DESCRIPTION:

Examines the global division of labor where migrant women as well as immigrant women tend to be exploited in numerous forms, ranging from lack of citizenship rights and erosion of skills to the risk of sexual assault, due to immigration/migration and social policies of various countries. Students with credit for WS 320 Special Topics: Immigrant Women and Economic Security may not complete this course for further credit.

COURSE DETAILS:

This course explores socio-economic-political conditions that are considered necessary for immigrants and migrant women’s basic security for their development and full participation in the Canadian society. The concept of immigrant is used in a broad and comprehensive way – beyond the legal framework and “standard” societal perception. By exploring the role of the state, this course also examines the history and restructuring of immigration and settlement policies in Canada and how immigrants irrespective of gender, class, race, sexual orientation, age, nationality, ethnicity, and dis/ability have been affected by these policies.

Grading

- 4 Writing Blog Submissions 10%
- Film Review Assignments 20%
- Mid-Term Exam 35%
- Final Exam 35%
Materials

REQUIRED READING:
Asian Immigrants in "Two Canadas": Racialization, Marginalization and Deregulated Work. (2012), Zaman.
ISBN: 9781552664797

Centre for Online and Distance Education Notes:

All CODE Courses are delivered through Canvas unless noted otherwise on the course outline.
https://canvas.sfu.ca

Required Readings listed on the course outlines are the responsibility of the student to purchase. Textbooks are available for purchase at the SFU Bookstore on the Burnaby campus or online through the Bookstore's website.

All CODE courses have an Additional Course Fee of $40

Exams
Exams are scheduled to be written on the SFU Burnaby campus at the noted time and date (unless noted as a take-home exam).
If your course has a take-home exam, please refer to Canvas for further details.
Students are responsible for following all Exam Policies and Procedures (e.g., missing an exam due to illness).
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