





Indigenous Studies (INST) 369

Indigenous Peoples in Canada Since 1830 (Revision 4)

Status: Replaced with new revision, see the [course listing](#)  for the current revision 

Delivery mode: [Individualized study online](#) 

Credits: 3

Areas of study: Arts or Humanities

Prerequisites: Three credits in either Canadian history or Native/Indigenous studies are strongly recommended but not required.

Precluded: INST 369 is a cross-listed course—a course listed under two different disciplines—with [HIST 369](#). INST 369 may not be taken for credit by students who have obtained credit for INST 369 and HIST 369.

Challenge: INST 369 has a challenge for credit option.

Faculty: [Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences](#) 

Overview



INST 369 introduces major themes in the political, social, and economic history of Canada's first peoples from 1830 to the modern era.

Throughout the course we see the conflicts between government and First Nations objectives and worldviews. Among topics approached are the conflicting views of governments and Native peoples regarding the meaning of treaties, the conflict between European-Canadian goals of economic development and First Nations efforts to maintain control over their traditional lands, and political and cultural efforts of Native peoples over time to assert their rights within Canada.

Outline


- Unit 1: Colonialism and Natives of Western Canada, 1830-1900
- Unit 2: Residential Schools
- Unit 3: Native Women's Agency in the Fur Trade and under Colonialism
- Unit 4: Colonialism and Native Peoples of the North, Central Canada, and the Atlantic Region, 1830-1900
- Unit 5: Native Peoples Confront Twentieth Century Canada
- Unit 6: Native Resistance and Ongoing Struggles


Evaluation

To **receive credit**  for INST 369, you must complete all of the assignments, achieve a mark of at least 50 percent on the final examination, and obtain a course composite grade of at least **D (50 percent)** . The weighting of the course assignments is as follows:


Activity	Weight	Complete by
Assignment 1 (Unit 1 & 2)	30%	Week 10
Assignment 2 (Unit 3 & 4)	30%	Week 21

Activity	Weight	Complete by
Final Exam (All Units)	40%	Week 26
Total	100%	

The **final examination** for this course must be requested in advance and written under the supervision of an AU-approved exam invigilator. Invigilators include either ProctorU or an approved in-person invigilation centre that can accommodate online exams. Students are responsible for payment of any invigilation fees. Information on exam request deadlines, invigilators, and other exam-related questions, can be found at the [Exams and grades](#)  section of the Calendar.

To learn more about assignments and examinations, please refer to Athabasca University's [online Calendar](#) .

Materials

Ray, Arthur J. *An Illustrated History of Canada's Native People: I Have Lived Here Since the World Began*. 4th ed., McGill-Queen's UP, 2016. 
(eBook)

Other Resources

Online materials include a Student Manual, Course Manual, a Study Guide, Assignments, and a Digital Reading Room. The Student Manual provides general information while the other materials are all specific to this course.

The online materials also include Course Mail, Assignment Drop Boxes, Discussion Forums, and a Moodle Training site. Go to the Moodle Training site if you experience difficulties using any of the online course features.

Challenge for credit

Overview

The challenge for credit process allows you to demonstrate that you have acquired a command of the general subject matter, knowledge, intellectual

and/or other skills that would normally be found in a university-level course.

Full information about [challenge for credit](#) can be found in the Undergraduate Calendar.

Evaluation

To [receive credit](#) for the INST 369 challenge registration, you must achieve a grade of at least **D (50 percent)** on the examination.

Activity	Weight
Examination	100%
Total	100%

 [Challenge for credit course registration form](#)

Important links

- > [Academic advising](#)
- > [Program planning](#)
- > [Request assistance](#)
- > [INST369 Course Video](#)

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