

Caucasus Studies I – autumn 2019

All lectures are published on the Canvas course site at 10 am (Swedish time) on the dates indicated below. Published lectures are available to course participants until the end of the semester.

All scheduled assignments are mandatory and should be submitted and passed in order to pass the modules.

In addition, a number of online/on-campus seminars will be organised. Follow announcements in Canvas for dates and times.

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Introduction to Caucasus Studies				A Language of the Caucasus		
Week	Date	Published	Submit	Date	Published	Submit
36	2/9	Lecture 1: Introduction - geography, nature, borders		2/9	Russian Lecture 1 Azerbaijani Lecture 1	
		Assignment 1		5/9	Russian Lecture 2 Azerbaijani Lecture 2	
37	9/9	Lecture 2: Administrative and political division	Ass. 1	9/9	Russian Lecture 3 Azerbaijani Lecture 3	
				12/9	Russian Lecture 4 Russian Assignment 1 Azerbaijani Lecture 4 Azerbaijani Assignment 1	
38	16/9	Lecture 3: Language, ethnicity and national identities in the Caucasus Assignment 2		16/9	Russian Lecture 5 Azerbaijani Lecture 5	
				19/9	Russian Lecture 6 Azerbaijani Lecture 6	
39	23/9	Lecture 4: Culture and traditions in the Caucasus	Ass. 2	23/9	Russian Lecture 7 Azerbaijani Lecture 7	
				26/9	Russian Lecture 8 Russian Assignment 2 Azerbaijani Lecture 8 Azerbaijani Assignment 2	

40	30/9	Lecture 5: Early and pre-Soviet history		30/9	Russian Lecture 9 Azerbaijani Lecture 9	
		Assignment 3		3/10	Russian Lecture 10 Azerbaijani Lecture 10	Ass. 2
41	7/10	Lecture 6: Soviet Russia and the USSR	Ass. 3	7/10	Russian Lecture 11 Azerbaijani Lecture 11	
				10/10	Russian Lecture 12 Russian assignment 3 Azerbaijani Lecture 12 Azerbaijani assignment 3	
42	14/10	Lecture 7: Post-Soviet Caucasus – new geopolitical competition		14/10	Russian Lecture 13 Azerbaijani Lecture 13	
		Assignment 4		17/10	Russian Lecture 14 Azerbaijani Lecture 14	Ass. 3
43	21/10	Lecture 8: Conflict cases in the Caucasus	Ass. 4	21/10	Russian Lecture 15 Azerbaijani Lecture 15	
				24/10	Russian Lecture 16 Russian assignment 4 Azerbaijani Lecture 16 Azerbaijani assignment 4	
44	28/10	Exam question		28/10	Russian Lecture 17 Azerbaijani Lecture 17	Ass. 4
				31/10	Exam question	
45	4/10	Submit exam		7/11	Submit exam	
50	9/12	Re-exam question		11/12	Re-exam question	
51	16/12	Submit re-exam		18/12	Submit re-exam	

Post-Soviet Developments in the Caucasus				History of the Caucasus		
Week	Date	Published	Submit	Date	Published	Submit
44	28/10	Lecture 1: Post Soviet Democratization in the Caucasus Assignment 1		30/10	Lecture 1: Ancient pasts but modern narratives	
45	4/11	Lecture 2: Post-Soviet Economic Developments in the Caucasus	Ass. 1	6/11	Lecture 2: Investigating the past	
46	11/11	Lecture 3: Social Policy and Welfare in Post-Soviet Caucasus Assignment 2		13/11	Lecture 3: Historical narratives in the USSR	
47	18/11	Lecture 4: Environmental Issues in Post-Soviet Caucasus	Ass. 2	20/11	Lecture 4: Armenia's genocide trauma Assignment 1	
48	25/11	Lecture 5: Intra-State Conflicts in Post-Soviet Caucasus Assignment 3		27/11	Lecture 5: Azerbaijan's search for self	Ass. 1
49	2/12	Lecture 6: Foreign Policy of Armenia, Azerbaijan and Georgia	Ass. 3	4/12	Lecture 6: Georgia's (re)turn to Europe Assignment 2	
50	9/12	Lecture 7: External Interests in the South Caucasus Assignment 4		11/12	Lecture 7: Resistance and conquest in the North Caucasus	Ass. 2
51	16/12	Lecture 8: Social Capital in Post-Soviet Caucasus	Ass. 4	18/12	Lecture 8: Historians as conflict conductors	
1	2/1	Exam question		2/1	Exam question	
2	9/1	Submit exam		9/1	Submit exam	
7	10/2	Re-exam question		10/2	Re-exam question	
8	17/2	Submit re-exam		17/2	Submit re-exam	