COURSE DESCRIPTION:
This course offers an introduction to the theories of punishment and the rise of incarceration in the Western world during the 19th and 20th century. Specific attention is given to the use of correctional institutions in Canada, and current programs and practices.

TEXTBOOK: None
Articles on WebCT or Reserve Desk

COURSE EVALUATION:

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GRADE DISTRIBUTION:
The following letter/percentage scale will be used for all assignments.

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Exams will be non-cumulative (based on most recent third of the course) and consist of multiple choice, short answer and essay questions. The entire class period (about 1:15) will be provided for the first and second mid-terms, two hours will be provided for the final. The exam format and study questions will be provided to students prior to tests.

A five-seven page, typed, 1,000-1,500 word paper will require you to contrast two alternative perspectives on the use of prisons. Further information on the paper will be handed out in class. Assignments must be typed on a word processor and are to be emailed to me in Microsoft Office Word format by 23:59 hours November 16th 2009. Late assignments will be penalized at a rate of one mark per day (e.g., 15% of total mark, 1% a day to 15%, or a mark of zero after 15 days). Missed exams will be graded zero unless a legitimate reason with supporting documentation (medical slip, mechanic’s receipt, etc.) is provided.

ACADEMIC DISHONESTY:
Students should acquaint themselves with the University’s policy regarding academic ethics (i.e. cheating). It is outlined in The University of Winnipeg Course Calendar under the heading; Regulations and Policies. [http://www.uwinnipeg.ca/index/calendar-calendar](http://www.uwinnipeg.ca/index/calendar-calendar)

WITHDRAWAL DATE:
The final date to withdraw from the course without academic penalty can be found online. [http://www.uwinnipeg.ca/index/services-withdrawal-schedules](http://www.uwinnipeg.ca/index/services-withdrawal-schedules)
SERVICES FOR STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES:
Students with documented disabilities requiring academic accommodations for
tests/exams (e.g., private space) or during lectures/laboratories (e.g., access to
volunteer note-takers) are encouraged to contact the Coordinator of Disability Services
(DS) at 786-9771 to discuss appropriate options. Specific information about DS is
available on-line at http://www.uwinnipeg.ca/index/services-disability. All information
about the disability is confidential.

INSTITUTIONAL CORRECTIONS CJ 2203
COURSE OUTLINE AND REQUIRED READINGS

Week 1:
Introduction & Course Overview
Readings Chapter 1 GR

Week 2 & 3:
Corrections, historically speaking
Readings Chapter 2 GR
  Rd. 1, Sellin
  Rd. 2, Garland/Foucault

Week 4 & 5:
Recent trends and current stats, prisons in Manitoba
Readings Rd. 3 Adult Corrections, Juristat

Week 6 & 7:
Prison Design
Readings Rd. 4 New Generation, Wener
  GR p. 136-139

Week 8:
Test #1 based on readings and lectures this far.

Week 9 & 10:
Prison issues and violence
Readings Ch 4 GR
  Rd. 5, Cooley
  Rd. 6, Martin, Zimmerman

Week 11, 12 & 13:
Inmate Adjustment
Readings Ch 6 GR
  Rd. 7 Cooley
  Rd. 8 Bonta & Gendreau
  Rd. 9 Roberts & Jackson

Week 14 & 15:
Correctional Officers
Readings Ch 5 GR Correctional Officers

Week 16:
Midterm Test based on readings and lectures

**Week 17:**
Limiting state’s right to punish

**Readings**
- Rd. 10 Hannah-Moffat
- Rd. 11 McMurtry (penal abolition)

**Week 18 & 19:**
Classification prison programs treatment/rehabilitation

**Readings**
- Ch 7 GR
- Rd. 12 Gendreau
- Rd. 13 Newbold (Convict Criminology)

**Week 20:**
Term Paper Due

**Week 21 & 22:**
Prison gangs/women in prison

**Readings**
- Rd. 14 PG Formation Buentello, Fong
- Rd. 15 Canadian PG Grekul&Labourcane

**Week 23 & 24:**
Suicide/Mentally Disordered

**Readings**
- Rd. 16 Suicide
- Rd. 20 Suicide

**Week 25:**
Final Term Test

*GR = Griffiths, **RD = WebCt required reading*