

Coming Spring Semester, 2017

HIST410 -- The History of Kansas and the Great Plains

M/W/F -- 10:00am-10:50am -- 3 credits



This course is intended to foster a deeper appreciation and love for the state of Kansas. We will learn how our history sets Kansans apart from residents of other states. To understand Kansas's mercurial character, we will explore topics such as geography, native American settlement, the economy of the region, the role of our state in the Civil War, Kansas's role as a trend-setter during the Gilded Age / Progressive Era, the effect of the world wars on the state, the impact of environmental change, and the image of Kansas in the later twentieth century.

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