Chaminade University Fall Evening 1999: October 4 - December 17, 1999

Class: Geography 103 (GE 10380 3 credits) Human Geography Location: Camp Smith - Bldg. 27 Time: Fridays 5:30 - 9:40pm

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Required texts: Human and Cultural Geography: A Global Perspective

Course objective: This course introduces concepts and ideas designed to study physical and cultural diversity toward the purpose of increased understanding and appreciation of the world.

Course requirements:

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Reading assignments Video presentations (five essay reviews) Group projects (five essay reviews) 5 Quizzes (100 points) 10 one page essays (250 points) 2 map handouts (100 points) attendance and participation (50 points)

Group Projects: Students will discuss topics listed in the syllabus and identify several important and/or relevant concepts, examples, and/or ideas related to the topic. Group members will then present these concepts to the class for further discussion. *There are no right or wrong answers in this project, but participation is required.*

Quizzes: Students will take quizzes in class based on reading assignments and lecture material.

Essays: Students will write five essays (typed, double space, one to two pages long) based on group projects and five essays based on video presentations. At least one essay is due each week, so all students will write an essay based on the first video presentation which is due at the beginning of the second class period. Essays will be graded for content and writing quality (grammar, spelling, punctuation, sentence and paragraph construction) and organization of ideas.

Map exercise: There will be two handouts and a list of places to be located on the maps.

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Grades:

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Total number of points from assignments will determine final grades.

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500-450 points	Α	349-300 points	D
449-400 points	В	Below 300 points	Fail

349-300 points C

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<u>Reading</u> CH 1-2	Introduction to course Syllabus and text review	Lecture: Basic concepts		
□ <u>Reading</u> CH 3-5	Map exercise	Lecture: Basic Concepts	Group Project: Human organization: individual, family, community, government	Video
<u>Reading</u> CH 6	Submit essay	Lecture: Population, Language and Religion	Group Project: Human adaptation: energy, technology, science	Video
<u>Reading</u> Approaching 2000 handout	QUIZ Submit essay	Discussion: Popular Culture	Group Project: Approaching 2000	Video
Reading CH 7-9	QUIZ Submit essay	Lecture: Contemporary Societies	Group Project: Approaching 2000: Russia, Jerusalem	Video
<u>Reading</u> CH 10-11	Quiz Submit essay	Lecture: Agriculture and Industry	Group Project: Human expression: architecture, art, music and literature	Video

Reading CH 12	Quiz Submit essay	Lecture: Rural and Urban	Group project: Human achievement: education, health, human rights, discovery	Video
Reading CH 13-14	QUIZ Submit essay	Lecture: Local and Global Issues	Group Project: Stewardship: water, soils, plants, oceans, deserts, forest	Video
<u>Reading</u> Review book	Submit essay	Lecture: Environment and Development		Video
LAST CLASS	Submit essays	Course review	Map exercise	Course evaluation