This course will conduct a comparative study of immigration and citizenship schemes of various industrialized countries of the world. Our starting point will be the United States. We will then explore and contrast the U.S. immigration system with those of Canada, Australia, Japan, Germany, France and Great Britain. We will briefly explore EU Immigration Law and discuss criminal involvement of immigrants and public opinion toward immigrants in these different countries.

Finally, the course will demonstrate that formal immigration law and policy can only be understood in the context of broader historical and political forces.

There will be a graded final examination, consisting of a 48 hour, two day take home exam that should be typed.

**REQUIRED TEXTS:**


SYLLABUS & READING ASSIGNMENTS
SUMMER IN SPAIN 2015

WEEK 1

Monday, June 1, 2015

Class 1: An Immigration Scheme for Guadeloupe -- A class discussion and exercise.

Read prior to class in your materials An Immigration Scheme for Guadeloupe and be prepared for class discussion on what should be in the Guadeloupe immigration scheme.

(Bring your Immigration Scheme for Guadeloupe to class with you.)

Tuesday, June 2, 2015

Class 2: U.S. Citizenship --
   How citizenship is gained
   How citizenship can be lost

(Bring Statute book to Class)

Wednesday, June 3, 2015

Class 3: Prior to this class read Chapter 1 of Immigration the World Over: Immigration in the United States
   An Overview & History of U.S. Immigration Law
   Immigration and the Constitution
   The Foundation Cases

Thursday, June 4, 2015

Class 4: Administrative structure & Immigrant Priorities
   Family Immigration
   Employment Based Immigration
   Nonimmigrant Priorities

(Bring Statute book to class)

Friday, June 5, 2015

SPECIAL EVENT (TBA)
WEEK 2

Monday, June 8, 2015

Class 5: Grounds for inadmissibility and Removal
Removal Proceedings
Relief from Removal
(Bring Statute book to class)

Tuesday, June 9, 2015

Class 6: Refugees and Asylum
(Bring Statute Book & Immigration the World Over to class)

Wednesday, June 10, 2015

Class 7: Discussion: U.S. immigration compared to Canadian immigration law
(Bring Statute Book & Immigration the World Over to class)

Thursday, June 11, 2015

Class 8: Discussion: U.S. immigration compared to Australian immigration law
(Bring Statute Book & Immigration the World Over to class)

Friday, June 12, 2015

SPECIAL EVENT (TBA)
WEEK 3

Monday, June 15, 2015

Class 9: Discussion: U.S. immigration compared to Japanese immigration law
(Bring Statute Book & Immigration the World Over to class)

Tuesday, June 16, 2015

Class 10: Discussion: U.S. immigration compared to German immigration law
(Bring Statute Book & Immigration the World Over to class)

Wednesday, June 17, 2015

Class 11: Discussion: U.S. immigration compared to French immigration law
(Bring Statute Book & Immigration the World Over to class)

Thursday, June 18, 2015

Class 12: Discussion: U.S. immigration compared to United Kingdom immigration law
(Bring Statute Book & Immigration the World Over to class)

Friday, June 19, 2015

SPECIAL EVENT (TBA)
WEEK 4

Monday, June 22, 2015

Class 13: Discussion: U.S. immigration compared to EU immigration law

Tuesday, June 23, 2015

Class 14: Continued Discussion: U.S. immigration compared to EU immigration law

48 HOUR FINAL EXAMINATION TO BE HANDED OUT AT END OF CLASS. START WORK ON FINAL EXAMINATION.

Wednesday, June 24, 2015

Class 15: No Class – Continue Work on Final Exam

Thursday, June 25, 2015

Class 16: No Class. TURN IN FINAL EXAMINATION AT THE CLASSROOM NO LATER THAN 1:00 PM