

课程详述

COURSE SPECIFICATION

以下课程信息可能根据实际授课需要或在课程检讨之后产生变动。如对课程有任何疑问，请联系授课教师。

The course information as follows may be subject to change, either during the session because of unforeseen circumstances, or following review of the course at the end of the session. Queries about the course should be directed to the course instructor.

1.	课程名称 Course Title	俄罗斯历史概述 Introduction to the History of Russia
2.	授课院系 Originating Department	社会科学中心 Center for Social Sciences
3.	课程编号 Course Code	SS112
4.	课程学分 Credit Value	2
5.	课程类别 Course Type	通识选修课程 General Education (GE) Elective Courses
6.	授课学期 Semester	春季 Spring
7.	授课语言 Teaching Language	英语 English
8.	授课教师、所属学系、联系方式 (如属团队授课, 请列明其他授课教师) Instructor(s), Affiliation & Contact (For team teaching, please list all instructors)	Yegor GREBNEV 南方科技大学人文社会科学荣誉学会 Society of Fellows in the Liberal Arts, SUSTech yegor@mail.sustech.edu.cn
9.	实验员/助教、所属学系、联系方式 Tutor/TA(s), Contact	无 NA
10.	选课人数限额(可不填) Maximum Enrolment (Optional)	

11. 授课方式 Delivery Method	讲授 Lectures	习题/辅导/讨论 Tutorials	实验/实习 Lab/Practical	其它(请具体注明) Other (Please specify)	总学时 Total
学时数 Credit Hours	32				32
12. 先修课程、其它学习要求 Pre-requisites or Other Academic Requirements	无 NA				
13. 后续课程、其它学习规划 Courses for which this course is a pre-requisite	无 NA				
14. 其它要求修读本课程的学系 Cross-listing Dept.	无 NA				

教学大纲及教学日历 SYLLABUS

15. 教学目标 Course Objectives

The students will:

- understand the geographic and historical division of Russia;
- understand what ethnic groups have played an important role in the history of Russia;
- understand the principles of geographic and historical division in Eurasian history;
- acquire a new perspective to think about the history of Russian-Chinese relations;
- learn how contemporary problems and political tensions in Russia are determined by its historical legacy.

16. 预达学习成果 Learning Outcomes

The course aims to develop the following knowledge and skills:

- analyze historical processes in Eurasia at the level of specific historico-geographic regions;
- trace the causal connections between the contemporary political events, geographic factors and historical legacy;
- develop a sympathetic understanding of different ethnicities of contemporary Russia;
- explain one's point of view convincingly in academic writing.

17. 课程内容及教学日历 (如授课语言以英文为主, 则课程内容介绍可以用英文; 如团队教学或模块教学, 教学日历须注明主讲人)

Course Contents (in Parts/Chapters/Sections/Weeks. Please notify name of instructor for course section(s), if this is a team teaching or module course.)

Week 1: Geographic overview 地理概况 (2-credit hours)

- Russia's main geographic features
- Climate zones
- Historico-geographic regions

Week 2: Languages and language families 语言与语系 (2-credit hours)

- Contemporary linguistic diversity in Russia
- Methods to establish linguistic relationship
- Language families; their role in history and pre-history
- Language relations that stretch across national boundaries

Week 3: Traditional economic systems 传统经济模式 (2-credit hours)

- Geographic zones and economic systems
- Distribution of agriculture, pastoralism, nomadism, fishing, hunting and gathering
- Evolution of traditional economic systems in the course of history

Week 4: Spread of Indo-Europeans 印欧民族的传播 (2-credit hours)

- Archeological sites with Indo-European connections in Russia
- The economy of early Indo-Europeans
- Later migrations of Indo-Europeans

Week 5: Eastern Slavs at the periphery of history 历史边缘上的东斯拉夫人 (2-credit hours)

- The problem of the origin of Slavs
- Greek, Arabic, Scandinavian sources of Slavic history
- Archeological evidence of the early periods of Slavic history
- The role of Eurasian trade routes in the formation of early Slavic states

Week 6: The Caucasus between Russia, Turkey and Iran 俄罗斯、土耳其和伊朗之间的高加索 (2-credit hours)

- Ethnic and linguistic diversity of the Caucasus
- Russian expansion in the Caucasus
- Ethnic consolidation and relocations

Week 7: Early Rus: unity and disintegration 基辅罗斯：大统和解体 (2-credit hours)

- Political unification of Eastern Slavs
- Adoption of Christianity and the beginning of historical record
- Political disintegration in the 12-13th centuries

Week 8: Turkic and Mongolian presence in Russia 俄罗斯的突厥和蒙古民族 (2-credit hours)

- Origins of Turkic and Mongolian peoples
- The First and Second Turkic khaganates
- Turkic-speaking peoples in the early history of Russia: the Khazars, the Polovtsy, the Pechenegs
- The Mongolian conquest in the 13th century

Week 9: Primorsky Krai: from Bohai to Russia 滨海边地区：从渤海国到俄罗斯 (2-credit hours)

- Geographic overview of Primorsky Krai
- Tungus-Manchu, Korean and Mongolian state formations
- From the rise of the Manchu to Beijing Treaty

Week 10: Restructuring of Russia around Moscow 以莫斯科为中心的新型俄罗斯 (2-credit hours)

- Negotiation of primacy between Russian polities during the Mongolian dominance

- The Moscow model of centralized expansive state
- Expansion within and beyond Slavic lands: 15th-16th centuries
- Russia's acquisition of Turkic and Mongolian lands after the 16th century

Week 12: Russia's Siberian expansion 俄罗斯的西伯利亚探险 (2-credit hours)

- Novgorod's expeditions to Siberia before Moscow
- Cossacks as the avant-garde of Russian expansion
- Early patterns of settlement and taxation in Siberia
- Comparison between the Russian and Turkic expansion in Siberia

Week 13: Conquest of the Caucasus 高加索地区的征服 (2-credit hours)

- History of Russia's conflicts with Turkey and Iran
- Expansion to the Caucasus in the 18th and 19th centuries
- Administrative restructuring and ethnic engineering of the Caucasus in the Russian empire
- Protests against Russian dominance

Week 14: Russian contacts with China 俄罗斯与中国早期的关系 (2-credit hours)

- The Amur river valley in the aftermath of the Manchu conquest of China
- Russian settlements on the Amur and negotiations with the Qing government
- The Albazinian community
- Russian expansion in China in the 19th century

Week 15: Impact of history on contemporary politics in Russia 历史对于当代俄罗斯政治的影响 (2-credit hours)

- Russia as a multi-ethnic state: preservation of local cultures and traditions
- Ethnic tensions and separatist movements
- Inequality of economic development in Russian regions

Week 16: Summary and assignment presentations 课程总结与学生报告 (2-credit hours)

- Summary of the main course themes
- Student presentations

18. 参考资料 Supplementary Readings

- Forsyth, James. *A history of the peoples of Siberia: Russia's North Asian colony 1581-1990* (Cambridge University Press, 1994).
- Michael Khodarkovsky. *Russia's Steppe Frontier: The Making of a Colonial Empire, 1500-1800* (Indiana University Press, 2002).
- Charles Halperin. *Russia and the Golden Horde: The Mongol Impact on Medieval Russian History* (Indiana University Press, 1985).
- Dmytryshyn, Basil (1980). "Russian expansion to the Pacific, 1580–1700: a historiographical review". *Slavic Studies*. 25: 1–25.
- N.K. Chadwick. *The Beginnings of Russian History: an Enquiry into Sources* (Cambridge University Press, 1946).

课程评估 ASSESSMENT

19. 评估形式 Type of Assessment	评估时间 Time	占考试总成绩百分比 % of final score	违纪处罚 Penalty	备注 Notes
出勤 Attendance		10%		

课堂表现 Class Performance				
小测验 Quiz				
课程项目 Projects				
平时作业 Assignments		40%学生报告 50%小文章		10-15 minutes presentation or an alternative assignment aligned with one of the topics discussed at class. Students will submit at least one essay during the term, answering to one of the proposed questions (possible essay topics will be announced at most classes). Each essay will contain no less than 2000 words and no more than 4000 words (English). Students can submit more than one essay, in which case only the essay that has gained the highest grade will be considered. Students will give 10-minutes presentations on the contents of their essays, followed by Q&A.
期中考试 Mid-Term Test				
期末考试 Final Exam				
期末报告 Final Presentation				
其它（可根据需要改写以上评估方式） Others (The above may be modified as necessary)				

20. 记分方式 **GRADING SYSTEM**

- A. 十三级等级制 **Letter Grading**
 B. 二级记分制（通过/不通过） **Pass/Fail Grading**

课程审批 **REVIEW AND APPROVAL**

21. 本课程设置已经过以下责任人/委员会审议通过
This Course has been approved by the following person or committee of authority