

North Central Michigan College

NCMC MASTER COURSE SYLLABUS

Last Date Revised 2002+

DIVISION/AREA: Liberal Arts

DEPARTMENT: Social Science

DIVISION DIRECTOR: Dr. Mark Gaylord

ORIGINATOR: Janie Bloomfield

DEAN OF INSTRUCTION: Dr. Timothy Dykstra

TOTAL HOURS OF INSTRUCTION: 3 LECTURE: 3 LAB: 0 TOTAL CONTACT HOURS: 52.8

COURSE NUMBER: HIST 270

CREDIT HOURS: 3

COURSE TITLE: MICHIGAN HISTORY

TRANSFERABLE YES: x NO: TO: CMU

PREREQUISITE(S)/COREQUISITE(S)/ADVISORY:

NONE

CATALOG DESCRIPTION: A study of Michigan history from the early beginning (Native American cultures) to present day. A basic chronological approach is followed, with a topical study of specific elements including Native Americans, Michigan's role in the evolution of American history, the growth of cities in the region, and the economy of the state.

GENERAL EDUCATION OUTCOMES:

Refer to College catalog or specific occupational program outcomes and describe how this course meets those outcomes.

COURSE OBJECTIVES & OUTCOMES:

To acquaint the student with the contributions of Michigan's past to the growth of America. The student will gain a better understanding of the fur trade, mining & lumber, and automobile industry that made Michigan one of the industrial leaders from its inception.

METHODS OF INSTRUCTION: Lecture, Discussion, Videos, Hideouts

COURSE TITLE AND NUMBER: HIST 270

METHODS OF EVALUATION:

Research Project, In-Class Response Writings, 2 Quizzes, Midterm, Final

REQUIRED TEXTS: Michigan A History Bruce Catton W.W. Norton & Company, New York, 1984.

OPTIONAL SUPPLEMENTARY MATERIALS: Michigan A History of the Wolverine State, Willis Frederick Dunbar, William B. Eerdmans Publishing Company, Grand Rapids, 1965.

Reasonable accommodations may be provided for students with documented physical, sensory, cognitive, systemic, and/or psychiatric disabilities. Please contact the Education Opportunity Program (EOP) at (231) 348-6687 to arrange services for this course.

TIME ALLOWANCE AND SEQUENCE OF INSTRUCTION:

Week I	Introduction
Week II	Chapter One (The Everlasting Road) Native Americans and First Europeans
Week III	Chapter Two (The Hungary Men) French Voyageurs, Jesuits, Migration of Natives
Week IV	Continuation of the French Presence in Michigan
Week V	Chapter Three (Stars and Stripes) British and Revolutionary War
Week VI	Continuation of British Presence and Hudson Bay Fur Company Quiz (Chapter One thru Three)
Week VII	Chapter Four (Governor Cass, Governor Clinton, Mr. Astor)-Trouble with Tecumseh
Week VIII	Chapter Five (Statehood) Building of small towns, railroads, Rural Michigan and Old Detroit
Week IX	Chapter Six (A Right to Expect Much) lumber industry Review for Midterm
Week X	Test Chapters One thru Six
Week XI	Chapter Seven (Breakthrough at the Soo) Mining and shipping
Week XII	Chapter Eight (Backwoods Production Line
Week XIII	Chapter Nine (Members of the Community)
Week XIV	Chapter Ten (The Inexhaustible Resources) Industry Quiz (Chapters Seven thru Nine)
Week XV	Chapter Eleven (Master of His Fate) Automobile Industry Review for Final
Week XVI	Final (Chapters Seven thru Eleven)

APPROVED FOR ADOPTION BY THE CRD/AP COMMITTEE ON _____