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TRANSNATIONAL APPROACHES TO U.S. HISTORY

Overview:

Building on generations of work in comparative, international, world, and global history, scholars in recent years have spoken increasingly of a “transnational turn” in American historiography. This graduate seminar will explore major works in the field, focusing on the circulation of ideas, institutions, technologies, goods, and people across national borders in the nineteenth and twentieth centuries.

Assignments and Grading:

This is a readings seminar, and the primary expectation is that every student will arrive in class prepared to contribute to in-depth discussions of the assigned texts.

Students will be asked to write two 750-word review essays over the course of the semester on texts chosen from the supplementary readings. These should provide a concise summary of the contents of the book, situate its argument in the context of the existing scholarship, and offer a critical evaluation of its contribution. They should be posted (in .pdf format) on Blackboard by 8:00pm on the Sunday before the meeting for which the text was assigned. At least one should be completed by the beginning of the spring vacation.

At the conclusion of the semester, students will also be asked to submit a paper of 12-15 pages which examines a historiographic problem in greater depth. This paper should include substantial readings beyond those assigned on the syllabus, though they need not be defined around the general topics for the weekly reading assignments. It will be due on Tuesday, May 13.

This course will be graded on a pass/fail basis for graduate students.

Texts:

A number of the course readings (denoted with an * in the syllabus) will be available on electronic reserve. The other readings, listed below, should be acquired separately:

- Jeremy Adelman, *Worldly Philosopher: The Odyssey of Albert O. Hirschmann* (Princeton University Press, 2013).
- Christopher Bayly, *The Birth of the Modern World, 1780-1914: Global Connections and Comparisons* (Blackwell, 2004).
- Nick Cullather, *The Hungry World: America's Cold War Battle against Poverty in Asia* (Harvard University Press, 2010).
- Victoria de Grazia, *Irresistible Empire: America's Advance through 20th-Century Europe* (Harvard University Press, 2005).
- Pekka Hämäläinen, *The Comanche Empire* (Yale University Press, 2008).

- David Harvey, *The Condition of Postmodernity* (Blackwell, 1989).
- Walter Johnson, *River of Dark Dreams: Slavery and Empire in the Cotton Kingdom* (Harvard University Press, 2013).
- Paul A. Kramer, *The Blood of Government: Race, Empire, the United States, and the Philippines* (University of North Carolina Press, 2006).
- Samuel Moyn, *The Last Utopia: Human Rights in History* (Harvard University Press 2010).
- Mae M. Ngai, *Impossible Subjects: Illegal Aliens and the Making of Modern America* (Princeton University Press, 2004).
- Jennifer Ratner-Rosenhagen, *American Nietzsche: A History of an Icon and His Ideas* (University of Chicago Press, 2011).
- Ian Tyrrell, *Reforming the World: The Creation of America's Moral Empire* (Princeton University Press, 2010).

Monday, January 27: Introduction

Monday, February 3: The Transnational Turn

- Christopher Bayly, *The Birth of the Modern World, 1780-1914: Global Connections and Comparisons* (Blackwell, 2004).
- *Charles Maier, "Consigning the Twentieth Century to History: Alternative Narratives for the Modern Era," *American Historical Review* 105, no. 3 (2000), pp. 807-31.
- *Christopher Bayly et al., "AHR Conversation on Transnational History," *American Historical Review* 111, no. 5 (2006), pp. 1441-1464.
- *Ian Tyrrell, "Reflections on the Transnational Turn in United States History: Theory and Practice," *Journal of Global History* 4 (2009): 453-474.

Supplementary Readings:

- Andrew J. Bacevich, *American Empire: The Realities and Consequences of U.S. Diplomacy* (Harvard University Press, 2004).
- Thomas Bender, *A Nation among Nations: America's Place in World History* (Hill and Wang, 2006).
- Thomas Bender, ed., *Rethinking American History in a Global Age* (University of California Press, 2002).
- Laura Briggs, Gladys McCormick, and J. T. Way, "Transnationalism: A Category of Analysis," *American Quarterly* 60, no. 3 (2008), pp. 625-648.
- Michael Geyer and Charles Bright, "World History in a Global Age," *American Historical Review* 100,4 (1995): 1034-1060.
- Akira Iriye, *Global and Transnational History: The Past, Present, and Future* (Palgrave Pivot, 2012).
- Akira Iriye and Pierre-Yves Saunier, *The Palgrave Dictionary of Transnational History* (Palgrave, 2009).
- Erez Manela, "The United States in the World," in *American History Now*, ed. Eric Foner and Lisa McGirr (Temple University Press, 2011).
- Jürgen Osterhammel, *The Transformation of the World: A Global History of the Nineteenth Century*, trans. Patrick Camiller (Princeton University Press, 2014).

- Eric Rauchway, *Blessed among Nations: How the World Made America* (Hill and Wang, 2006).
- Gary W. Reichard and Ted Dickson, eds. *America on the World Stage: A Global Approach to US History* (University of Illinois Press, 2008).
- Pierre-Yves Saunier, "Learning by Doing: Notes about the Making of the Palgrave Dictionary of Transnational History," *Journal of Modern European History* 6,2 (2009): 159-80.
- David Thelen, "Making History and Making the United States," *Journal of American Studies* 32, 3 (1998): 373-94.

Monday, February 10: Borderlands

- Pekka Hämaläinen, *The Comanche Empire* (Yale University Press, 2008).
- *Jeremy Adelman and Stephen Aron, "From Borderlands to Borders: Empires, Nation-States, and the Peoples in Between in North American History," *American Historical Review* 104, no. 3 (June 1999), pp. 814-841.
- *Brian DeLay, "Independent Indians and the U.S.-Mexican War," *American Historical Review* 112 (Feb., 2007), 35-68.

Supplementary Readings:

- Michael Baud and Willem Van Schendel, "Toward a Comparative History of Borderlands," *Journal of World History* 8, no. 2 (1997), pp. 211-242.
- Brian DeLay, *War of a Thousand Deserts: Indian Raids and the U.S.-Mexican War* (Yale University Press, 2009).
- Ramón Gutiérrez and Elliott Young, "Transnationalizing Borderlands History," *Western Historical Quarterly* 41 (2010): 27-53.
- Karl Jacoby, *Shadows at Dawn: A Borderlands Massacre and the Violence of History* (Penguin, 2008).
- Kelly Lytle Hernandez, *Migra! A History of the U.S. Border Patrol* (University of California Press, 2010).
- Benjamin Johnson and Andrew R. Graybill, *Bridging National Borders in North America: Transnational and Comparative Histories* (Duke University Press, 2010).
- Patricia Nelson Limerick, "Going West and Ending up Global," *Western Historical Quarterly* 32, no. 1 (2001), pp. 5-23.
- Anthony P. Mora, *Border Dilemmas: Racial and National Uncertainties in New Mexico, 1848-1912* (Duke University Press, 2011).
- Rachel St. John, *Line in the Sand: A History of the U.S.-Mexico Border* (Princeton: Princeton University Press, 2011).
- Alexandra Stern, "Buildings, Boundaries, and Blood: Medicalization and Nation-Building on the U.S.-Mexico Border, 1910-1930," *Hispanic American Historical Review* 79, no. 1 (1999), pp. 41-81.
- Samuel Truett and Elliott Young, eds., *Continental Crossroads: Remapping U.S.-Mexico Borderlands History* (Duke University Press, 2004).
- David J. Weber, "Turner, the Boltonians, and the Borderlands," *American Historical Review* 91, no. 1 (1986), pp. 66-81.

Monday, February 17: Cotton, Sugar, and Global Histories of the South

- Walter Johnson, *River of Dark Dreams: Slavery and Empire in the Cotton Kingdom* (Harvard University Press, 2013).
- *Rebecca J. Scott, "Fault Lines, Color Lines, and Party Lines: Race, Labor, and Collective Action in Louisiana and Cuba, 1862-1912," in *Beyond Slavery: Explorations of Race, Labor, and Citizenship in Post-Emancipation Societies*, Frederick Cooper, Thomas C. Holt, and Rebecca J. Scott, eds. (University of North Carolina Press, 2000), pp. 61–106.
- *Sven Beckert, "Emancipation and Empire: Reconstructing the Worldwide Web of Cotton Production in the Age of the American Civil War," *American Historical Review* 109, no. 5 (2004), pp. 1405-38.

Supplementary Readings:

- W. G. Clarence-Smith, "The Commodity Chain," in *Cocoa and Chocolate, 1765-1914*, pp 1-9.
- David Brion Davis, "Looking at Slavery from Broader Perspectives," *American Historical Review* 105, no. 2 (2000), pp. 452-66.
- Gregory P. Downs, "The Mexicanization of American Politics: The United States' Transnational Path from Civil War to Stabilization," *American Historical Review* 117 (2), pp. 387–409.
- Matthew Pratt Guterl, *American Mediterranean: Southern Slaveholders in the Age of Emancipation* (Harvard University Press, 2008).
- Moon-Ho Jung, *Coolies and Cane: Race, Labor, and Sugar in the Age of Emancipation* (Johns Hopkins University Press, 2006).
- Sidney Mintz, *Sweetness and Power: The Place of Sugar in Modern History* (Viking Press, 1985).
- Rebecca J. Scott, *Degrees of Freedom: Louisiana and Cuba after Slavery* (Belknap Press of Harvard University Press, 2005).
- Andrew Zimmerman, *Alabama in Africa: Booker T. Washington, the German Empire, and the Globalization of the New South* (Princeton University Press, 2010).

Monday, February 24: Race, Gender, and American Empire

- Paul A. Kramer, *The Blood of Government: Race, Empire, the United States, and the Philippines* (University of North Carolina Press, 2006).
- *Amy Kaplan, *The Anarchy of Empire in the Making of U.S. Culture* (Harvard University Press, 2002), Introduction and ch. 3.
- *Jeremi Suri, "The Limits of American Empire: Democracy and Militarism in the Twentieth and Twenty-first Centuries," in Alfred W. McCoy and Francisco A. Scarano, eds., *Colonial Crucible: Empire in the Making of the Modern American State* (University of Wisconsin Press, 2009), 523–531.

Supplementary Readings:

- Gail Bederman, *Manliness and Civilization: A Cultural History of Gender and Race in the United States, 1880–1917* (University of Chicago Press, 1996).
- Laura Briggs, *Reproducing Empire: Race, Sex, Science, and U.S. Imperialism in Puerto Rico* (University of California Press, 2002).
- Margot Canaday, ed., “AHR Forum: Transnational Sexualities,” *American Historical Review* 114, no. 5 (2009), pp. 1250-1354.
- Penny M. Von Eschen, *Race against Empire: Black Americans and Anticolonialism, 1937-1957* (Cornell University Press, 1997).
- Michael Cullen Green, *Black Yanks in the Pacific: Race in the Making of American Military Empire after World War II* (Cornell University Press, 2010).
- Mary Ann Heiss, “The Evolution of the Imperial Idea and U.S. National Security,” *Diplomatic History* 26 (2002), pp. 511-540.
- Kristin Hoganson, *Fighting for American Manhood: How Gender Politics Provoked the Spanish-American and Philippine-American Wars* (Yale University Press, 2000).
- Robin D. G. Kelley, “‘But a Local Phase of a World Problem’: Black History’s Global Vision, 1883-1950,” *Journal of American History* 86 (1999), pp. 1045-1077 .
- Paul Kramer, “Power and Connection: Imperial Histories of the United States in the World,” *American Historical Review* 116 (2011), pp. 1348–1391.
- Alfred W. McCoy, *Policing America’s Empire: The United States, the Philippines and the Rise of the Surveillance State* (University of Wisconsin Press, 2009).
- Jason C. Parker. *Brother’s Keeper: The United States, Race, and Empire in the British Caribbean, 1937-1962* (Oxford University Press, 2008).
- Emily Rosenberg, *Financial Missionaries to the World: The Politics and Culture of Dollar Diplomacy, 1900-1930* (Harvard University Press, 1999).
- Robert W. Rydell, *All the World’s a Fair: Visions of Empire at American International Expositions, 1876-1916* (University of Chicago Press, 1984).
- Cyrus Veese, *A World Safe for Capitalism: Dollar Diplomacy and America’s Rise to Global Power* (Columbia University Press, 2002).
- Patrick Wolfe, “History and Imperialism: A Century of Theory from Marx to Postcolonialism,” *American Historical Review* 102, no. 1 (1997), pp. 388-420.

Monday, March 3: International Organizations

- Ian Tyrrell, *Reforming the World: The Creation of America’s Moral Empire* (Princeton University Press, 2010).
- *Akira Iriye, "Internationalizing International History," in Thomas Bender, ed., *Rethinking American History in a Global Age* (University of California Press, 2002), pp. 47–62.
- *Margaret Keck, *Activists Beyond Borders: Advocacy Networks in International Politics* (Cornell, 1998), pp. 1–38.

Supplementary Readings:

- Peter Evans, “Counter-Hegemonic Globalization: Transnational Social Movements in the Contemporary Global Political Economy,” in Thomas Janoski, Alexander M. Hicks, and Mildred Schwartz, *Handbook of Political Sociology* (Cambridge University Press, 2005).
- Akira Iriye, *Global Community: The Role of International Organizations in the Making of the Contemporary World* (University of California Press, 2002).
- Margaret E. Keck and Kathryn Sikkink, *Activists beyond Borders: Advocacy Networks in International Politics* (Johns Hopkins University Press, 1998).
- Paul Kennedy, *The Parliament of Man: The Past, Present, and Future of the United Nations* (Random House, 2006).
- Mark Mazower, *Governing the World: The History of an Idea* (Penguin, 2012).
- Ian Tyrrell, *True Gardens of the Gods: Californian-Australian Environmental Reform, 1860-1930* (University of California Press, 1999).
- Jonathan Zimmerman, *Innocents Abroad: American Teachers in the American Century* (Harvard University Press, 2006).

Monday, March 10: Migrations

- Mae M. Ngai, *Impossible Subjects: Illegal Aliens and the Making of Modern America* (Princeton University Press, 2004).
- *Erika Lee, “Enforcing the Borders: Chinese Exclusion Along the U.S. Borders with Canada and Mexico,” *Journal of American History* 89, no. 1 (2002), pp. 54-86.
- *Adam McKeown, “A World Made Many: Integration and Segregation in Global Migration, 1840-1940,” in *Connecting Seas and Connected Ocean Rims: Indian, Atlantic, and Pacific Oceans and China Seas Migrations from the 1830s to the 1930s*, ed. Donna R. Gabaccia, and Dirk Hoerder, (Brill, 2011), 42-64.

Supplementary Readings:

- Kornel Chang, “Circulating Race and Empire: Transnational Labor Activism and the Politics of Anti-Asian Agitation in the Anglo-American Pacific World, 1880-1910,” *Journal of American History* 96, no. 3 (2009), pp. 678-701.
- Donna Gabaccia, *Foreign Relations: American Immigration in Global Perspective*. (Princeton University Press, 2012).
- Donna Gabaccia, *We Are What We Eat: Ethnic Food and the Making of Americans* (Harvard University Press, 2000).
- Dirk Hoerder, “From Euro- and Afro-Atlantic to Pacific Migration System: A Comparative Migration Approach to North American History,” in *Rethinking American History in a Global Age*, ed. Thomas Bender. Berkeley, 2002.
- Madeline Yuan-yin Hsu, *Dreaming of Gold, Dreaming of Home: Transnational Migration between the U.S. and South China, 1882-1943* (Stanford University Press, 2000).
- Matthew Frye Jacobson, *Barbarian Virtues: The United States Encounters Foreign Peoples at Home and Abroad, 1876-1917* (Hill and Wang, 2000).

- Matthew Frye Jacobson, *Special Sorrows: The Diasporic Imagination of Irish, Polish, and Jewish Immigrants in the United States* (Harvard University Press, 1995).
- Adam McKeown, *Melancholy Order: Asian Migration and the Globalization of Borders* (Columbia University Press, 2008).
- George Sánchez, *Becoming Mexican American: Ethnicity, Culture and Identity in Chicano Los Angeles, 1900-1945* (Oxford University Press, 1993).

Monday, March 24: Ideas

- Jennifer Ratner-Rosenhagen, *American Nietzsche: A History of an Icon and His Ideas* (University of Chicago Press, 2011).
- *David Engerman, “American Knowledge and Global Power,” *Diplomatic History* 31, no. 4 (September 2007), pp. 599–622.

Supplementary Readings:

- Leslie Butler, *Critical Americans: Victorian Intellectuals and Transatlantic Liberal Reform* (University of North Carolina Press, 2007).
- David Engerman, *Know Your Enemy: The Rise and Fall of America’s Soviet Experts* (Oxford University Press, 2009).
- David Engerman, *Modernization from the Other Shore: American Intellectuals and the Romance of Russian Development* (Harvard University Press, 2004).
- James Kloppenberg, *Uncertain Victory: Social Democracy and Progressivism in European and American Thought, 1870–1920* (Oxford University Press, 1988).
- Erez Manela, *The Wilsonian Moment: Self-Determination and the International Origins of Anticolonial Nationalism* (Oxford University Press, 2007).
- Christopher McKnight Nichols, *Promise and Peril: America at the Dawn of a Global Age* (Harvard University Press, 2011).
- Richard Pells, *Not Like Us: How Europeans Have Loved, Hated, and Transformed American Culture since World War II* (Basic, 1997).
- Daniel T. Rodgers, *Atlantic Crossings: Social Politics in a Progressive Age* (Harvard University Press, 1998).
- Trygve Throntveit, “The Fable of the Fourteen Points: Woodrow Wilson and National Self-Determination,” *Diplomatic History* 35, no. 3, pp. 444–481.

Monday, March 31: Consumption

- Victoria de Grazia, *Irresistible Empire: America’s Advance through 20th-Century Europe* (Harvard University Press, 2005).
- *Jennifer Van Vleck, “The ‘Logic of the Air’: Aviation and the Globalism of the ‘American Century,’” *New Global Studies* 1, no. 1 (2007), pp. 1–37.
- *Bernhard Rieger, “From People’s Car to New Beetle: The Transnational Journeys of the Volkswagen Beetle,” *Journal of American History* 97, no. 1 (2010), pp. 91–115.

Supplementary Readings:

- Michael Adas, *Dominance by Design: Technological Imperatives and America's Civilizing Mission* (Harvard University Press, 2006).
- Petra Goedde, *GIs and Germans: Culture, Gender and Foreign Relations, 1945–1949* (Yale University Press, 1993).
- Kristen Hogansen, *Consumers' Imperium: The Global Production of American Domesticity, 1865–1920* (University of North Carolina Press, 2007).
- Christina Klein, *Cold War Orientalism: Asia in the Middlebrow Imagination, 1945–1961* (Harvard University Press, 2003).
- Marc Levinson, *The Box: How the Shipping Container Made the World Smaller and the World Economy Bigger* (Princeton University Press, 2006).
- Michael R. Redclift, "Chewing Gum: Mass Consumption and the 'Shadow-Lands' of the Yucatan," in *Consuming Cultures, Global Perspectives: Historical Trajectories, Transnational Exchanges*, ed. John Brewer and Frank Trentmann (Berg, 2006).
- Emily Rosenberg, *Spreading the American Dream: American Economic and Cultural Expansion, 1890-1945* (Hill and Wang, 1982).
- Robert Rydell and Rob Kroes, *Buffalo Bill in Bologna: The Americanization of the World, 1869-1922* (University of Chicago Press, 2005).
- Richard Tucker, *Insatiable Appetite: The United States and the Ecological Degradation of the Tropical World* (University of California Press, 2000).
- Jennifer Van Vleck, *Empire of the Air: Aviation and the American Century* (Harvard University Press, 2013).
- Reinhold Wagleitner, *Coca-Colonization and the Cold War: The Cultural Mission of the United States in Austria after the Second World War* (University of North Carolina Press, 1994).
- Mari Yoshihara, *Embracing the East: White Women and American Orientalism*. (Oxford University Press, 2003).

Monday, April 7: Modernization and the Global Cold War

- Nick Cullather, *The Hungry World: America's Cold War Battle against Poverty in Asia* (Harvard University Press, 2010).
- *Michael Latham, "Modernization, International History, and the Cold War World," and Nils Gilman, "Modernization Theory, the Highest State of American Intellectual History," in David C. Engerman, Nils Gilman, Mark H. Haefele, and Michael E. Latham, eds., *Staging Growth: Modernization, Development, and the Global Cold War* (University of Massachusetts Press, 2003), pp. 1–22, 47–80.
- *Inderjeet Parmar, *Foundations of the American Century: The Ford, Carnegie, and Rockefeller Foundations in the Rise of American Power* (Columbia University Press, 2012), ch. 1.

Supplementary Readings:

- Craig Campbell and Frederik Logevall, *America's Cold War: The Politics of Insecurity* (Harvard University Press, 2009).

- Matthew Connelly, *Fatal Misconception: The Struggle to Control World Population* (Harvard University Press, 2008).
- David Ekbladh, *The Great American Mission: Modernization and the Construction of an American World Order* (Princeton University Press, 2010).
- A. Escobar, *Encountering Development: The Making and Unmaking of the Third World* (Princeton University Press, 1995).
- John Lewis Gaddis, *Strategies of Containment: A Critical Appraisal of Postwar American National Security Policy* (Oxford University Press, 1982).
- John Lewis Gaddis, "The Tragedy of Cold War History," *Foreign Affairs* 73 (1994), pp. 142-154.
- John Lewis Gaddis, *We Now Know: Rethinking Cold War History* (Oxford University Press, 1997).
- Nils Gilman, *Mandarins of the Future: Modernization Theory in Cold War America* (Johns Hopkins University Press, 2003)
- Albert O. Hirschman, "The Rise and Decline of Development Economics," in *Essays on Trespassing: Economics to Politics and Beyond* (1981)
- Paul Krugman, "The Fall and Rise of Development Economics," informal paper, 1994.
- Michael E. Latham, *Modernization as Ideology: American Social Science and "Nation Building" in the Kennedy Era* (University of North Carolina Press, 2005).
- Michael E. Latham, *The Right Kind of Revolution: Modernization, Development, and U.S. Foreign Policy from the Cold War to the Present* (Cornell University Press, 2011).
- Melvyn P. Leffler, *A Preponderance of Power: National Security, the Truman Administration, and the Cold War* (Stanford University Press, 1992).
- Amy Staples, *The Birth of Development: How the World Bank, Food and Agriculture Organization, and World Health Organization changed the World, 1945-1965* (Kent State University Press, 2006).
- Odd Arne Westad, *The Global Cold War: Third World Interventions and the Making of Our Times* (Cambridge University Press, 2005).

Monday, April 14: Economics

- Jeremy Adelman, *Worldly Philosopher: The Odyssey of Albert O. Hirschmann* (Princeton University Press, 2013).
- *Daniel Immerwahr, "Polanyi in the United States: Peter Drucker, Karl Polanyi, and the Midcentury Critique of Economic Society," *Journal of the History of Ideas* 70, no. 3 (July 2009), pp. 445–466.
- *Andrew Sartori, "Global Intellectual History and the History of Political Economy," in *Global Intellectual History*, ed. Samuel Moyn and Andrew Sartori (Columbia University Press, 2013).

Supplementary Readings:

- Edward Barbier, *Scarcity and Frontiers: How Economies Have Developed Through Natural Resource Exploitation* (Cambridge University Press, 2011).
- Mark Blyth, *Great Transformations: Economic Ideas and Institutional Change in the Twentieth Century* (Cambridge University Press, 2002).

- Johanna Bockman, *Markets in the Name of Socialism: The Left-Wing Origins of Neoliberalism* (Stanford University Press, 2011).
- *Angus Burgin, *The Great Persuasion: Reinventing Free Markets since the Depression* (Harvard University Press, 2012).
- Frederick Cooper, "Writing the History of Development," *Journal of Modern European History* 8 (2010), pp. 5–23.
- William Easterly, *The Elusive Quest for Growth: Economists' Adventures and Misadventures in the Tropics* (2001).
- Marion Fourcade, *Economists and Societies: Discipline and Profession in the United States, Britain, & France, 1890s to 1990s* (Princeton University Press, 2009).
- Gavin, Francis J. *Gold, Dollars, and Power: The Politics of International Monetary Relations, 1958-1971* (University of North Carolina Press, 2007).
- Timothy Mitchell, *Carbon Democracy: Political Power in the Age of Oil* (Verso, 2011).
- Monica Prasad, *The Politics of Free Markets: The Rise of Neoliberal Economic Policies in Britain, France, Germany, and the United States* (University of Chicago Press, 2006).
- Bradley R. Simpson, *Economists with Guns: Authoritarian Development and U.S.-Indonesian Relations, 1960–1968* (Stanford University Press, 2008).
- Daniel Stedman-Jones, *Masters of the Universe: Hayek, Friedman, and the Birth of Neoliberal Politics* (Princeton, 2012).
- Juan Gabriel Valdés, *Pinochet's Economists: The Chicago School in Chile* (Cambridge University Press, 1995).

Monday, April 21: Rights

- Samuel Moyn, *The Last Utopia: Human Rights in History* (Harvard University Press 2010).
- *Elizabeth Borgwardt, *A New Deal for the World: America's Vision for Human Rights* (Cambridge, MA: Harvard University Press, 2005), Introduction, chs. 1–2, 9–10.

Supplementary Readings:

- Carol Anderson, *Eyes off the Prize: The United Nations and the African American Struggle for Human Rights, 1944–1955* (Cambridge University Press, 2003).
- Joshua Bloom and Waldo E. Martin, *Black Against Empire: The History and Politics of the Black Panther Party* (University of California Press, 2013).
- Thomas Borstelmann, *The Cold War and the Color Line* (Harvard University Press, 2001).
- Thomas Borstelmann, *The 1970s: A New Global History from Civil Rights to Economic Inequality* (Princeton University Press, 2011).
- Kenneth Cmiel, "The Emergence of Human Rights Politics in the United States," *Journal of American History* 86 (1999), pp. 1231–1250.
- Mary Dudziak, *Cold War Civil Rights: Race and the Image of American Democracy* (Princeton University Press, 2000).

- Penny M. Von Eschen, *Race against Empire: Black Americans and Anticolonialism, 1937-1957* (Cornell University Press, 1997).
- Kevin Gaines, *African Americans in Ghana: Black Expatriates and the Civil Rights Era* (University of North Carolina Press, 2006).
- Michael Cullen Green, *Black Yanks in the Pacific: Race in the Making of American Military Empire after World War II* (Cornell University Press, 2010).
- Brenda Plummer, *Rising Wind: Black Americans and Foreign Affairs* (University of North Carolina Press, 1996).
- Michael Cotey Morgan, “The Seventies and the Rebirth of Human Rights,” in Niall Ferguson et al., eds., *The Shock of the Global: The 1970s in Perspective* (Harvard University Press, 2010).
- Nico Slate, *Colored Cosmopolitanism: The Shared Struggle for Freedom in the United States and India* (Harvard University Press, 2012).

Monday, April 28: Globalization

- David Harvey, *The Condition of Postmodernity* (Blackwell, 1989).
- *Giovanni Arrighi, *The Long Twentieth Century: Money, Power, and the Origins of Our Times* (Verso, 1994), introduction and ch. 4.
- *Arjun Appadurai, *Modernity at Large: Cultural Dimensions of Globalization* (University of Minnesota Press, 1999), ch. 2.
- *A.G. Hopkins, "The History of Globalization—and the Globalization of History?" in A. G. Hopkins, ed. *Globalization in World History* (Pimlico, 2002).

Supplementary Readings:

- Alfred E. Eckes, Jr. and Thomas W. Zeiler, *Globalization and the American Century* (Cambridge University Press, 2003).
- David Harvey, *A Brief History of Neoliberalism* (Oxford University Press, 2005).
- F. Jameson and M. Miyoshi (eds.) *The Cultures of Globalization* (Duke University Press, 1998).
- Greta Krippner, *Capitalizing on Crisis: The Political Origins of the Rise of Finance* (Harvard University Press, 2012).
- Daniel J. Sargent, “The United States and Globalization in the 1970s,” in Niall Ferguson et al., eds., *The Shock of the Global: The 1970s in Perspective* (Belknap Press of Harvard University Press, 2010).
- Joseph E. Stiglitz, *Globalization and its Discontents* (Norton, 2002).
- Immanuel Wallerstein, *The Modern World-System*, v. 1–4 (University of California Press, 2011).