

<p>Course Name GNDS 212 Racism, Colonialism, and Resistance</p> <p>Contact Hours/Delivery Method Weekly pre-recorded lectures will be posted on the course OnQ Page VIRTUAL TEA WITH DR. LAWFORD: Wednesdays 9:00 am to 10:00 am Students are directed to the private and groups discussion under the Communication heading on the course OnQ page.</p>	<p>Course Instructor Karen Lawford</p>
<p>Official Course Description Decades after the formal decolonization of former colonies, the power relations of the colonial world—and the racism it engendered—remain deeply embedded in the West and are intrinsic to contemporary relations of globalization. This course explores European colonialism; historical and social constructions of race; the ongoing occupation of Indigenous peoples' territories; and contemporary racism.</p> <p>Detailed Course Description Throughout this course, we will examine past and present colonialism in what is geopolitically known as Canada with a focus on Indigneous Peoples and the possibilities of decolonial futures. We will put into conversation literature that is specific to the impacts of colonialism on the health and wellness of Indigenous Peoples through the historical, legislated, and social constructions of race and the maintenance of these categories.</p>	<p>Required Course Materials</p> <p>No required course material. All readings, listenings, and watchings will be made available</p>
<p>Course Objectives</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To introduce definitions of colonialism • To explore how colonialism and health are related • To develop an appreciation of a variety of Aboriginal and Indigenous meanings of colonialism • To understand the historical, legislated, and social constructions of race • To engage with Aboriginal and Indigenous scholars and in a kind, considerate, and appreciative manner 	<p>Course Evaluation</p> <p>Participation – 20% Three reading reflections – 45% (15% each) First short essay – 15% Second short essay – 20%</p>
<p>Topics in Course Outline</p> <p>Colonialism Health Indigenous scholarship Constructions of race Maintenance of race</p>	