

UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO
Departments of History/Political Science

JHP 304Y
Fall 2020

Ukraine: Politics, Economy, and Society

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Lectures: Tues. and Thurs. 10-11
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COURSE OUTLINE
(First Term)

- I. Introduction and Pre-Kievan Times
- II. Kievan Period
- III. Lithuanian-Polish-Crimean Period to 1648
- IV. Cossack State, 1648-1711
- V. Ukrainian Lands in the 18th Century

(Second Term)

- VI. Ukraine in the Russian Empire
- VII. Ukraine in the Austrian Empire
- VIII. World War I and the Struggle for National Independence
- IX. Interwar Years
- X. World War II to Independent Ukraine

REQUIRED READINGS (On separate list)

WRITTEN WORK

Essay of 2500 typewritten words (10 one-sided double-spaced pages) first term; and essay of 3000 words (12 one-sided double-spaced pages) second term. Essays must be handed in class (December 8 and April 1) or via email on the dates indicated below.

GRADING

Term test (September 24)	5%
1st term essay (due December 8)	45%
2nd term essay (due April 1)	50%

PENALTIES

2 points deducted per day of lateness

LECTURES (First term)

I. Introduction and Pre-Kievan Times

September 10	1. What is national history and the history of Ukraine?
September 15	2. Geographic and ethnolinguistic setting
September 17	3. Greek colonies and the steppe peoples
September 22	4. The Slavs and Khazars

II. Kievan Period

September 24	TERM TEST
September 29	5. Organization of the Kievan Rus' state
October 1	6. Political developments
October 6	7. Socioeconomic and cultural developments
October 8	8. The Mongol invasion
October 13	9. The Kingdom of Galicia-Volhynia

III. Lithuanian-Polish-Crimean Period to 1648

October 15	10. Expansion of Lithuania and union with Poland
October 20	11. Socioeconomic developments
October 22	12. Orthodoxy, the Protestant Reformation, and the Union of Brest
October 27	13. The Tatars and the Crimean Khanate
October 29	14. The rise of the Zaporozhian Cossacks

IV. Cossack State, 1648-1711

November 3	15. The Khmel'nyts'kyi revolution of 1648 and its aftermath
November 5	16. Muscovy and the agreement of Pereiaslav
November 17	17. Ivan Mazepa and the northern wars
November 19	18. Socioeconomic and cultural developments

V. Ukrainian Lands in the 18th Century

November 24	19. Ukraine's autonomy and the Russian Empire
November 26	NO CLASS
December 1	20. Socioeconomic and cultural developments
December 3	21. Right Bank Ukraine and Galicia
December 8	22. Perceptions of history