

History 4860F

The French Revolution and Human Rights

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This course explores the origins and development of human rights history, focusing on the language and practice of rights in the era of the French Revolution.

We will explore the foundational 'rights' texts of the revolutionary era, and the expansion, limitation, denial of rights for women, religious minorities and people of African origins, enslaved and free, and Indigenous peoples in colonial contexts.

This **blended learning course** involves both **synchronous** and on-line elements.

Seminar: Wednesday 12:30-2:30

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