

Minnesota State University Moorhead

HIST 304: Africa in World History

A. COURSE DESCRIPTION

Credits: 3

Lecture Hours/Week: 3

Lab Hours/Week: 0

OJT Hours/Week: *.*

Prerequisites: None

Corequisites: None

MnTC Goals: Goal 05 - Hist/Soc/Behav Sci, Goal 08 - Global Perspective

Africa's role in global history, including the spread of Christianity and Islam, the slave trade, colonialism, and Apartheid. MnTC Goal 5 and 8.

B. COURSE EFFECTIVE DATES: 10/03/2015 - Present

C. OUTLINE OF MAJOR CONTENT AREAS

1. Stereotypes of Africa
2. Slave Trade
3. Colonialism
4. Post-Colonialism

D. LEARNING OUTCOMES (General)

1. Thinking Skills
2. Research Skills
3. Communication Skills
4. Become familiar with African history. How has Africa influenced and been influenced by the spread of religion, the emergence of a global economic system, the rise and fall of the slave trade, and the struggle to end Apartheid.

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

Goal 05 - Hist/Soc/Behav Sci

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.

Goal 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.

F. LEARNER OUTCOMES ASSESSMENT

As noted on course syllabus

G. SPECIAL INFORMATION

None noted