The Atlantic World

HIST 4933 • Fall 2022 • MW 2:00 to 3:20 in PY 202

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Mon., Wed. -3:30pm to 4:30pm

SUPPLEMENTAL SYLLABUS FOR GRADUATE STUDENTS:

You will complete the same reading assignments and writing assignments as listed on the undergraduate. In addition, you will complete the following:

• *Book Review:* Write a 4-5 page book review on two of the five books we are reading this semester. The review is due the day we discuss the book. This is in addition to the response papers. You're welcome to use parts of your response paper in your book review.

Contextualized Biography addenda:

- *Length:* Your Contextualized Biography will be 12-15 pages in length (rather than 8-10 pages). If you would like to make it longer, you are welcome to do so.
- Annotated Bibliography: You will submit an annotated bibliography that includes at least 10 books relevant to your biography. (The majority of these works should be published since 2000.) The bibliography will assess their value of these works to your biography. Write 2-4 sentences about the work's argument, what sources they use, what it leaves out, and how it relates to your project. This is due when Benchmark #2 is due (October 28).

Your grade for this course is based on the following percentages:

Discussion and Participation: 15% Mini Research Paper #1: 15% Response papers (5): 20% Mini Research Paper #2: 15% Book Reviews (2): 10% Biography (w/ benchmarks): 25%