

Schedule of Classes:

Key: **In bold, date & topic**; in normal font: assignment to be completed before class; *in italics: special activity planned.*

<p>1/13: Introduction to the class, and the late colonial order</p>	<p>1/15: Toward a new hegemony Discussion based on Guardino, 1-39 Identify: - Napoleonic Wars in Spain - Cadiz Constitution of 1812 - Miguel Hidalgo - José María Morelos</p>
<p>1/20: Peasants and empire Discussion based on Guardino, 40-90</p>	<p>1/22: Changes and continuities Discussion based on Guardino, 91-155</p>
<p>1/27: Conflicting national projects Discussion based on Guardino, 156-222</p>	<p>1/29: The new order in Oaxaca Discussion based on Guardino, 223-292</p>
<p>2/3: The liberal triumph Identify - Benito Juarez - Reforma Laws and Constitution of 1853 - Maximilian</p>	<p>2/5: The Porfiriato and Revolution “Light” Discussion based on Gonzales, 5-91</p>
<p>2/10: Counterrevolution and civil war Discussion based on Gonzales, ch. 92-132</p>	<p>2/12: One revolutionary to rule them all Discussion based on Gonzales, 133-181</p>
<p>2/17: Los de abajo (the underdogs) Discussion based on Azuela</p>	<p>2/19: Los de abajo (the underdogs) Discussion based on Azuela <i>Screening of Vámonos con Pancho Villa (1)</i></p>
<p>2/24: Los de abajo (the underdogs) <i>Screening of Vámonos con Pancho Villa (2)</i></p>	<p>2/26: Political Culture and the Mexican Revolution First paper due</p>
<p>3/3: The 1920s Discussion based on Gonzales 182-220</p>	<p>3/5: Institutionalizing the Revolution Discussion based on Gonzales, 221-270</p>
<p>3/17: The perfect dictatorship Identify: - World War II in Mexico - Miguel Alemán - Massacre of Tlatelolco <i>3/18 Matthew Guttman s lecture (extra credit)</i></p>	<p>3/19: The Revolutionary family Discussion based on Zolov, ch. 1-131</p>
<p>3/24: Managing dissent and crisis Identify: - Luis Echeverría - Excelsior and Julio Scherer</p>	<p>3/26: Defying patriarchy and authoritarianism Discussion based on Zolov, 132-260</p>

<p>3/31: The lost decade Identify: - Earthquake of 1985 - World Soccer Championship of 1986</p>	<p>4/2: The political economy of authoritarianism Discussion based on Haber, ch. 1-122 <i>BGSU Student Research Conference (discussion may be moved to 4/7)</i></p>
<p>4/7: The Salinas revolution Identify: - Cuauhtémoc Cárdenas - PRONASOL - EZLN</p>	<p>4/9: Everyday life in times of neoliberalism (1) Discussion based on Hellman, 1-112</p>
<p>4/14: The times of electoral democracy Identify: - Instituto Federal Electoral (IFE) - Andrés Manuel López Obrador</p>	<p>4/16: The limits of democratization Discussion based on Haber, ch. 123-220</p>
<p>4/21: Everyday life in times of neoliberalism (2) Discussion based on Hellman, 113-184</p>	<p>4/23: Everyday life in times of neoliberalism (3) Discussion based on Hellman, 185-227 Screening of "Letters from the Other Side" (1)</p>
<p>4/28: US-Mexico Relations Screening of "Letters from the Other Side" (2)</p>	<p>4/30: Legacies, challenges, opportunities Discussion based on selected chapters from Haber, Hellman, and Zolov.</p>
<p>Final paper due by exam day</p>	