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Anthropology of Food Week 15

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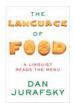
canvas

Syllabus

Calendar







LAST CALL: If you have not yet submitted a Final Exam Question, please do that *today*...

What's Happening this Week

REM: Main Due Dates

1. General Comments for the Week

Wrapping it All Up



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2. ZOOM this Week

Contact Information

Zoom Breakout Rooms can be Useful for Study Groups. You can start them on your own.

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Tuesday, 8 December 2020 @ 7:00-8:00 p.m. (CDT)

Live Chat #2: Final Exam
Tuesday, 15 December 2020, 7:00-8:00 p.m. (CDT)

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3. Video Explorations

Real People . . . Real Places . . . Videos for the Semester

The End ... and The Future ...

A "Landmark Speech" . . .

The Future of Food

HRH Prince Charles

(50 min., 2011)



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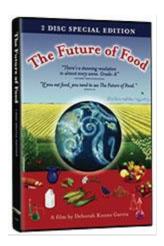
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4. This Week's Slides

Review: Class Slides for the Semester

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5. Readings for the Week

Review: Readings for the Semester Lagrangian Textbooks Lagrangian

6. Other Assignment Information

Main Due Dates Calendar

Week 15 Calendar

Review Project Presentations



Final Exam

Favorite and Least Favorite Things

Your Term Paper

REM: Course Survey

(from IT, if you haven't yet done it)

Discussion

"Status of Female Farmers Rises during Food Crisis"

For Fun Trivia

"How much water does it take to produce a chocolate bar?"

For other optional items for the week check "Calendar" or "Syllabus"

Questions? Comments?

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This week have a listen to what **HRH Prince Charles** has to say about the future of food. . . .

The Prince has mentioned that after he becomes King he will no longer be opining on matters such as this, so pay careful attention.

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And what will **the future** bring for food? It's hard to say, except, perhaps, for the views of some notable folks on *The Future of*Food, and a few other items related to class this week.

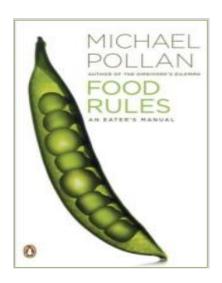
Even **Napoleon** in all his greatness could not have imagined the food world you live in. (It was only a little over two hundred years ago, in 1810, that Nicholas Appert discovered the process of preserving food by canning—for Napoleon's army.)

And for that matter, your grandparents couldn't have imagined *your* food world. Even a casual reading of Jean Anderson's *The American Century Cookbook* (NY: Potter, 1997) will reveal lots of food innovations that have happened in your lifetime (the timeline of food events in this book is one of the best compilations on twentieth-century food events in print—personal opinion).

And speaking of your grandparents, there is no end to Michael Pollan's *Food Rule* #2:

"Eat nothing your grandmother wouldn't

recognize as food."



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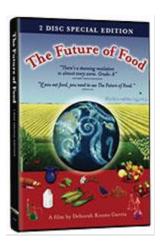
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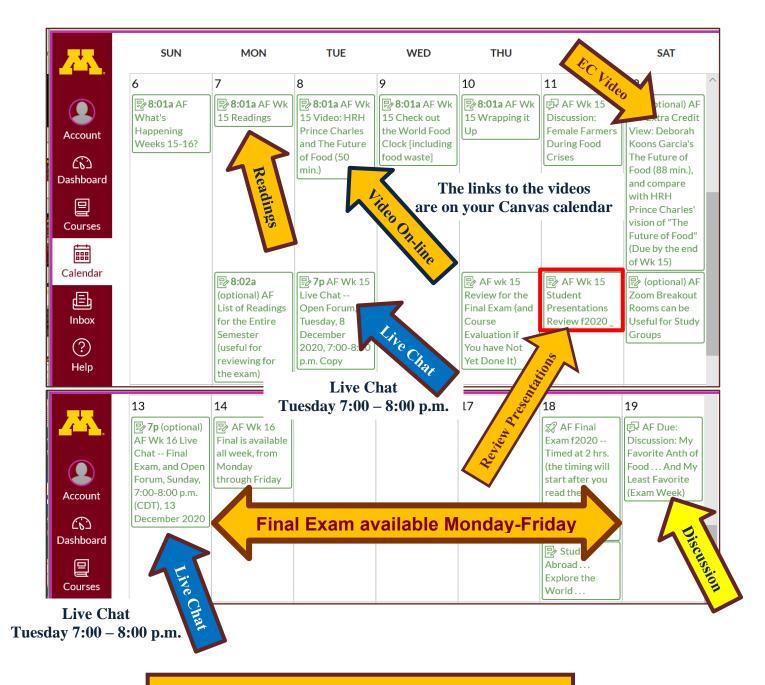
- Eating Culture, Second Edition, Gillian Crowther
 - O (Review)
- Omnivore's Dilemma, Michael Pollan
 - O (Review)
- The Language of Food, Dan Jurafsky
 - Ch. 12 "Does This Name Make Me Sound Fat? Why Ice Cream and Crackers Have Different Names"
 - o Ch. 13 "Why the Chinese Don't Have Dessert"
 - o "Epilogue"

6. Other Assignment Information

Main Due Dates Calendar

Week 15 Calendar

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The Final Exam will be available all week, from 12:01 a.m. Monday to 10:00 p.m. Friday

Review at Least Five Project Presentations . . .





Summary / Review

Reviewing for the Final Exam

One good way to review is to go back over the introductory parts of the "What's Happening?" weekly memos, and use them as study notes for the Final Exam. You can find them all listed under "Announcements" in your Canvas folder.



Review "Announcements" memos in your Canvas folder

Study Questions for Final Exam f2020

Final Exam General Information

List of **Readings** for the Semester

List of Videos for the Semester

List of **Slides** for the Semester

The end is in sight. . . .

Final Exam

One future certainty, for *next* week: the Final Exam. And a live Final Exam chat Week 16 Canvas—for last-minute questions about the exam.

The Live Chat for the Anthropology of Food <u>Final</u> <u>Exam</u> will be on SUNDAY, 13 December 2020, 7:00-8:00 p.m.

Save-the-Date. Pencil it in now.



The Final Exam will be as described, and like the Midterm exam, it is "open book." There should be no surprises. The cut-to-the-chase bottom line of the exam. . .

r2020 The Anthropology of Food <u>Final Exam</u> is scheduled for Final Exam Week, 14-18 December 2020

You may take the exam any time during Final Exam week.

Other details on the Final Exam are at

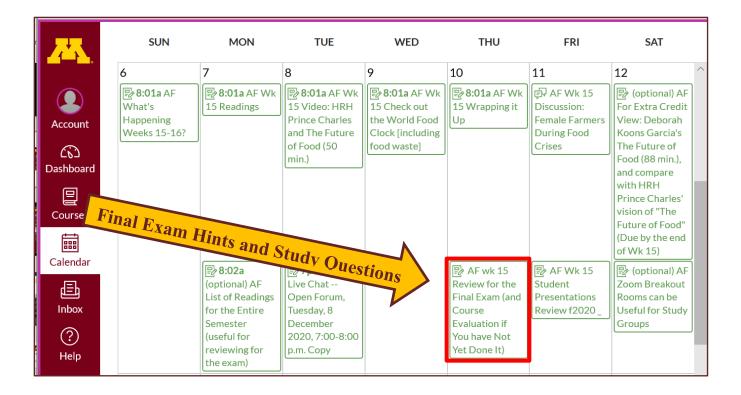
 $<\!\!\underline{http://www.d.umn.edu/cla/faculty/troufs/anthfood/afexams_final.html\#title}\!\!>\!\! .$

On the Final Exam you must answer the **four (4) questions** on the final randomly generated by canvas from the pool of questions put together from the **study questions on the annotated Week 14**.

They may include . . .

- A current affairs question
- And questions made up from the **Study Questions** in the Final Exam Question Wiki, which you can find at Week 14 and Canvas:

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- Use the Annotated Contributed Question List from Week 14 **as a Study Guide**. Be sure to note my comments and other additions.
- Each question is worth up to 100 points.

Favorite and Least Favorite Things

Reflect, Review, Re-View

Discussion: My Favorite Anthropology of Food items . . . And My Least Favorite . . .

(Due by the end of the term—Friday, 18 December 2020)



Course Survey

(from IT)



If you haven't already done so, please take time to **step back**

and reflect on the semester, and make some suggestions for next time around. We ask you to reflect on the course itself, and tell us what you think by evaluating the course and its parts. Please take time to respond. Your responses are very useful and helpful to us, and to the operations of the Department and University. We look to you for suggestions for improvement in the future, and various administrators look to and at the results for program and performance evaluations and for the future planning of course offerings. Course evaluations are one of the few places where you can have a real influence on how the University operates in the future.

The Information Technology Systems & Services (ITSS) sent you an

Invitation to Participate in an Online Course Evaluation.

Evaluations are important to me, the Department Head, and the Dean, as well as everyone in our Department.

Please fill the online Course Evaluation out carefully.

Evaluations are anonymous, and will not be seen by the instructor until final grades for this course have been recorded.

Discussion Topic

"Status of Female Farmers Rises During Food Crisis"

For Fun Food Trivia for the Week . . .

"How much water does it take to produce a chocolate bar?"



Wikipedia

Answer 🛂

Term Papers

If you haven't received **your Term Paper** back with my comments, you should be receiving it shortly. It takes quite a while to read those and make careful and extensive comments on them, so please be just a little patient.

In the next two weeks I get to read and evaluate several hundred final exams, term papers, forum postings, and final projects. As you can imagine, that takes quite a bit of time—so have patience. I'll be working at them pretty much continuously for the next two-and-a-half weeks. But, having said that, if you have any questions about any of those, please feel free to e-mail: mailto:troufs@d.umn.edu.

If you have any **questions** right now, please do not hesitate to post them on the canvas Course "Chat", or e-mail troufs@d.umn.edu.

REM:

If you haven't already done so, have a look at the World Food Clock [including food waste] -- FAO URL. (Be sure to click on the little triangle at the bottom of the page, to see all of the items that the The Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations is tracking.)

*The Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO) of the United Nations 🛂

scroll down once you start the World Food Clock to see all of the items featured



If you have any **questions or comments** right now, please do not hesitate to post them on the Canvas "Discussions", or e-mail troufs@d.umn.edu , or ZOOM https://umn.zoom.us/my/troufs , (E-mail is fastest, and most generally best as quite often URLs need be sent.)

Best Wishes,

Tim Roufs

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- other contact information>