

	<p>School of Arts & Science HUMANITIES DEPARTMENT</p> <p>HIST 252-01 History of Sport Winter 2013</p>
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COURSE OUTLINE

1. Instructor Information

(a)	Instructor:	Paula Young	
(b)	Office Hours:	Monday-Thursday 1:30-2:20 OR BY APPOINTMENT	
(c)	Location:	Young 319 (Lansdowne)	
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2. Intended Learning Outcomes

Through reading textbooks and primary source materials, hearing faculty lectures, participating in seminars, writing papers, making presentations, and performing tests, upon completion of this course the student will be able to:

1. Identify the critical themes, events, and issues in the development of sports and recreation since Ancient times.
2. Evaluate changes in societal perceptions of sport over time and explain the reasons for such changes.
3. Distinguish between sports, recreation and fitness.
4. Analyse the influences of technology on sports.
5. Evaluate the relationship between sports and politics.
6. Analyse the commodification of sports and athletes.
7. Evaluate the role of ethnicity, gender and class in sports.
8. Critically analyse primary historical documentation of sporting events and the interpretation of those events by historians.
9. Demonstrate an appreciation of history as a distinct academic discipline.
10. Apply historical information and historical analysis to confront the issues of today's world, establishing a context for the present and comprehending the accomplishments, failures, tensions and issues of the present era.
11. Demonstrate skills in research, and written and oral communication.

3. Required Materials and Texts

Course Reading Package for History 252, 2012/13 from Lansdowne Bookstore

Camosun History Department Style Guide (on my website)

4. Course Content and Schedule

Classes will consist of lectures and seminars.

Class times and location: Mondays, 5:30-8:30 pm in Young 317

The class schedule (following) indicates the subject of each lecture and details the topics for seminar readings, and the dates for assignments and exams.

5. Basis of Student Assessment (Weighting)

Assignments

20% each – “Using Sport History in the Real World”: major writing assignments (see handout for instructions)
Due February 4 and March 18, 2012

Exams

20% Mid Term Exam – Monday February 18
25% Final Exam – during final exam period

Other

15% Seminar participation – you are expected to read the assigned material (in-depth) and come to class prepared to discuss it.
Students who miss more than three (3) seminars will forfeit their entire seminar mark.

6. Grading System

Standard Grading System (GPA)

Percentage	Grade	Description	Grade Point Equivalency
90-100	A+		9
85-89	A		8
80-84	A-		7
77-79	B+		6
73-76	B		5
70-72	B-		4
65-69	C+		3
60-64	C		2
50-59	D		1
0-49	F	Minimum level has not been achieved.	0

Temporary Grades

Temporary grades are assigned for specific circumstances and will convert to a final grade according to the grading scheme being used in the course. See Grading Policy at camosun.ca or information on conversion to final grades, and for additional information on student record and transcript notations.

Temporary Grade	Description
I	<i>Incomplete:</i> A temporary grade assigned when the requirements of a course have not yet been completed due to hardship or extenuating circumstances, such as illness or death in the family.
IP	<i>In progress:</i> A temporary grade assigned for courses that, due to design may require a further enrollment in the same course. No more than two IP grades will be assigned for the same course. (For these courses a final grade will be assigned to either the 3 rd course attempt or at the point of course completion.)
CW	<i>Compulsory Withdrawal:</i> A temporary grade assigned by a Dean when an instructor, after documenting the prescriptive strategies applied and consulting with peers, deems that a student is unsafe to self or others and must be removed from the lab, practicum, worksite, or field placement.

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7. Recommended Materials or Services to Assist Student Success

LEARNING SUPPORT AND SERVICES FOR STUDENTS

There are a variety of services available for students to assist them throughout their learning. This information is available in the College calendar, at Student Services or the College web site at camosun.ca.

STUDENT CONDUCT POLICY

There is a Student Conduct Policy **which includes plagiarism**. It is the student's responsibility to become familiar with the content of this policy. The policy is available in each School Administration Office, at Student Services and on the College web site in the Policy Section.

A NOTE ON PLAGIARISM: When writing an assignment in which a student uses an author's words those words must appear in quotation marks and be properly footnoted. When a student paraphrases an author's words or uses that author's ideas the student must footnote his/her source. Failure to do either of the above constitutes plagiarism and will result in a failing grade on the assignment and the instructor has the right to refer the matter to the Dean of Arts and Science.

8. Class Schedule

Note: This schedule is subject to minor changes. The instructor will discuss any changes at the beginning of every class.

- Mon. Jan.7 **Intro:** *Course outline and assignments*
Lecture: *Sport in the ancient world*
Seminar: Library
- Mon. Jan. 14 **Lecture:** *Sport in Ancient Greece and Rome*
Lecture: *Sport in North and South American indigenous societies*
Seminar: Read Topic 1 (Sport in early Civilizations) in Reading Package; play the Mayan Ball game on the interactive site before the seminar – see my instructions in your course reading package
- Mon. Jan. 21 **Lecture:** *Sport in Britain and Europe in the 17th & 18th centuries*
Lecture: *Sport in North American Colonies 17th and 18th centuries*
Seminar: Read Topic 2 in the Course Reading Package
- Mon. Jan. 28 **Lecture:** *Industrial capitalism, nationalism and the rise of modern sport in Britain: Muscular Christianity in action*
Seminar: Read Topic 3
- Mon. Feb. 4 **Lecture:** *Imperialism, colonization (or not) and modern sport – cultural dispersion – case studies: China, India*
Lecture: *Muscular Christianity – modern sport in Canada, to 1918*
Seminar: **FILM:** *Cricket the Trobriand Way*
ASSIGNMENT #1 DUE
- Mon. Feb. 11 **STAT HOLIDAY – FAMILY DAY**
- Mon. Feb. 18 **MID-TERM EXAM**
- Mon. Feb. 25 **Lecture:** *Modern sport, national identity and cultural appropriation in North America in the late 19th and early 20th centuries*
Seminar: Read Topic 4, Sport & Gender in the early 20th century
- Mon. Mar. 4 **Lecture:** *Nazi Olympics*
FILM: Leni Reifenstahl, *Olympia*
Seminar: Topic 5, Sport & Nationalism
- Mon. Mar. 11 **Lecture:** *Sport in Russia and the Soviet Union, pre World War II*
Lecture: *Sport in North America pre-World War II, part 1*
Seminar: Film: *The Matchless Six* **AND Read:** Topic 6
- Mon. Mar. 18 **Lecture:** *Sport in North America 1914-1945, part 2*
Lecture: Cold War, 1945-1989 – Missiles, bombs, national identity and sport
Seminar: Film: *Sleeping Tigers: The Asahi Baseball Story*
ASSIGNMENT #2 DUE

- Mon. Mar. 25 **Lecture:** *Sport and Television*
Lecture: *The fight for equal recognition in sport*
Seminar: Read Topics 7 (Sport & TV in the Cold War) and 8 (Rise of the Rights Revolution: Ethnicity and Gender from WW2 to 1992)
Film: *Not Just a Game: Power, Politics and American Sport, "Breaking the Colour Barrier" (8 minutes)*
- Mon. Apr. 1 **EASTER MONDAY STAT HOLIDAY**
- Mon. Apr. 8 **Lecture:** *Corporatization of Sport, Celebrity and Politics*
Film: *Not Just a Game: Power, Politics and American Sport, "Like A Girl" (18 minutes)*
Lecture: *The rise of sports and fitness – 1970s and beyond*
Seminar: Read Topic 9 (Sport, Business and Celebrity)
Film: *The Oldest Basketball Team in the World*
- April 15-23 **FINAL EXAM PERIOD**