

AJ 137. INTELLIGENCE. Code # 17449. 0900-1015hrs. MH 526.
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Course Description: A look at the foreign and domestic intelligence establishments here and abroad; the activities they conduct; the political contexts they occur within; how activities are conducted; the various aspects of information collection explored.

Text: there is no text prescribed. There are, however, many excellent books in the library and many sites on your computer. Use them.

Course mechanics: there will be three examinations that are worth 100 points apiece. The exams are short answer and essay. An 8.5x11 bluebook is to be employed.

Grading: grades are assigned according to the traditional A=90-100, B=80-89, etc. The plus and minus is the bottom two and top two: 78-79=C+ and 80-81=B-.

Grading is done according to the relevancy and materiality of answer to course and question asked. Also, a lack of neatness and poor grammar/spelling can adversely affect grades. Show care.

Make-up Exams are discouraged. Make-up exams are scheduled for 17 May at 1000 hrs in room MH 520. Any considerations given exams at scheduled times will not be given to make-ups.

Lateness: because of the class layout and crowded conditions, being late or leaving early are inconsiderate of others. Exercise extreme caution entering and leaving.

Safety Features: familiarize yourself with the proper features in the class and leaving the building.

27 Jan – Course Introduction.

01 Feb – What is intelligence?

03 Feb – American Intelligence Community

08 Feb – the “Cousins” - UKUSA

10 Feb – Technical Intelligence

15 Feb – Technical Intelligence

17 Feb – video: “Eye in the Sky”

22 Feb – Reverse engineering; technical transfer

24 Feb – 1st examination

29 Feb – Humint & spookspeak

02 Mar – Humint & spookspeak

07 Mar – Honey Traps, video: “Honey Traps”

09 Mar – Agent Control

14 Mar – Comint & encryption

16 Mar – video: “The Codebreakers”

21 Mar – Link analysis

23 Mar – Visual Investigative Analysis

28 Mar – Spring Break

30 Mar – Spring Break

04 Apr – Traffic Analysis

06 Apr – 2nd examination

18 Apr – the ideological war

20 Apr – early Soviet operations – the COMINTERN

25 Apr – early involvement of KGB and GRU; WWII and its aftermath (1956)

27 Apr – Soviet Active Measures (1956-1991)

02 May – Soviet sister organizations (East Germany & PRC)

04 May – Counterintelligence in USA

09 May – Congressional Involvement (HUAC et al.)

11 May – Labeling and the McCarthy era

16 May – Hollywood and the great hokum

Final Examination is on Wed., 24 May at 0715 hrs.