

Russia under the Czars

RUSS 3550/CLCS 3900-001

TH, 2:00 - 3:20PM 3 credits readings & discussions in English

COURSE DESCRIPTION

In the century leading up to the 1917 Bolshevik revolution, literature became the forum for discussing Russia's social issues. In this course we will explore the major issues influencing Russian literature during this period and its vivid heroes and anti-heroes, as writers examine the role of a human being in Russian society and in forming a better future for it. Although this is not a history course, we will touch on the major cultural myths and events that impacted Russian literature and society, from Peter the Great and his "infernal" window on the West, St. Petersburg, to the Russian revolutionaries who would eventually rename his creation.

INSTRUCTOR

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Russian CLAC Section RUSS 3903-001 Tuesday, 12:55-1:45PM readings & discussions in Russian

What is a CLAC Section?

For students at the intermediate level or higher who are taking RUSS 3550. We will read and discuss materials relevant to the topics in RUSS 3550. Permission of instructor required.

For more information, visit our website: www.ias.utah.edu/language/clac-courses

Painting by Ilya Repin, "Barge Haulers on the Volga," 1870-1873.