



Welcome!

Berkeley Connect is a one-unit history course intended for anyone interested in the study of history. In addition to connection and community, the purpose of the course is to introduce the methods and approaches that historians use, and also to discuss the work of history in our broader community. You will also learn skills for navigating the academic and professional culture of the university and the discipline.

In a broader sense, the Berkeley Connect program exists to open up the resources of the university to you. You are part of a supportive community engaged a rich exchange of ideas. We are all teaching and learning from each other. Berkeley Connect helps you participate actively in the university community even as you learn more about the history major.

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Sections

98BC	Monday	at 7:00 pm	in 3205 Dwinelle
198BC.001	Tuesday	at 5:00 pm	in 3205 Dwinelle
198BC.002	Tuesday	at 6:00 pm	in 3205 Dwinelle

Schedule

I. There are seven times in the semester when Berkeley Connect will meet as a section:

section	mtg 1	mtg 2	mtg 3	mtg 4	mtg 5	mtg 6	mtg 7
98BC Mon 7pm	1/22	1/29	2/12	2/26	3/12	4/2	4/23
198BC.001 Tue 5pm	1/16	1/23	2/6	2/20	3/13	4/3	4/24
198BC.002 Tue 6pm	1/16	1/23	2/6	2/20	3/13	4/3	4/24

II. There are two times when you will meet one-on-one with your mentor by appointment. These are required meetings. We will schedule them individually around the beginning of February, 1/30 – 2/5, and the beginning of April, 4/5 – 4/13.

III. We will all be going to the Berkeley Art Museum in at the beginning of March (3/1 or 3/2) and you will sign up for a tour closer to that time.

IV. There will also be a few weeks when we are scheduling office hours instead of program. These are optional meetings, but you are encouraged to stop by and say hello and talk about life, school, the universe, etc., so that your mentor does not get bored sitting in 3205 Dwinelle.

section	Office Hours (<i>not required</i>)			
98BC Mon 7pm			3/19	4/16
198BC.001 Tue 5pm	2/13	2/27	3/20	4/17
198BC.002 Tue 6pm	2/13	2/27	3/20	4/17

Calendar & Syllabus

Week	Date & Time	Meeting	Place	Topic
1	Tue: 1/16 at 5 & 6 pm Mon: 1/22 at 7 pm	Mtg. 1 as section	3205 Dwinelle	introduction and orientation (with Chris and Professor Dandelet)
2	Tue: 1/23 at 5 & 6 pm Mon: 1/29 at 7 pm	Mtg. 2 as section	3205 Dwinelle	Story tellers: history and myth (Gilgamesh 11: The Flood) & Reading
3	<i>appointments on 1/25, 1/26, 1/30, 2/1, 2/2, 2/6</i>	One-on-one meetings with mentor	<i>FSM Café or 3205 Dw</i>	getting acquainted
4	Tue: 2/6 at 5 & 6 pm Mon: 2/12 at 7 pm	Mtg. 3 as section	<i>individually scheduled</i>	Social History and Data (Reading the Census) & Using office hours
5	Tue: 2/13 at 5 & 6 pm	Office Hours (<i>optional</i>)	3205 Dwinelle	
6	Tue: 2/20 at 5 & 6 pm Mon: 2/26 at 7 pm	Mtg. 4 as section	3205 Dwinelle	Microhistory (Natalie Zemon Davies) & Digital Resources and Networks
7	Tue: 2/27 at 5 & 6 pm	Office Hours (<i>optional</i>)	3205 Dwinelle	
8	<i>pick one time: 3/8 (11 am or 12 pm) or 3/9 (3 pm)</i>	Museum Visit	BAMPFA	Visit the museum on a group tour
9	Mon: 3/12 at 7 pm Tue: 3/13 at 5 & 6 pm	Mtg. 5 as section	3205 Dwinelle	Selling the Story: Advertising and Propaganda (Tom Burrell) & Historian as Public Intellectual
10	Mon: 3/19 at 7 pm Tue: 3/20 at 5 & 6 pm	Office Hours (<i>optional</i>)	3205 Dwinelle	
11	<i>Spring Break</i>			
12	Mon: 4/2 at 7 pm Tue: 4/3 at 5 & 6 pm	Mtg. 6 as section	3205 Dwinelle	Counterfactual History (Winston Churchill) & History in the Movies
13	<i>appointments on 4/5, /6, /9, /10, /12, /13, /16, /17</i>	One-on-one meetings with mentor	<i>FSM Café</i>	talking about future plans
14	Mon: 4/16 at 7 pm Tue: 4/17 at 5 & 6 pm	Office Hours (<i>optional</i>)	3205 Dwinelle	
15	Mon: 4/23 at 7 pm Tue: 4/24 at 5 & 6 pm	Mtg. 7 as section	3205 Dwinelle	Graduate Student Panel: Academic and Alternative Career Plans
16	Mon: 4/30 at 7 pm Tue: 5/1 at 5 & 6 pm	Office Hours (<i>optional</i>)	3205 Dwinelle	

Requirements: *To get credit for the course, you must attend five of the regular meetings, meet twice for a one-on-one meeting, and take an online survey at the end of the semester.*