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General Syllabus

GEOG 4903 Special Topics in Geography

Credit Hours: 3

Lecture Hours: 3

Laboratory Hours: 0

Prerequisite(s): GEOG 2753 World Regional Geography or consent of instructor

Effective Catalog: 2019-2020

I. Course Information

A. Catalog Description

Study of selected topics in Geography. Course content varies. Special topics are announced in the schedule of classes for the semester in which the course is offered. May be repeated for a total of nine hours when topics differ

II. Student Learning Outcomes

A. Subject Matter

Upon successful completion of this course, the student will be able to:

1. Identify new fields of geographic study not previously available to them.
2. Link these topics to a variety of other humanities and social sciences such as history and historical interpretation, sociology, anthropology, political science, and philosophy.
3. Additional Subject Matter Outcomes will be identified with each selected topic in a given semester.

B. University Learning Outcomes

This course enhances student abilities in the following areas:

Global and Cultural Perspectives.

Students will demonstrate the interaction of peoples within geographic regions, enhance understanding of environmental studies, and use the tools and technology of global studies.

III. Major Course Topics

- A. Topics depend on the special topic being presented.