Ray: We have looked at the course and have concluded that it would not be suitable as a fulfillment of World History in Christian Perspective or Thinking Historically. We find the syllabus to be overly reliant on a single textbook, a book on Islam that is of questionable quality, lacking any real attention to non-Western societies and their development. The course does not do justice to the liberal arts aspect of our History 10.

chandra

On Thu, Nov 6, 2008 at 8:59 AM, Ray Rosentrater <rosentr@westmont.edu> wrote:

Chandra,

Would you please have your department review the attached HIST 123 course and make a recommendation to the GE Committee as to its appropriateness to fulfill World History in Christian Perspective or Thinking Historically. In other words, do the course readings/assignments support the thesis that the course provides a Christian framework and an introduction to the liberal arts on the one hand or sufficient work with historiography on the other.

Thanks,

Ray