

Module Code	SPU1102Y
Module Name	Introduction to Modern Spain
Department name (New AR/TEP requirement)	Hispanic Studies
Module Short Title	
ECTS weighting	10
Semester taught/Semester assessed (New AR/TEP requirement) Add coding convention	YEAR02
Contact Hours	1
Module Personnel	Dr. Daniel Mourenza
Learning Outcomes	On successful completion of the module, students will be able to: a) identify the major historical, socio-economic, political, and cultural shifts that have affected Spain in the 20th and 21st centuries; b) recognise the extent to which Spanish society is still responding to the historical experiences of the Civil War and the Franco regime; c) compare the aspirations of Spain's historical autonomous regions with the policies of the Madrid government; and d) combine the studied themes into a coherent overview of contemporary Spanish society.
Module Learning Aims	To familiarise students with recent and contemporary Spanish history, politics, economics and culture.
Module Content	The module will focus on Spanish history and society from 1898 to the present. Readings on the themes covered each week will be available on Blackboard.
Recommended Reading List	<p>Álvarez Junco, José, and Adrian Shubert (eds), <i>Spanish History since 1808</i> (London: Arnold, 2000)</p> <p>Brenan, Gerald, <i>The Spanish labyrinth: An account of the social and political background of the Spanish Civil War</i> (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2014)</p> <p>Carr, Raymond, <i>Spain 1808-1975</i> (Oxford: Oxford</p>

	<p>University Press, 1982)</p> <p>Carr, Raymond, <i>Modern Spain 1875-1980</i> (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 1980)</p> <p>Graham, Helen, and Jo Labanyi (eds). <i>Spanish Cultural Studies: An Introduction. The Struggle for Modernity</i> (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 1995)</p> <p>Graham, Helen, <i>The War and Its Shadow: Spain's Civil War in Europe's Long Twentieth Century</i> (Brighton: Sussex Academic Press, 2012)</p> <p>Phillips Jr., William D. and Carla Rahn Phillips, <i>A Concise History of Spain</i> (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2010)</p> <p>Radcliff, Pamela, <i>1808 to the Present</i> (Hoboken: Wiley-Blackwell, 2017)</p> <p>Ross, Christopher J., <i>Spain 1812-2004 (Modern History for Modern Languages)</i> (London: Arnold, 2004)</p> <p>Schubert, Adrian, and José Alvarez Junco, <i>The History of Modern Spain: Chronologies, Themes, Individuals</i> (London: Bloomsbury, 2017)</p> <p>Shubert, Adrian, <i>A Social History of Modern Spain</i> (Crows Nest: Unwin Hyman, 1990)</p> <p>Townson, Nigel (ed), <i>Is Spain Different?</i> (Brighton: Sussex Academic, 2010)</p>
Module Pre Requisite	N/A
Module Co Requisite	N/A
Assessment Details	<p>2-hour written examination at the end of Semester 2 (100%)</p> <p>Supplemental Assessment:</p> <p>2-hour written examination (100%)</p>
Module Website	
Module approval date	
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Academic Start Year	
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