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Vorlesung/Lecture Course: The Making of Modern America, 1861 to 1945

Raum: Hörsaal des Historischen Seminars
Zeit: Montag, 11.00 - 13.00 Uhr
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Syllabus

18 April 2016: The Civil War, 1861-1865
25 April 2016: The Reconstruction of the Union, 1865-1877
9 May 2016: The New South
23 May 2016: The Conquest of the Transmississippi West
30 May 2016: Industrial Capitalism and Urbanization
6 June 2016: Politics and Society in late 19th Century America
13 June 2016: Imperialism and Hegemony in the Western Hemisphere
20 June 2016: The Progressive Era
27 June 2016: The United States and the First World War
4 July 2016: The Roaring Twenties
11 July 2016: The Great Depression and the New Deal
18 July 2016: The United States and the Second World War
25 July 2016: Exams
Selected Bibliography

Reference Works and Documentary Collections:


**Monographs and Edited Volumes**


**Useful Links**

http://memory.loc.gov/ammem/index.html

The Library of Congress website “American Memory” offers various collections dedicated to U.S. History which provide documents, images, research tools, information about the Library’s holdings.

http://www.yale.edu/lawweb/avalon/avalon.htm

The Avalon Project at Yale University is a major collection of treaties, legal documents, and other sources spanning pre 18th century resources up to the modern day.

http://www.nara.gov

The National Archives and Records Administration is the federal agency that oversees the management of federal records. This site contains, among other things, a Digital Classroom for students, an Online Exhibit Hall containing historical documents and images and research information about the National Archives holdings.

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