

## SAMPLE COURSE OUTLINE

### Course Code, Number, and Title:

HIST 2247: Canada and the World Wars

### Course Format:

[Course format may vary by instructor. The typical course format would be:]

Lecture 2 h + Seminar 2 h + Lab 0 h

**Credits:** 3

**Transfer credit:** For information, visit [bctransferguide.ca](http://bctransferguide.ca)

### Course Description, Prerequisites, Corequisites:

Canada's involvement in the two world wars led to dramatic growth and maturation of the nation. It moved away from its colony-nation status as part of the British Empire and by 1945 had moved into the US sphere of influence. As a result of World War II Canada boasted the fifth largest military on earth and was well on its way to becoming one of the wealthiest nations on the planet. This period also witnessed dramatic social change as women received the vote and the foundations for the social welfare state were laid. Students explore a broad range of topics related to the political, social, economic and military events that surrounded Canada's participation in the two world wars while identifying the changes wrought upon the Canadian state and Canadian people as a result of the country's involvement.

Prerequisites: None

Corequisites: None

### Learning Outcomes:

Upon successful completion of this course, students will be able to:

- Identify broad patterns in the relationship between the two world wars and Canadian society
- Identify key moments in Canada's participation in the two world wars
- Cite examples of social, cultural, economic, political and military change as a result of Canada's participation in the world wars
- Conduct a critical review of an academic secondary source
- Critically read, analyse and discuss academic sources

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## **Textbook and Course Materials:**

[Textbook selection may vary by instructor. An example of texts and course materials for this course might be:]

Cook, Tim. "At the sharp End: Canada in the First World War". Canada. 2016.

Cook, Tim. "The Necessary War: Canada in the Second World War". Canada. 2017.

*Note: This course may use an electronic (online) instructional resource that is located outside of Canada for mandatory graded class work. You may be required to enter personal information, such as your name and email address, to log in to this resource. This means that your personal information could be stored on servers located outside of Canada and may be accessed by U.S. authorities, subject to federal laws. Where possible, you may log in with an email pseudonym as long as you provide the pseudonym to me so I can identify you when reviewing your class work.*

## **Assessments and Weighting:**

**Final Exam** 35%

**Other Assessments %**

(An example of other assessments might be:) %

Midterm Exam: 30%

Assignments: 20%

Participation: 15%

Participation format: Contribution to in class discussions, activities

Proportion of individual and group work:

Individual: 100%

**Grading System:** Letter grade

Specific grading schemes will be detailed in each course section outline.

Passing grade: D

## **Topics Covered:**

[Topics covered may vary by instructor. An example of topics covered might be:]

A Young Country Entering A 'Great War'

The Birth of the Corps

A Changing War

A Changing Home Front

The Shock Troops of the British Empire

From Veterans to Activists: The Inter-War Years

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The War in the Air and the War At Sea  
Trials and Tribulations  
The D-Day Dodgers in Italy  
Mobilizing the Welfare State  
The Battle for Normandy  
The Liberation Route

As a student at Langara, you are responsible for familiarizing yourself and complying with the following policies:

**College Policies:**

[E1003 - Student Code of Conduct](#)

[F1004 - Code of Academic Conduct](#)

[E2008 - Academic Standing - Academic Probation and Academic Suspension](#)

[E2006 - Appeal of Final Grade](#)

[F1002 - Concerns about Instruction](#)

[E2011 - Withdrawal from Courses](#)

**Departmental/Course Policies:**

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