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## Anthropology of Europe Enthusiasts ...

## Your scores and grades are now in your Moodle Gradebook folder.

You should have scores for all *Forum* postings *that were entered on time*, or by the end of the announced amnesty periods, or by the mutually agreed upon completion date(s). And if there is a letter grade in your Gradebook file you should have scores for all of the other materials you have submitted.

The "Adjustment Curve" for the semester is **thirty points** for folks who took the final exam or who have made arrangements for an Incomplete (*I*).

Please note that the top letter grade allowed in general by the University of Minnesota is an A, which is 93%. When you are looking at your scores and figuring out your grades keep in mind that the University of Minnesota does not in general have an A+ letter grade, for reasons not well articulated by the University.

Keep in mind also that the UMD Grading and Transcripts Policy was defined on 3 January 2011 and that, as earlier mentioned, this course does its best to follow those guidelines. For a direct comparison of your Anthropology of Europe scores with that UMD Policy have a look at the materials on the course "Grading Policies" WebPage at <<u>http://www.d.umn.edu/cla/faculty/troufs/anth3635/cegrades.html#gradingpolicies</u>>. The Peoples and Cultures of Europe "Curve" is on-line at <<u>http://www.d.umn.edu/cla/faculty/troufs/anth3635/cegrades.html#curve</u>>.

The top score for the class was 94.2%. Congratulations! I'm sorry the University of Minnesota does not have an A+.

If you are interested, some additional philosophical observations on project and exam and *Forum* grades, and the like, are on-line at "<u>The Strike</u> <u>Zone</u>" and "<u>The Curve</u>" and "<u>Grading Gymnastics</u>...."

I expect that the Peoples and Cultures of Europe grades will be officially submitted to the Registrar on Tuesday (9 May 2017), following UM regulations.

Have a look at and review your Moodle Gradebook folder, and if you have questions and/or comments please let me know by early Tuesday noon: <u>mailto:troufs@d.umn.edu</u>.

Your Final Grade for the course is listed at the very bottom of the page, under "Course total".

NOTE: If you are looking at your Extra Credit paper be sure to also check the Turnitin copy, with the Grademark feature turned on.

#### **Information on Incompletes**

If you made arrangements for an "**Incomplete**" (*I*), then that will be the grading notation submitted to the Registrar (for the official record) *not* the one that currently appears in your Moodle Gradebook folder. PLEASE NOTE: By University of Minnesota Policy Incomplete grades require a contract.

#### **Moodle Archives**

Our course IT folks say that your Anthropology of Europe course materials will be kept on-line in a Moodle archive for five years. So you should have easy access to your materials in at least the near future. And most of the course materials are also always on-line and up-to-date at the **Anthropology of Europe public WebSite** at <<u>http://www.d.umn.edu/cla/faculty/troufs/anth3635/></u>.

## It was great having you in class.

### **Thanks for choosing Anthropology of Europe.**

Good luck to you in the future. Keep in touch. When you're in the Cina neighborhood stop by and say hello.

# Have a great life. And enjoy your further explorations of the Peoples and Cultures of Europe.

**Best Regards and Wishes,** 

Tim Roufs