Sept. 5: Opening Discussion & Introduction.


Required Reading: Greg Dening, Islands and Beaches, Chapter 1; Marshall Sahlins, Islands of History, Chapters 1 - 2; Barry Lopez, Arctic Dreams, Chapter 7.


Required Reading: Daniel Boorstin, The Discoverers, pp. 82 - 419; Eric Wolf, Europe and the People without History, pp. 1 - 125.

Sept. 25-27: The Dynamics of Cultural Conflict in Aztec Mexico.


Required Reading: Katherine Frank, A Voyager Out: The Life of Mary Kingsley, entire book.

Oct. 9-11: Exploration of the American West.

Required Reading: Frank Bergon (ed.), The Journals of Lewis and Clark, [pages to be assigned].

Oct. 16-18: First Contact and Cultural Conflict in the Pacific.

Required Reading: Greg Dening, Islands and Beaches, entire book; M. Sahlins, Islands of History, chapters 3-4.

Oct. 23-25: The Canadian West and Subarctic: The Illusive Passage.

Required Reading: Hugh Brody, Maps and Dreams (pages to be assigned); Alexander Mackenzie, Voyages from Montreal on the River St. Laurence Through the Continent of North America to the Frozen and Pacific Oceans in 1789 and 1793 (pages to be assigned); B. Lopez, Arctic Dreams, chapters 1, 5-6.
Oct. 30-Nov. 1: European Intrusion into Papua and New Guinea (History 574).

**Required Reading:** I will put together a packet of readings for this week and place them on reserve in the Historical Society.

Nov. 6-8: Native Americans and the Exploration of the West.

**Required Reading:** William Goetzmann, *Exploration and Empire*, pp. 231-600; John W. Powell, *The Exploration of the Colorado River*.


Nov. 20-23: Back to Africa: Mungo Park and the Niger River (History 574).

**Required Reading:** Mungo Park, *Travels into the Interior of Africa* [pages to be assigned]; David Robertson, *Chiefs and Clerics*, pp. 1 - 33; David Robertson and Douglas Smith, *Sources in the African Past*, pp. 123 - 159.

Nov. 27-29: A Return to the "Big Picture".


Dec. 4-7: Exploration and Science in the 19th Century.

**Required Reading:** None.