

UST-1120: HISTORY OF CLEVELAND

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Subject Code

UST - Urban Studies

Course Number:

1120

Title:

History of Cleveland

Catalog Description:

Development of Cleveland from New England village to metropolitan area. Role of economic and technical change, immigration, reform, world war, demographics, labor unions, transportation and political leadership examined. Rise of suburban areas in post World War II, decline of central city and prospects for revival. Explains how each major era of city shaped the present.

Credit Hour(s):

3

Lecture Hour(s):

3

Lab Hour(s):

0

Other Hour(s):

0

Requisites

Prerequisite and Corequisite

None.

Outcomes

Objective(s):

1. Analyze the major social and economic areas that have shaped the development of Cleveland.
2. Explain how and why different reform groups addressed the major problems of the city.
3. Describe the impact and contributions of immigrants and migrants.
4. Analyze the present conditions and future of the city.
5. Analyze dominant trends in Cleveland politics from 1960 to the present.
6. Prepare a written assignment using word processing and graphics to describe an individual neighborhood.
7. Utilize the internet data bases for a research project.

Methods of Evaluation:

1. Written homework assignments
2. Examinations
3. Reports
4. Class participation

Course Content Outline:

1. The Indian Era
2. The Western Reserve Era
3. The Canal and Railway Era, 1830-1860
4. The Early Industrial Era, 1860-1880
5. The Late Industrial Era, 1880-1917
6. The Era of Progressive Reform
7. World War I, the Twenties and the Great Depression
8. World War II and the Post Industrial Era
9. The crisis of the central city
10. The prospects for renewal

Resources

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