

## GE CRITERIA APPROVAL FORM

**Course Number and Title:** PSY 340 History and Psychology of Nazi Germany

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**Indicate which of the following categories would be satisfied by this course by marking an “X” on the appropriate lines. Courses may be placed in up to two GE categories as appropriate. Upper Division Interdisciplinary GE courses may be placed in two categories plus the UDIGE category.**

D (Social Perspectives)

E (Human Psychological & Physiological Perspectives)

Upper Division Interdisciplinary GE

**Lab Included?** Yes \_\_\_ No **X**

**Please provide a brief explanation of how the proposed course meets each of the criteria for the selected General Education categories.**

This course meets the requirements for Category D through a thorough review of the history of German society and culture during the Nazi era. The course satisfies requirements for Category E through an in-depth examination of the psychological processes present among Nazi leaders and the German people during this time period.

To satisfy the Upper Division Interdisciplinary category the course students will be required to complete written work.

Learning Objectives:

Demonstrate an understanding of psychological theory in relation to historical analysis

Demonstrate knowledge and understanding of perspectives on the origin of abnormal behavior in Nazi germany

Demonstrate knowledge and understanding of how pathological personalities relate to social and historical processes

Demonstrate knowledge and understanding of individual differences in behavior, including those related to gender, ethnicity, and culture during the Nazi era