

Modern Ideologies Professor Robert Gellately Meets Tuesday 3:05-6:05

This exciting new course combines the study of primary documents, with analysis of relevant movies, as well as diaries and letters. We cover larger-than-life figures such as Marx & Engels, Lenin, Stalin, Hitler, Mussolini, and others.

Why did Europe, thought to be so "advanced" and full of promise in 1900, decline into a century of conflicting ideologies, war and civil wars, revolution, "ethnic cleansing" and genocide? How did the ideologies born in Europe, soon influence the entire globe up to the present day?