

# Minnesota State University Moorhead

## AMCS 220: Contemporary Asian America

### A. COURSE DESCRIPTION

Credits: 3

Lecture Hours/Week: 3

Lab Hours/Week: \*.\*

OJT Hours/Week: \*.\*

Prerequisites: None

Corequisites: None

MnTC Goals: None

This course is an introduction to recent experiences, political, social and cultural formations of Asian Americans. We will be exploring the emergence and significance of "Asian American" as an identity formation, a racialized category, and set of ethnic experiences. Through reading, writing and discussion, we will focus on the following questions: What is Asian America, and whom does it include: Does the category "Asian American" make sense as a racial identity: Within American Asian ethnic communities: How does the Asian American experience help us understand contemporary race issues and current ethnic-racial identities? MnTC Goal 7.

**B. COURSE EFFECTIVE DATES:** 01/10/2011 - 09/16/2016

### C. OUTLINE OF MAJOR CONTENT AREAS

None

### D. LEARNING OUTCOMES (General)

None

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

None

### F. LEARNER OUTCOMES ASSESSMENT

As noted on course syllabus

### G. SPECIAL INFORMATION

None noted