

# COURSES ON CANADIAN HISTORY BY KURT KORNESKI, PHD FOR THE SUMMER SEMESTER 2021

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## **VORLESUNG: HISTORY OF CANADA SINCE 1867; THURSDAY 4-6**

This lecture surveys the advent of a Canadian nation in 1867. It also considers the major economic, political, and social developments in Canada since that time. Through an analysis of primary sources, essays, texts, and film we will examine continuity and change in the development of Canada and in imaginings of “the nation” over time.

## **SEMINAR: HISTORY OF CANADA SINCE 1867; FRIDAY 2-4**

This seminar aims to introduce students to the major themes that Canadian historians have identified in Canada’s history since 1867 and to encourage students to develop their own interpretations of the past. Students will develop skills to identify and form their own historical arguments through lectures, course readings, class discussions, and written assignments. Students will also develop researching and writing skills by exploring a Canadian history since 1867 topic in depth and composing a research essay.

## **HAUPTSEMINAR: SPECIAL TOPICS IN CANADIAN HISTORY. THE CANADIAN FRONTIER; WEDNESDAY 2-4**

This seminar examines aspects of the history of the frontier in Canada. The course will focus on major themes and debates in frontier history and frontier historiography, including, but not limited to, the history of colonialism, settlement, and Aboriginal-settler relations. It will introduce students to the methods and mechanics of researching the Canadian frontier with a focus on writing and critical analysis. The course fosters the acquisition of the competences required to conduct historical research with a particular focus on evaluating primary sources.

## **SEMINAR: HISTORY OF CANADA TO 1867; MONDAY 2-4**

This seminar elaborates on the material covered during lecture periods. This seminar provides insight into key historical developments in northern North America in the period before Confederation through analysis of articles, chapters, and documents. The seminar allows students an opportunity to present on themes and topics of interest to them.



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