

HST 270 : History of Mexico

Surveys Mexican history from pre-Columbian to modern times. Focus on post contact history: the Spanish conquest, colonial Mexico, independence and its aftermath to contemporary times. Emphasizes social, political, and cultural developments and contributions by a diversity of Mexico's peoples.

Credits 4

Prerequisites

Equivalent placement test scores also accepted.

Subject

[History](#)

Course Outcomes

Upon successful completion students should be able to:

- Articulate and interpret an understanding of key historical facts and events in the history of Mexico.
- Identify the influence of culturally based practices, values, and beliefs to analyze how historically defined meanings of difference affect human behavior.
- Identify and investigate historical theses, evaluate information and its sources, and use appropriate reasoning to construct evidence-based arguments on historical issues.
- Construct a well organized historical argument using effective, appropriate, and accurate language.

Prerequisite Courses

[WR 115](#)

[RD 115](#)