HIEU 117b Greece and the Balkans in the Twentieth Century

Time: TU & TH: 12:30 - 1:50
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This course explores the history of Greece and the Balkans from 1914 to the present. Topics covered include World War I, population exchanges, authoritarianism, modernization, World War II, resistance, civil wars, Cold War, Greek-Turkish relations, collapse of Communism, 1990s conflicts, and EU expansion.

Grade Breakdown:
In-Class Quizzes .......................................................... 20%
Midterm Examination ....................................................... 30%
Final Examination .......................................................... 50%

❖ Quizzes: there will be three (3) in-class multiple choice quizzes drawn from lectures and the readings. The quizzes will be unannounced. You will be able to drop your lowest quiz score, and so we will calculate your grade based on your two best scores.
❖ The midterm and the final examinations will have the same format. There will three sections: identifications, multiple choice, and short answer. The final is cumulative.
❖ We cannot make arrangements for alternate final exam times due to multiple exams scheduled closely together. Check your exam schedule now for possible conflicts.

Academic Honesty and Plagiarism:
It is your responsibility to know and observe all university rules concerning academic honesty and plagiarism. Any student found to have committed a substantial violation of the university rules concerning academic honesty
will fail the entire course. If you have any questions about the policies relating to academic honesty and plagiarism, please feel free to speak with me or your TA.

Students with Disabilities
Students requesting accommodations and services due to a disability for this course need to provide a current Authorization for Accommodation (AFA) letter issues by the Office for Students with Disabilities (OSD), prior to eligibility for requests. Receipt of AFAs in advance is necessary for appropriate planning for the provision of reasonable accommodations. OSD Academic Liaisons also need to receive current AFA letters. For additional information, contact the Office for Students with Disabilities: 858. 534.4382 (V); 858-534-9709 (TTY) – Reserved for people who are deaf or hard of hearing, email: osd@ucsd.edu  OSD Website: http://disabilities.ucsd.edu”

Required Materials. All of course materials (books, readings, workbook, and other visuals) are accessible through WebCT.

Topics List:
Topic 1. World War I in the Balkans (1914-1918)
Topic 2. Aftermath: Asia Minor & International Relations (1919-1923)
Topic 3. Interwar Balkans (1923-1935)
Topic 5. The Terrible Decade: World War 2

Topic 6. The Greek Civil War

Midterm: May 3 (TU): regular class period
Final Exam: June 6, 2011 (MO): 11:30-2:30