American Institutions Pre-Survey

[Optional – Insert Consent Form]

Campus ID number:* __________________

- Yes
- No

**BELIEFS ABOUT HISTORY & HISTORY CLASSES**

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<td>I enjoy hearing, reading or watching stories from the past.</td>
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<td>I enjoy studying history.</td>
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<td>The history classes I have taken in the past have been boring.</td>
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<td>Doing well in a history class is mostly a matter of memorizing facts and dates.</td>
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<td>Historians should come to the same conclusion when examining evidence from the past.</td>
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<td>I am able to understand history readings such as textbooks.</td>
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<td>United States history is generally a story of how the United States has improved over time.</td>
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<td>I am good at analyzing complex evidence from the past.</td>
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<td>I am good at evaluating historical arguments.</td>
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**PERSONAL RELEVANCE**

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The history classes I have taken in the past have been relevant to understanding how I fit into the larger society.

The history classes I have taken in the past have helped me understand current events.

The history classes I have taken in the past have helped me improve the skills I need for success in school.

The history classes I have taken in the past have helped me improve the skills I need for success in my future career.

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ACADEMIC STRATEGIES AND SKILLS

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<td>When I have a question about a class, I ask my classmates.</td>
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<td>Listening to a lecture is an effective way for me to learn.</td>
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<td>I work best on a team rather than by myself.</td>
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<td>I believe I can learn from my classmates.</td>
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<td>I believe student instructors or teaching assistants can support my learning.</td>
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<td>Class discussions are an effective way for me to learn.</td>
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<td>I participate in class discussions.</td>
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TIME ALLOCATIONS & LIFE BALANCE

How many hours do you spend in a typical week (7 days) on the following activities? (Must be numeric, enter 0 for none)

Employment (including paid or unpaid internships) on or off campus: __________

Family obligations (caregiving, transportation, babysitting): __________

In a typical week, how often do you get enough sleep?

0   Every night
As of right now, how concerned are you about your ability to do the following things?

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**ACADEMIC DISPOSITIONS**

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<td>People can learn new facts, but they can't really change their basic academic ability.</td>
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<td>By working hard, a “C” student can often become an “A” student.</td>
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<td>By practicing academic skills, a “C” student can often become an “A” student.</td>
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**FUTURE ASPIRATIONS**

What is the HIGHEST academic degree or credential that you plan to eventually earn?

- Bachelor’s degree (B.A., B.S., etc.)
- Teaching credential
- Master’s or professional degree (M.A., M.S., M.B.A., R.N., etc.)
- Doctoral degree (Ph.D., M.D., J.D., etc.)
- I do not know yet.
- Other. Please specify: ____________________

What career do you hope to pursue after you have completed your education?

- Agriculture/agribusiness
- Artistic, creative professions
- Business (including finance, marketing, economics, communications)
- Civil service/government
- Education
- Engineering, computer programming
- Law
- Medicine, health-related professions
- Military
- Psychology, helping professions
- Researcher, scientist
- I do not know yet.
- Other. Please specify: _____________________

### DEMOGRAPHICS

**What year are you in your undergraduate studies?** If you are a transfer student, include years at previous institutions.
- First year
- Second year
- Third year
- Fourth year
- Fifth year
- Sixth year or more

**In which field is your current major?** If you have more than one major, check all that apply.
- Arts & Humanities
- Biological & Life Sciences
- Business
- Education
- Engineering
- Health Professions
- Mathematics or Computer Science
- Physical Sciences
- Social Sciences
- Other. Please specify: _____________________
- Undecided

**What was your first language(s)?**
- English only
- English and another language
- Another language (not English)

**What is the highest level of education completed by your parent(s)?** If your parents have different
levels of education, check the higher level.
- Less than high school
- High school
- Some college
- Undergraduate degree
- Graduate degree
- Doctorate
- I do not know.

What is your racial or ethnic background? Check all that apply.
- White
- Hispanic or Latino
- Black or African American
- Asian
- American Indian or Alaska Native
- Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander
- Decline to state

How do you describe yourself?
- Man
- Woman
- Trans Man
- Trans Woman
- Genderqueer/Gender non-conforming
- Not sure
- Decline to state
- Another identity. Please specify: ________________

Are you using the Pell Grant to pay for college this term?
- Yes
- No
- I do not know.

THIS COURSE

What grade do you expect to earn in this class?
[Dropdown selection, A through F]

What is the lowest grade you could receive in this class while still being satisfied?
[Dropdown selection, A through F]
Besides a passing grade, what do you hope to gain from this course? [open-ended]

What do you think your biggest challenge will be in this class? [open-ended]

Are there any other comments you would like to add? [open-ended]

[End of Survey]