Description: Nationalism and Revolution in Southeast Asia

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Academic Group: FOART
Academic Org: FOA003
HECS Band: 1
ASCED Code: 090300

STAFFING
Examiner: Richard Gehrmann
Moderator: Peter Wicks

PRE-REQUISITES
Pre-requisite: 1 unit of History or Asian Studies or permission from course convenor

SYNOPSIS
The basic assumption of this course is that a thorough appreciation of contemporary South-east Asian Societies depends upon a knowledge of their historical evolution. In order to develop an empathetic understanding of the complex issues which confront the region today, it is necessary to recognise the persistence of tradition into the present, and the way in which contemporary behaviour may reflect long-established patterns of living and beliefs. The great interplay of peoples and cultures which permeates the historical experience of South-east Asia must be of fundamental interest and significance to an increasingly multi-cultural Australia. In essence, this course focuses upon the modern history of selected South-east Asian countries in the period from 1800 to the present day.

OBJECTIVES
On successful completion of the course, students will have:

- an informed and critical awareness of major historical developments in the South-east Asian region;
- the ability to recognise the cultural validity, diversity and richness of the South-east Asian past;
- direct acquaintance with the major classical belief and value-systems of the region, and their influence on human behaviour over time;
- further awareness of the nature of historical methodology and explanation;
- the capacity to locate and interpret original sources in translation;
• studied in depth the recent historical experience of at least ONE distinct society in
the region.

TOPICS

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<td>4. Some contemporary issues.</td>
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TEXT and MATERIALS required to be PURCHASED or ACCESSED:
Books can be ordered by fax or telephone. For costs and further details use the 'Book Search' facility at http://bookshop.usq.edu.au by entering the author or title of the text.


Tarling, M. 2001 *Southeast Asia: A Modern History*, OUP, Melbourne.

REFERENCE MATERIALS

Reference materials are materials that, if accessed by students, may improve their knowledge and understanding of the material in the course and enrich their learning experience.

Penders, C.L.M., ed. 1977 *Indonesia: Selected Documents on Colonialism and Nationalism, 1830-1942*, University of Queensland Press, St Lucia.
STUDENT WORKLOAD REQUIREMENTS

ACTIVITY                        HOURS
Examinations                   2
Lectures                       28
Private Study                  121
Tutorial                       14

ASSESSMENT DETAILS

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NOTES:
1. Further details about the due dates are detailed in the assessment section of the Course Specifications.
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OTHER REQUIREMENTS
1. Penalties for unsubstantiated lateness of written work as follows: 10% of marks for assignment for each of the first five working days of lateness. Assignments received more than five working days after the due date will not be marked.
2. Students' pre-requisite can be one UNIT OF either HISTORY or Asian Studies
3. The final grade is based on a total of summative marks and is assigned in accord with Faculty guidelines.
4. On-campus students are encouraged to attend scheduled classes in order to ensure adequate discussion of tutorial papers.