla Bussidore, *Night Spirits*

Class meets: M, T, W, R, F. 10:45 am - 12:45 pm, University College, rm. 238

Note: May 20, Victoria Day, no class

May 30, no class

May 31, no class

June 1, no class

June 25, Last class

} May Course Exam Period

Office hours are: 12:45-2:00 pm on class days or by appointment.

Academic Honesty

Students should familiarize themselves with the University's policy on plagiarism and academic honesty found in 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.