

# Course Schedule

**IMPORTANT: ALL TIMES EASTERN** - Please see the University Policies section of your Syllabus for details.

Week	Date	Topic	Readings	Activities and Assignments	Due Date	Weight (%)
1	Sept. 8-13	Module 1: European Businessmen Arrive in North America Searching for Wealth in Resources, c. 1600	Powerpoint for Module 1  Readings and Materials linked under Content - Module 1.	Read "Welcome to the Course" (Announcements ) and Review the Overview and Course Syllabus in Content.  Complete the readings for module 1 and think about the "themes and questions to consider".		
2	Sept. 14-20	Module 2: Expansion of the Fur Trade and Settlement in Quebec and the Northwest, 1660s-1800s.	Powerpoint for Module 2.  Readings and Materials linked under Content - Module 2.	Complete the readings for module 2 and think about the "themes and questions to consider".		
3	Sept. 21-27	Module 3: Merchants and the Commercial Trade of	Powerpoint for Module 3.	Complete the readings for module 3 and think about the "themes and		

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		Resources, 1760-1860.	Readings and Materials linked under Content - Module 3.	<p>questions to consider”.</p> <p>Discussion 1- Readings and Questions for Modules 1 &amp; 2:</p> <p>1) Post a response to a minimum of two discussion questions in Discussion 1.</p> <p>2) Then post a reply to the responses of at least two group members.</p>	<p>1) Post by 11:59 p.m. on Wed (Sept 23).</p> <p>2) Post by 11:59 p.m. on Fri (Sept 25).</p>	5%
4	Sept. 28- Oct. 4	Module 4: Early Industrialization in the Colonies, 1840s-1880s.	<p>Powerpoint for Module 4.</p> <p>Readings and Materials linked under Content - Module 4.</p>	<p>Complete the readings for module 4 and think about the “themes and questions to consider”.</p> <p>Complete Content Question 1 (CQ1).</p>	Submit CQ1 to the drop box on Learn by Friday (Oct 2) at 11:59 p.m.	15%
5	Oct. 5-9	Module 5: Furthering Industrial Growth – Railwaymen, Financiers and	<p>Powerpoint for Module 5.</p> <p>Readings and</p>	Complete the readings for module 5 and think about the “themes and	1) Post by 11:59 p.m. on <b>TUES</b> (Oct 6).	5%

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		Government, 1880-1930.	Materials linked under Content - Module 5.	<p>questions to consider”.</p> <p>Discussion 2- Readings and Questions for Modules 3 &amp; 4:</p> <p>1) Post a response to a minimum of two discussion questions in Discussion 2.</p> <p>2) Then post a reply to the responses of at least two group members.</p>	2) Post by 11:59 p.m. on <b>THURS</b> (Oct 8). <b>Note: Week is shorter due to Reading Week so you need to post earlier in the DIS 2.</b>	
	Oct. 10-18	<b>READING WEEK</b>				
6	Oct. 19-25	Module 6: Business Expansion and Growth, 1880-1930 - New Technologies and New Frontiers in the North and the West.	<p>Powerpoint for Module 6.</p> <p>Readings and Materials linked under Content - Module 6.</p>	<p>Complete the readings for module 6 and think about the “themes and questions to consider”.</p> <p>Complete Content Question 2 (CQ2).</p>	Submit CQ2 to the drop box on Learn by Friday (Oct 23) at 11:59 p.m.	15%

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7	Oct. 26– Nov. 1	Module 7: The Rise of Big Business, 1880-1930.	Powerpoint for Module 7.  Readings and Materials linked under Content - Module 7.	Complete the readings for module 7 and think about the “themes and questions to consider”.  Discussion 3- Readings and Questions for Modules 5 & 6: 1) Post a response to a minimum of two discussion questions in Discussion 3. 2) Then post a reply to the responses of at least two group members.	1) Post by 11:59 p.m. on Wed (Oct 28).  2) Post by 11:59 p.m. on Fri (Oct 30).	5%
8	Nov. 2– 8	Module 8: The Business of War, WWI 1914-1918 and WWII 1939-1945.	Powerpoint for Module 8.  Readings and Materials linked under Content - Module 8.	Complete the readings for module 8 and think about the “themes and questions to consider”.  Complete Content Question 3 (CQ3).	Submit CQ3 to the drop box on Learn by Friday (Nov 6) at 11:59 p.m.	15%

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9	Nov. 9-15	Module 9: Opportunities and Challenges for Business in the Postwar Boom, 1945-1975.	Powerpoint for Module 9.  Readings and Materials linked under Content - Module 9.	Complete the readings for module 9 and think about the “themes and questions to consider”.  Discussion 4- Readings and Questions for Modules 7 & 8: 1) Post a response to a minimum of two discussion questions in Discussion 4. 2) Then post a reply to the responses of at least two group members.	1) Post by 11:59 p.m. on Wed (Nov 11).  2) Post by 11:59 p.m. on Fri (Nov 13).	5%
10	Nov. 16-22	Module 10: Opportunities and Challenges for Business in the Postwar Years – Regional Business Development.	Powerpoint for Module 10.  Readings and Materials linked under Content - Module 10.	Complete the readings for module 10 and think about the “themes and questions to consider”.  Begin working on the Major Thematic Assignment.		

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11	Nov. 23– Nov. 29	Module 11: Opportunities and Challenges for Business, 1980 to the Present.	Powerpoint for Module 11.  Readings and Materials linked under Content - Module 11.	Complete the readings for module 11 and think about the “themes and questions to consider”.  Discussion 5- Readings and Questions for Modules 9 & 10: 1) Post a response to a minimum of two discussion questions in Discussion 5. 2) Then post a reply to the responses of at least two group members.	1) Post by 11:59 p.m. on Wed (Nov 25).  2) Post by 11:59 p.m. on Fri (Nov 27).	5%
12	Nov. 30– Dec. 7	No new topics.	No new readings.	Complete the Major Thematic Assignment.	Submit the Major Thematic Assignme nt to the drop box on Learn by Friday (Dec 4) at 11:59 p.m.	30%

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	Dec. 9-23	<b>Final Assessment Period</b> There is no final exam in this course.				