

History of Clothing-Dram 179 001



MWF 10:25-11:15

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Course Objectives:

Students will get a clear over view of major periods in western clothing through the ages.

Students will gain a working ability to research clothing of any era.

Students will practice writing in the MLA Documentation format.

Students will be introduced to and become a part of the UNCA campus.

Students will develop the skills of active learning.

Students will develop their work with power point.

Students will learn to participate actively and effectively in class discussion of course content.

Grading Scale:

100-93 A

92-90 A-

89-87 B+

86-83 B

82-80 B-

79-77 C+

76-73 C

72-70 C-

69-60 D

59-0 F

Grading System:

Paper 1 15%

Paper 2 15%

Paper 3 15%

Journals 31%

Class Presentation 10%

Final 14%

Paper 1

The first paper will come out of group discussions. It will be 2 pages on a present day element of fashion and its history. 5% for rough draft and 10% for final draft.

Paper 2

The second paper will be a 5 page paper on your specific historical time.

It should cover not only the fashion of the period but also an overall view of the era. (i.e. who was in power, new discoveries, etc.)

Paper 3

This paper will consist of 1-2 pages on dress as social change with a emphasis on a particular movement. 5% for rough draft and 10% for final draft. All papers should be written in the MLA Documentation format.

Journals

Journals will be made up of present day images that are inspired by pervious fashion eras; 5 new images for each era. The journals will be viewed by the entire class after each time period (1% each) and will be taken up once during the semester (5%)and again at the end of the semester(10%). The final journal entry will consist of 10 pictures of people in the area whose clothing was inspired by an earlier era in fashion.

Class Presentations

Each student will present a power point on their assigned era in fashion. This presentation should consist of the fashion of the period and general vision of the time. This is directly tied into Paper 2. The student will do their presentation and paper on the same era.

Finals

Finals will be given on the scheduled day. They will consist of 42 slides. The student will name the piece of clothing and the name of the time period in which it was worn.

Attendance

Two unexcused absences are allowed. After this your final grade will be lowered by 5 pts. Three additional excused absences are allowed only with a written doctor's excuse. There are no exceptions. All excused absences must be made up within a two-week period or they will convert to unexcused status. No unexcused or skipped absences will be made up for any reason. Unexcused absences include (but are not limited to) personal relationship trauma, getting a ride home for breaks, staying up late to complete assignments and take-home exams for classes, rehearsals, or meeting with advisors. Please be on time and do not leave before the class is over. A positive attitude would be appreciated.