## Minnesota State University Moorhead

# **HIST 336: History of Mexico**

## A. COURSE DESCRIPTION

Credits: 3

Lecture Hours/Week: 3

Lab Hours/Week: 0

OJT Hours/Week: \*.\*

Prerequisites: None

Corequisites: None

MnTC Goals: None

An examination of the major themes in the development of the Mexican nation with the emphasis on the period since independence.

## B. COURSE EFFECTIVE DATES: 01/14/2013 - Present

#### C. OUTLINE OF MAJOR CONTENT AREAS

- 1. Pre-contact civilizations
- 2. Conquest
- 3. Colonial Society, Economics, Politics
- 4. Independence
- 5. 19th Century troubles
- 6. Dictatorship and Revolution
- 7. 20th Century changes

#### **D. LEARNING OUTCOMES (General)**

- 1. Become familiar with the major events of Mexican history, the major historical figures, and how those events have shaped the Mexico of today.
- 2. Develop skills as a historian by analyzing primary documents and formulating your own arguments.
- 3. Research, prepare, and write a major paper using the tools of a historian.
- 4. Demonstrate leadership skills by running discussion section once during the semester.

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

None

#### F. LEARNER OUTCOMES ASSESSMENT

As noted on course syllabus

#### G. SPECIAL INFORMATION

None noted

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