HIST 3304: History of Georgia

3 Credit Hours

Prerequisite: Must have earned at least 30 credit hours.

A consideration of Georgia's political, economic, social, and cultural development from the colonial period to the present. Topics include the cultures of indigenous peoples, the Spanish in Georgia, the founding of a British colony, the Revolution, Indian removal, antebellum society, the Civil War, Reconstruction, the New South era, the rise and decline of the cotton economy, race relations, and post-World War II prosperity and problems.

HIST 3305: The World Since 1945

3 Credit Hours

Prerequisite: Must have earned at least 30 credit hours.

A survey of major themes in world history since 1945, this course focuses on sociocultural and intellectual developments in addition to the traditional concerns with political and economic relations. Particular emphasis is given to great power relations, the role of the middle powers, and North-South relations as well as the interactions between Western and non-Western cultures in the context of increasing globalization.

HIST 3310: The Old South

3 Credit Hours

Prerequisite: Must have earned at least 30 credit hours.

This course will be an exploration of the American South from the colonial period to the end of the Civil War. While major political and economic events will be an important part of the course, such events grow out of the ordeals of ordinary people. Therefore, close attention will be paid to the experiences of men and women -- white, black, and Native American -- from all social classes whose lives created a unique society known as the Old South.

HIST 3311: The New South

3 Credit Hours

Prerequisite: Must have earned at least 30 credit hours.

The South's social, political, and economic development from 1865. Emphasizes Reconstruction, the "New South Creed," race relations, industrialization, and the region's changing role in national affairs.