Minnesota State University Moorhead

ENGL 650: American Newcomers

A. COURSE DESCRIPTION

Credits: 3

Lecture Hours/Week: 0

Lab Hours/Week: 0

OJT Hours/Week: *.*

Prerequisites: None

Corequisites: None

MnTC Goals: None

This discussion-focused, highly interactive class explores both literary and social issues raised by various novels that portray the struggles and experiences of first- and second-generation Americans. We will examine the different artistic choices the authors make while also considering the historical and social context for each story.

B. COURSE EFFECTIVE DATES: 01/01/2019 - Present

C. OUTLINE OF MAJOR CONTENT AREAS

D. LEARNING OUTCOMES (General)

- 1. Identify key concepts, terms, and other content covered in the class. (This SLO will be demonstrated through class members performance in the class quizzes.)
- 2. Discuss literary and social aspects of the class readings. (This SLO will be demonstrated by class members; Discussion Board posts.)
- 3. Critically evaluate the literary texts included in the class readings. (This SLO will be demonstrated by class members Final Statement Papers.)

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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