Requirements

Attendance and Discussion
Students are expected to attend all class meetings and to participate actively in discussion.

Oral Presentations and Bibliographies
Each class meeting will begin with a ~20 minute oral presentation by one student, which should focus in on one historiographical question raised by one or more of that week’s readings. This presentation should both offer an overview of the historiographical question—how and why did it become important; how and why has it developed and/or changed over time—and suggest how it helps us better understand the readings. It is expected that the presenter will do additional readings. This should be a well-prepared conference-style presentation. The presenter should also prepare a short bibliography (1-2 pp.) on the topic for the week, which will be photocopied and distributed to each member of the class. Each student will present twice over the course of the semester.

Readings
The books have been placed on order at the Barnes and Noble University Bookcenter. Readings marked with an asterisk (*) will be on e-reserves.

Donald Kelley, Fortunes of History: Historical Inquiry from Herder to Huizinga (New Haven: Yale University Press. 2003), ix-80; 141-172; 198-224.*

Schedule of Classes

Week 1 (Monday 12 September) Doing History
Michel Foucault, The Archaeology of Knowledge and the Discourse of Language (Pantheon Books, 1972), 3-10
Week 2 (19 September) Modern French History: Subjects and Models

Week 3 (26 September) France and the World after Revolution

Week 4 (3 October) Re-Ordering The World

Week 5 (10 October) The Conquest of Algeria and the Making of France

Week 6 (17 October) Radical Imaginaries

Week 7 (24 October) Capitalism, Colonialism, and the Republic

Week 8 (31 October) The New Politics of mid-19th-Century France

Week 9 (7 November) Migration
Julia A. Clancy-Smith, Mediterraneans: North Africa and Europe in an Age of Migration, c. 1800–1900 (Berkeley, CA, University of California Press, 2010).

Week 10 (14 November) Property and Capitalism

THANKSGIVING
**Week 11 (28 November) Religion (Catholicism)**


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**Week 12 (5 December) Transnational History and the “Jewish Question”**
