

# Dakota County Technical College

## HIST 1350: World War II

### A. COURSE DESCRIPTION

Credits: 3

Lecture Hours/Week: 3

Lab Hours/Week: \*.\*

OJT Hours/Week: \*.\*

Prerequisites: None

Corequisites: None

MnTC Goals: Goal 05 - Hist/Soc/Behav Sci

This course is a historical introduction to World War II including analysis of such topics as the causes of war and peace; strategy, tactics, and technologies in the major theaters; political and military leadership; and war crimes.

Prerequisites: None.

Meets MnTC Goal 5

**B. COURSE EFFECTIVE DATES:** 05/21/2012 - Present

### C. OUTLINE OF MAJOR CONTENT AREAS

### D. LEARNING OUTCOMES (General)

1. Critically evaluate factual accuracy, evidentiary sources, strategy options and outcomes, interpretive viewpoints, personality/character issues, worldview differences/diversity/integrity
2. Describe and discuss major areas of World War II course content, demonstrating, historical knowledge and understanding.
3. Describe and discuss the sociopolitical and socioeconomic aspects of states in the World War II era, demonstrating historical knowledge and understanding from a variety of perspectives
4. Participate actively in discussion on the core World War II issues - problems, peoples, historic forces, patterns of global interdependence, WWII era political, economic and social issues in regards to cross-cultural differences.

### E. Minnesota Transfer Curriculum Goal Area(s) and Competencies

Goal 05 - Hist/Soc/Behav Sci

1. Employ the methods and data that historians and social and behavioral scientists use to investigate the human condition.
2. Examine social institutions and processes across a range of historical periods and cultures.
3. Use and critique alternative explanatory systems or theories.
4. Develop and communicate alternative explanations or solutions for contemporary social issues.

### F. LEARNER OUTCOMES ASSESSMENT

As noted on course syllabus

### G. SPECIAL INFORMATION

None noted