

Weinberg College of Arts and Sciences  
Northwestern University

**Approved Distribution Courses - 2007-2008**  
**Area IV - Historical Studies**  
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**Be sure to read these important notes:**

**Prerequisites.** Many approved distribution courses are advanced courses with one or more prerequisites. Prerequisites are listed in the Undergraduate Catalog and in course descriptions available through the Registrar's webpage. Make sure you have the prerequisites for a course before you decide to enroll.

**Interdisciplinary courses.** Some interdisciplinary courses are approved for inclusion in more than one distribution area. *These courses are listed in bold and italics below*, and all relevant areas are indicated in the "area(s)" column. If you take such a course, you can choose in which eligible area to count it. However, your second distribution course in that selected area cannot be another interdisciplinary course. For example, if you elect to count CLASSICS 210-Early Western Civilization in Area IV, then your second Area IV distribution course must be a course that counts *only* toward Area IV.

**When courses are offered.** This list includes all courses approved for distribution credit for the 2006-2007 academic year. The Registrar's Office maintains lists of distribution courses to be offered each quarter, as well as Yearly Course Planners showing each department's planned course offerings for the year. **Some approved courses may not be offered.**

[Lists of approved courses from previous years](http://www.wcas.northwestern.edu/advising/distlist.html)

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dept/pgm	number	course title	area(s)
AF AM ST	212-1	Introduction to African American History (joint with History 212-1)	IV
AF AM ST	212-2	Introduction to African American History (joint with History 212-2)	IV
AF AM ST	214	Comparative Race Studies in the U.S. (approved in 2006-07 to replace 214-1 and 214-2)	IV
<b>AF AM ST</b>	<b>215</b>	<b><i>Introduction to Black Social &amp; Political Life</i></b> (new course added 2007-08)	<b>IV,V,VI</b>
<b>AF AM ST</b>	<b>218</b>	<b><i>Cracking the Color Lines: Asian/Black Relations in the US</i></b> (new course added 2007-08); with ASIAN AM 218	<b>III,IV</b>
<b>AF AM ST</b>	<b>220</b>	<b><i>Civil Rights &amp; Black Liberation</i></b>	<b>IV,V</b>
AF AM ST	245	The Black Diaspora & Transnationality	IV
<b>AF AM ST</b>	<b>330</b>	<b><i>Black Women in 20th-Century U.S.</i></b>	<b>III,IV</b>
<b>AF AM ST</b>	<b>340</b>	<b><i>Slavery &amp; Abolitionist Discourse</i></b>	<b>IV,V</b>
<b>AF AM ST</b>	<b>342</b>	<b><i>Comparative Slavery</i></b>	<b>III,IV,V</b>
ANTHRO	214	Culture Origins	IV
ANTHRO	301	Hunter-Gatherer Archaeology	IV
ANTHRO	302	Agriculture: Origins, Environmental Impacts, & Social Transformations	IV
ANTHRO	303	Origins of Civilization	IV
ANTHRO	311	The Indians of North America	IV
ANTHRO	327	The Archaeology of Ethnicity in America	IV
ANTHRO	328	The Maya	IV
ANTHRO	381	North American Prehistory	IV

<b>ART HIST</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>Art Objects and Histories</b> (new course in 2007-08)	<b>IV, VI</b>
<b>ART HIST</b>	<b>222</b>	<b>Art History and the African Diaspora</b> (new course in 2007-08)	<b>IV, VI</b>
<b>ART HIST</b>	<b>255</b>	<b>Introduction to Modernism</b> (new course in 2007-08)	<b>IV, VI</b>
ASIAN AM	214	Introduction to Asian American History	IV
<b>ASIAN AM</b>	<b>218</b>	<b>Cracking the Color Lines: Asian/Black Relations in the US</b> (new course added 2007-08); with AF AM ST 218	<b>III,IV</b>
ASIAN AM	304	Asian American Women's History (new course added 2007-08); with History 304	IV
<b>CLASSICS</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>Early Western Civilization</b>	<b>IV, V, VI</b>
<b>CLASSICS</b>	<b>211</b>	<b>Classical Greece</b>	<b>IV, V, VI</b>
<b>CLASSICS</b>	<b>212</b>	<b>Roman Civilization</b>	<b>IV, V, VI</b>
CLASSICS	321	Roman History	IV
CLASSICS	330	Ancient Economy	IV
CLASSICS	342	Early European Medicine	IV
CLASSICS	343	Greek Sexual Culture	IV
<b>CLASSICS</b>	<b>360</b>	<b>The Origins of Greek Democracy</b>	<b>III,IV</b>
CLASSICS	392	Topics in Ancient History	IV
GERMAN	222	German History from 1789-1989	IV
GERMAN	224	Contemporary Germany	IV
<b>GERMAN</b>	<b>232</b>	<b>The Theme of Faust through the Ages</b>	<b>IV, V, VI</b>
GERMAN	233-2	German History & Culture: Imperial Germany to Present (for W 08)	IV
<b>GERMAN</b>	<b>234-1</b>	<b>Jews &amp; Germans: Intercultural History</b>	<b>IV, V, VI</b>
<b>GERMAN</b>	<b>234-2</b>	<b>Jews &amp; Germans: Intercultural History</b>	<b>IV, V, VI</b>
GERMAN	311	Business Dynasties in Germany	IV
<b>GERMAN</b>	<b>321-1</b>	<b>Reason, Revolution, &amp; Despair Lessing to Buchner (German prereq.)</b>	<b>IV, VI</b>
<b>GERMAN</b>	<b>321-2</b>	<b>Myth &amp; Disenchantment: Nietzsche to Brecht (German prereq.)</b>	<b>IV, VI</b>
<b>GERMAN</b>	<b>321-3</b>	<b>Recoveries &amp; Transitions: Boll to the Present (German prereq.)</b>	<b>IV, VI</b>
<b>GERMAN</b>	<b>325</b>	<b>The Greeks in German Culture (German prereq.)</b>	<b>IV, V, VI</b>
<b>GERMAN</b>	<b>328</b>	<b>German Cultural Criticism - Kant to Kluge</b>	<b>IV, V</b>
<b>GERMAN</b>	<b>337</b>	<b>Science and Culture in Germany (German prereq.)</b>	<b>IV, V</b>
GNDR ST	230	Roots of Feminism	IV
GNDR ST	321	Gender, Sexuality, and History	IV
GNDR ST	324	American Lesbian and Gay History	IV
<b>GNDR ST</b>	<b>395</b>	<b>Sexuality &amp; Its Discontents</b>	<b>III,IV</b>
HISTORY	201-1	European Civilization	IV
HISTORY	201-2	European Civilization	IV
HISTORY	202	The Culture and History of Eastern Europe	IV
HISTORY	203-1	Jewish History Survey: Pre-Modern & Early Modern	IV
HISTORY	210-1	History of the United States	IV
HISTORY	210-2	History of the United States	IV
HISTORY	212-1	African American History (joint with Af Am St 212-1)	IV
HISTORY	212-2	African American History (joint with Af Am St 212-2)	IV
HISTORY	214	Asian American History	IV
HISTORY	215	Western Hemisphere Environments, 1492-present	IV
HISTORY	255-1	Background to African Civilization & Culture	IV
HISTORY	255-2	Background to African Civilization & Culture	IV
HISTORY	255-3	Background to African Civilization & Culture	IV
HISTORY	260-1	British History	IV
HISTORY	260-2	British History	IV
HISTORY	270	Middle Eastern/Islamic Civilization	IV
HISTORY	275-1	History of Western Science & Medicine	IV
HISTORY	275-2	History of Western Science & Medicine	IV
HISTORY	281	Chinese Civilization	IV
HISTORY	284-1	Japanese History-1	IV
HISTORY	284-2	Japanese History-2	IV

HISTORY	285	Indian Civilization	IV
HISTORY	301-1	Survey of African American History	IV
HISTORY	301-2	Survey of African American History	IV
HISTORY	303-1	American Women's History	IV
HISTORY	303-2	American Women's History	IV
HISTORY	304	Asian American Women's History (new course added 2007-08); with Asian Am 304	IV
HISTORY	305	American Immigration	IV
HISTORY	306-1	History of the American South	IV
HISTORY	306-2	History of the American South	IV
HISTORY	310-1	Early American History	IV
HISTORY	310-2	Early American History	IV
HISTORY	314	The Civil War & Reconstruction	IV
HISTORY	315-1	The U.S. since 1900	IV
HISTORY	315-2	The U.S. since 1900	IV
HISTORY	315-3	The U.S. since 1900	IV
HISTORY	316	The Sixties	IV
HISTORY	317-1	American Cultural History	IV
HISTORY	317-2	American Cultural History	IV
HISTORY	317-3	American Cultural History	IV
HISTORY	318-1	Legal & Constitutional History of the U.S.	IV
HISTORY	318-2	Legal & Constitutional History of the U.S.	IV
HISTORY	319-1	History of American Foreign Relations	IV
HISTORY	319-2	History of American Foreign Relations	IV
HISTORY	319-3	History of American Foreign Relations	IV
HISTORY	322-1	Development of the Modern American City	IV
HISTORY	322-2	Development of the Modern American City	IV
HISTORY	324	American Lesbian & Gay History	IV
HISTORY	325	History of American Technology	IV
HISTORY	326	American Intellectual History	IV
HISTORY	330	Medieval Sexuality (new course added 2007-08)	IV
HISTORY	331	Women in Medieval Society (new course added 2007-08)	IV
HISTORY	332-1	The Development of Medieval Europe	IV
HISTORY	332-2	The Development of Medieval Europe	IV
HISTORY	332-3	The Development of Medieval Europe	IV
HISTORY	333	The Age of the Renaissance	IV
HISTORY	334	The Age of the Reformation	IV
HISTORY	337	History of Modern Europe	IV
HISTORY	338-1	Europe in the 20th Century	IV
HISTORY	338-2	Europe in the 20th Century	IV
HISTORY	342-1	History of Modern France	IV
HISTORY	342-2	History of Modern France	IV
HISTORY	342-3	History of Modern France	IV
HISTORY	343	Modern Italy	IV
HISTORY	344	Weimar and Nazi Germany	IV
HISTORY	345-1	History of Russia	IV
HISTORY	345-2	History of Russia	IV
HISTORY	345-3	History of Russia	IV
HISTORY	346	East Central Europe since 1945	IV
HISTORY	349	History of the Holocaust	IV
HISTORY	350-1	The Intellectual History of Europe	IV
HISTORY	350-2	The Intellectual History of Europe	IV
HISTORY	350-3	The Intellectual History of Europe	IV
HISTORY	350-4	The Intellectual History of Europe	IV
HISTORY	355	Islam in Africa	IV

HISTORY	356-1	History of South Africa	IV
HISTORY	356-2	History of South Africa	IV
HISTORY	357	East Africa	IV
HISTORY	358-1	West Africa	IV
HISTORY	358-2	West Africa	IV
HISTORY	362-1	Modern British History	IV
HISTORY	362-2	Modern British History	IV
HISTORY	362-3	Modern British History	IV
HISTORY	363	Modern Ireland in Historical Perspective	IV
HISTORY	364-1	Social & Intellectual History of Modern Britain	IV
HISTORY	364-2	Social & Intellectual History of Modern Britain	IV
HISTORY	365	The Formation of Latin American Society	IV
HISTORY	366	Latin America in the Independence Era	IV
HISTORY	367	The History of Modern Brazil (new course added 2007-08; old 367 deleted)	IV
HISTORY	368-1	Revolution in 20th-Century Latin Amer	IV
HISTORY	368-2	Revolution in 20th-Century Latin Amer	IV
HISTORY	369	Development & Inequality in Modern Latin America	IV
HISTORY	370-1	History of the Islamic Middle East	IV
HISTORY	370-2	History of the Islamic Middle East	IV
HISTORY	370-3	History of the Islamic Middle East	IV
HISTORY	372	The History of Ancient Egypt (new course added 2007-08)	IV
HISTORY	374	Historical Background of Jewish-Muslim Relations	IV
HISTORY	376-1	Science & Modern Society	IV
HISTORY	376-2	Science & Modern Society	IV
HISTORY	377	Medicine in American Society	IV
HISTORY	381-1	History of Modern China	IV
HISTORY	381-2	History of Modern China	IV
HISTORY	382	The Modern Japanese City (new course added 2007-08)	IV
HISTORY	384-1	History of Modern Japan	IV
HISTORY	384-2	History of Modern Japan	IV
HISTORY	385	History of India	IV
<b>HUM</b>	<b>210</b>	<b><i>The Good Society-1 (new course added for 2007-08)</i></b>	<b><i>IV,VI</i></b>
<b>HUM</b>	<b>211</b>	<b><i>The Good Society-2 (new course added for 2007-08)</i></b>	<b><i>IV,VI</i></b>
INTL ST	201-1	Global History-1	IV
INTL ST	201-2	Global History-2	IV
ITALIAN	265	Body & Soul from Rome to Renaissance	IV
LATIN AM	251	Introduction to Latino Studies	IV
LING	340	Historical Linguistics	IV
<b>POLI SCI</b>	<b>301</b>	<b><i>Ancient Political Thought (new course added for 2007-08)</i></b>	<b><i>III,IV,V</i></b>
<b>POLI SCI</b>	<b>302</b>	<b><i>Modern Political Thought (new course added for 2007-08)</i></b>	<b><i>III,IV,V</i></b>
<b>POLI SCI</b>	<b>303</b>	<b><i>Moral Dilemmas and Political Theory (301 and only Area V before 2007-08)</i></b>	<b><i>III,IV,V</i></b>
POLI SCI	346	The Politics of European Unification (moved to this Area from Area III beginning 2007-08)	IV
RTVF	310	Television History (new name for 2007-08)	IV
SLAVIC	255	Early Slavic Civilization	IV
SLAVIC	261	Polish Culture in the 20th Century	IV
<b>SLAVIC</b>	<b>390</b>	<b><i>Literature &amp; Politics in Russia</i></b>	<b><i>IV,VI</i></b>
SLAVIC	391	The Rise & Fall of Yugoslavia	IV