

History 2037
Europe since 1914

Week 1	January 6 & 8 Introduction Origins of World War I Read Paxton, chapters 1-2
Week 2	January 13 & 15 World War I Britain during World War I Read Paxton chapters 3-4
Week 3	January 20 & 22 European socialism The Irish Revolution Read Paxton chapter 5 Begin Remarque
Week 4	January 27 & 29 The Russian Revolution Postwar Europe Read Paxton chapters 6-8 Finish Remarque
Week 5	February 3 & 5 General Strike in Britain Chaos in Germany Read Paxton chapters 9-10
Week 6	February 10 & 12 Class discussion Mid-term examination
Week 7	February 17 & 19 European Fascism Civil War in Spain Read Paxton chapters 11-12
Week 8	February 24 & 26 Fascist Italy Nazi Germany Read Paxton chapter 13
Week 9	March 3 & 5

Stalin's Russia
Class discussion
Begin Orwell

- Week 10 March 10 & 12
 The Appeasers
 World War II
 Finish Orwell
 Paper due
- Week 11 March 17 & 19
 SPRING BREAK
- Week 12 March 24 & 26
 Britain during World War II
 Rise of the Welfare State
 Read Paxton chapters 14-15
 Begin Levi
 Optional paper due
- Week 13 March 31 & April 2
 Cold War in Europe
 Decolonization
 Read Paxton chapter 16
 Finish Levi
- Week 14 April 7 & 9
 The European New Left
 Class discussion
 Read Paxton chapters 17-19
 Begin T. G. Ash
- Week 15 April 14 & 16
 Socialism with a Human Face
 Dissolution of the Soviet Bloc
 Read Paxton chapters 20-23
 Finish T.G. Ash
- Week 16 April 21 & 23
 Thatcherism in Britain
 Review and Class discussion
 Finish Paxton

Text Books: Robert Paxton *Europe in the Twentieth Century*
E.M. Remarque *All Quiet on the Western Front*
George Orwell *The Road to Wigan Pier*
Primo Levi *Survival in Auschwitz*
Timothy Garton Ash *The Magic Lantern*

Grading: Midterm = 33%
 Essay = 33%
 Final = 33%

I will explain how the optional essay counts.

Students who take this course will be expected to adhere scrupulously to the Georgia Tech honor code.

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