CHAMINADE UNIVERSITY OF HONOLULU: HISTORY 202.40 Ft. Shafter

American History II: Mondays and Wednesdays 5:30 - 9:40.

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TEXT: Nash, Gary et al. The American People: Creating Nations and a Society. Vol. li, Harper Collins: New York, 1996

COURSE DESCRIPTION: This course surveys American history from Reconstruction through Bush. The course will cover social, eocnomic and political history with some emphasis on the latter.

ASSIGNMENTS: Students are expected to read the weekly assignment before coming to class and to be prepared for class discussions. Class attendance is required. Three exams will be given and a paper will be assigned.

The grading percentages are as follows:

25% Paper/Presentation:

25% Learning Logs

25% Midterm Exam

25% Final Exam

The presentations will be graded with the following rubric

30% what happened

35% why it happened

35% what are the implications

COURSE OUTLINE:

DATE:	ASSIGNMENT
8/2	Intro - Civil War and Reconstruction
8/7	Chapters 17-18 Rural America and industrialization
8/9	Chapters 19-20 Reform Politics and Imperialism
8/14	Midterm I
8/16	Chapters 21-22 Progressives and WWI
8/21	Chapters 23-24 Postwar Boom, Depression, & New Deal
8/23	Chapter 25 WW II
8/28	Midterm II and Cold War Chapter 26
8/30	Chapters 27-28 Postwar 1950s-'60s
9/4	LABOR DAY
9/6	Chapters 29-30 1970s-'80s
9/11	Final Exam