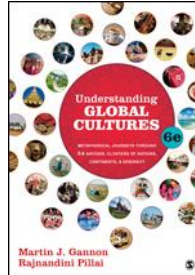



Anthropology of Europe



Direct Links
to Canvas



Available on-line in your  canvas folder at

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Welcome to Anthropology 3635

Anthropology of Europe

Textbook and Canvas Information

[click  here]



[Tim Roufs](#)  at the TimHotel Tour Eiffel, Paris

Happy Boxing Day!

a very important holiday in England and the rest of the UK

Please read this to the end. *Reading it will save you a lot of time and trouble in the long run.*

Anthropology of Europe will be a great course, and a great experience. You will see. . . .

About the Anthropology of Europe course . . .

Some people like to procrastinate. Others like to arrive early to a party, and in some ways those folks are “pre-crastinators”.

Classes officially start on Wednesday, the 12th of January 2022.

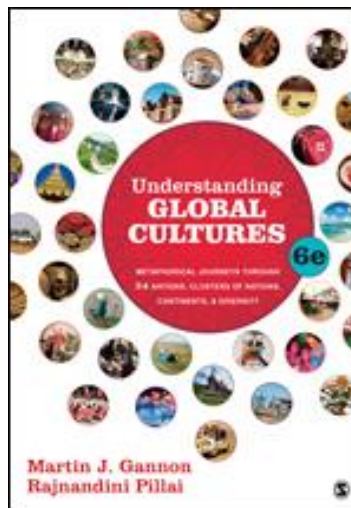
I am sending this note out early to make it more convenient for you pre-crastinators **to order the textbooks on-line** (if that is an attractive option for you), and / or to let you get started reading **some of the interesting materials that we have for the class** (if you are the kind of person who likes to do that sort of thing).

Or you might want to start watching one or other of the international-**award-winning films and videos** that we have lined up for the class.

If neither of these options applies to you, and you just feel like a little more Yuletide procrastination is in order, just relax and enjoy the great winter wonderland weather—wherever you happen to be, and enjoy the rest of your break.

Either way, with all of the goings-on about COVID-19, you might want to get a head start in at least **ordering your textbook**—a textbook that’s actually fun to read (well, at least it is after you get past the first chapter). . . .

Textbook



Detailed Information on the Textbook is Here . . .

<https://www.d.umn.edu/cla/faculty/troufs/anth3635/cetexts.html#title>

[click ↑ here]

(It’s expensive, so consider renting one, or buy a used copy; exams are open-book, so you should have a copy. We are using this text this semester in both ANTH 1080 Global Cultures and in ANTH 3635 Anthropology of Europe. We also used it in the ANTH 1080 Global Cultures course in the fall, so students from last semester may have books for sale or loan.)

Other Things that You Might be Curious about . . .

click on the items for more information . . .

links may or may not work on your cell phone

Interest in World Cultures

The  canvas Course Management System

Thanks / Questions


Interest in World Cultures—and Especially the Peoples and Cultures of Europe—has Never Been Greater

You can see that in the news and editorial pages of the weekly papers and the other news media, even apart from COVID-19 having taken hold in virtually every country of the world.



Lots of things are happening on the European front . . . virtually every day. **One of the best sources for up-to-date news on Europe is [BBC News Europe](#)**. I also like [The Telegraph](#) and, to balance things out, [The Guardian](#) (UK Edition), and [The New York Times](#). **They all regularly carry interesting and important articles on happenings in Europe. And we'll be looking at some of those sources in class.**

We'll have a look at Cultures of Europe, as well as at the folks in Europe looking at us.

The canvas Course Management System

I am looking forward to “meeting you” in class as we begin our anthropological journey into Europe. In the meantime, at your leisure, you might want to peruse the information in **your  canvas folder** at

<http://canvas.umn.edu/>.


If you are new to the  canvas course management system don't worry too much about that.  canvas has a very good orientation tutorials.

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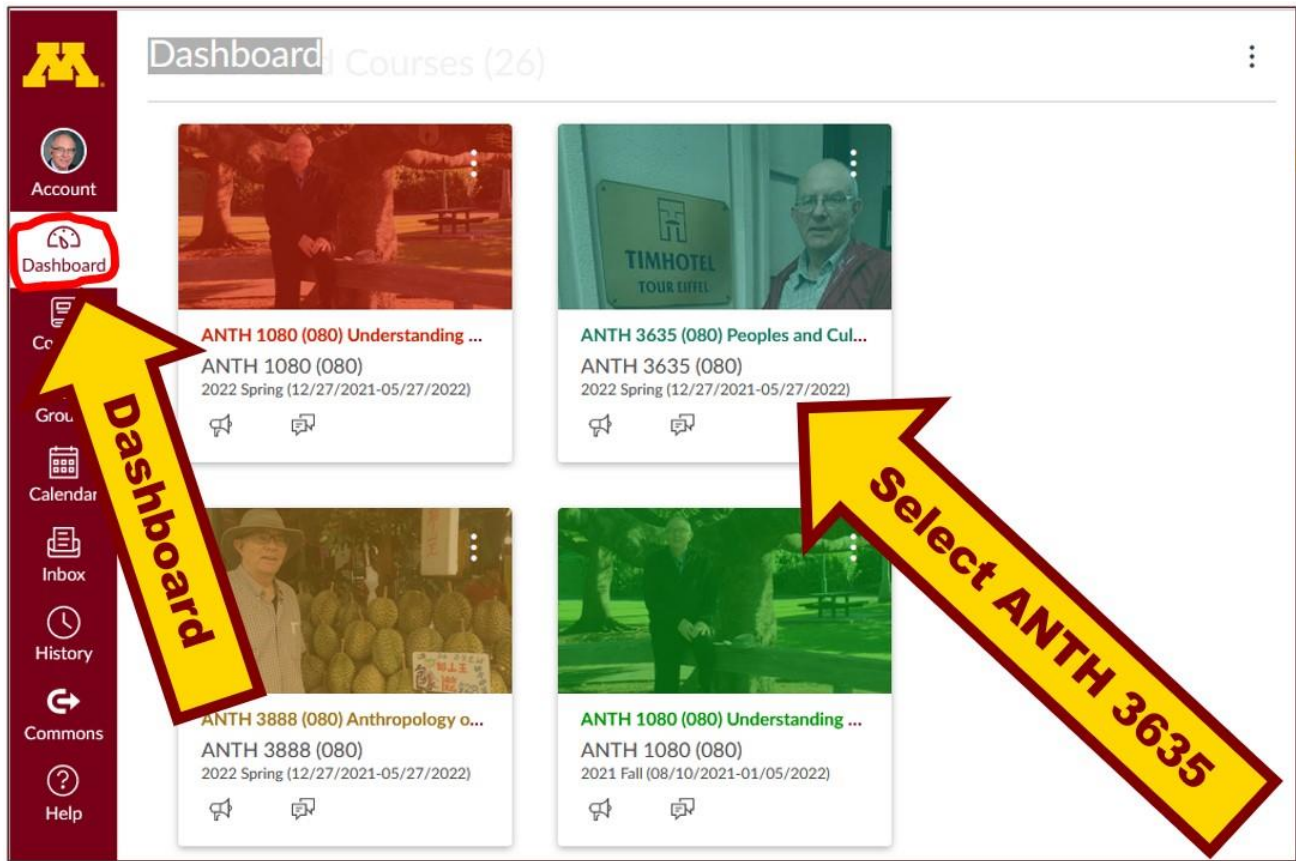
The Canvas Student Guide / Overview / Tour can be very helpful.

[Student Guide](#) -- written guides with step-by-step instructions for Canvas tools

[Canvas Student Overview](#) (6:47 min)

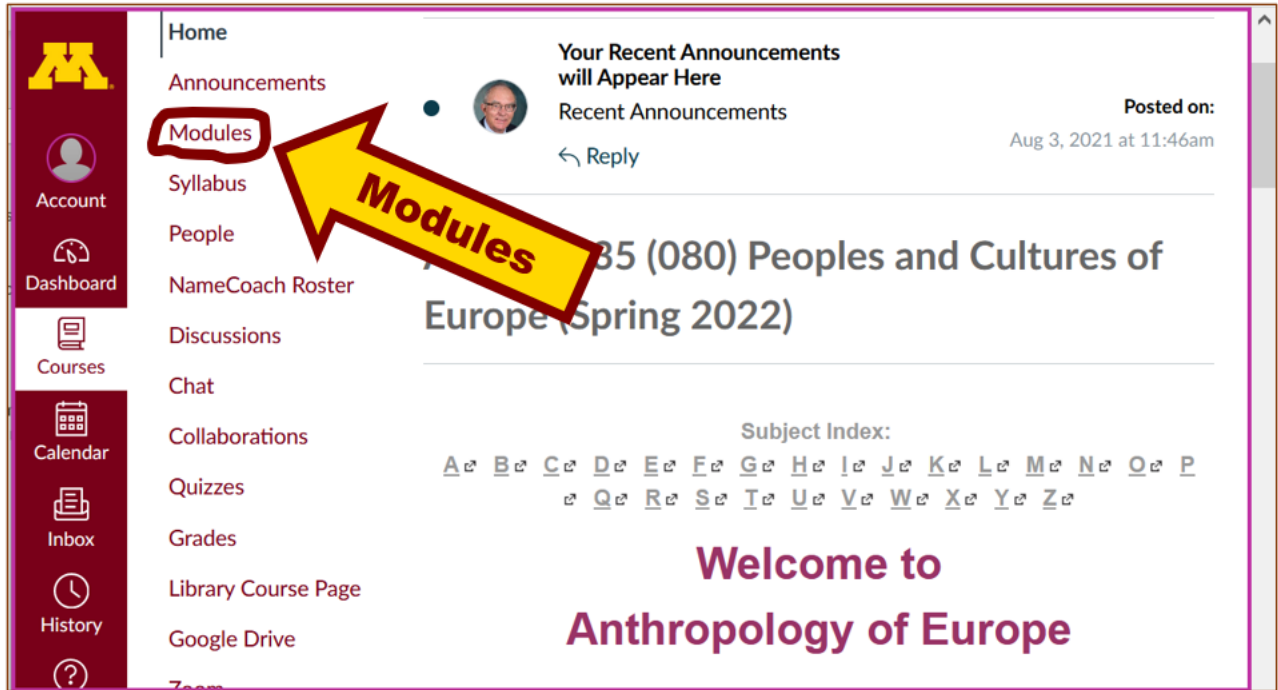
Open your  canvas folder at <https://canvas.umn.edu/> and select ANTH 3635 Anthropology of Europe (fka Peoples and Cultures of Europe) from the **Dashboard** . . .

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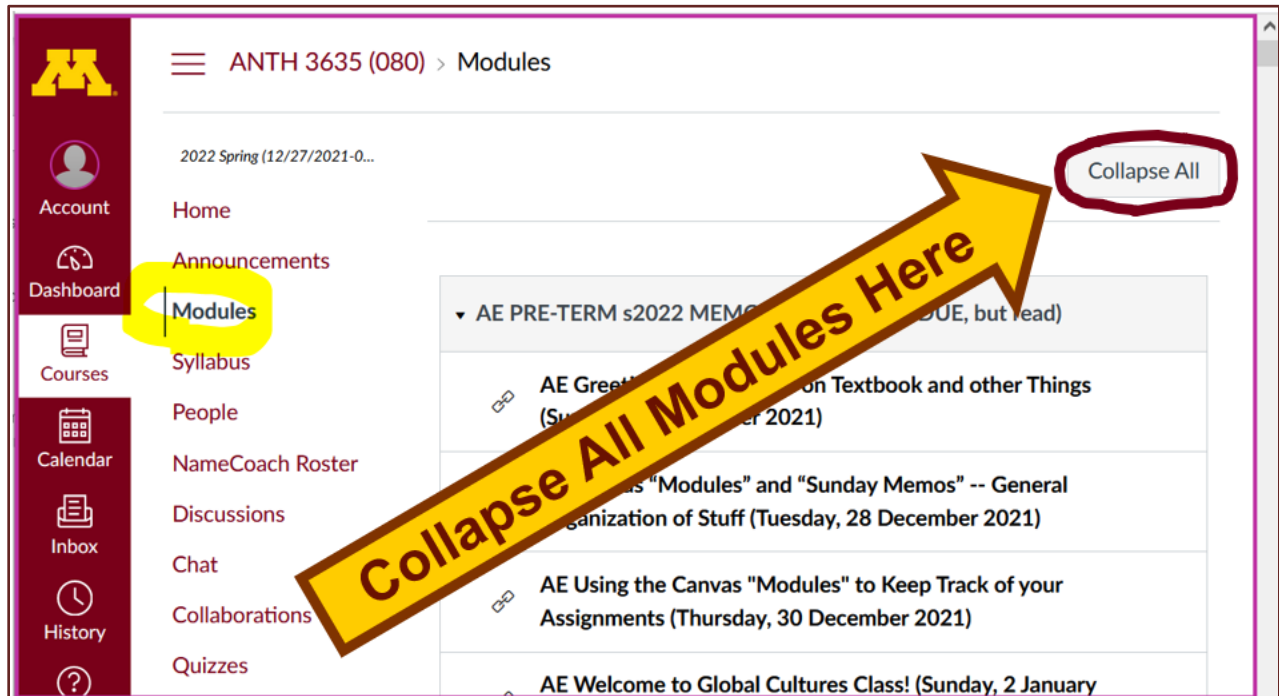
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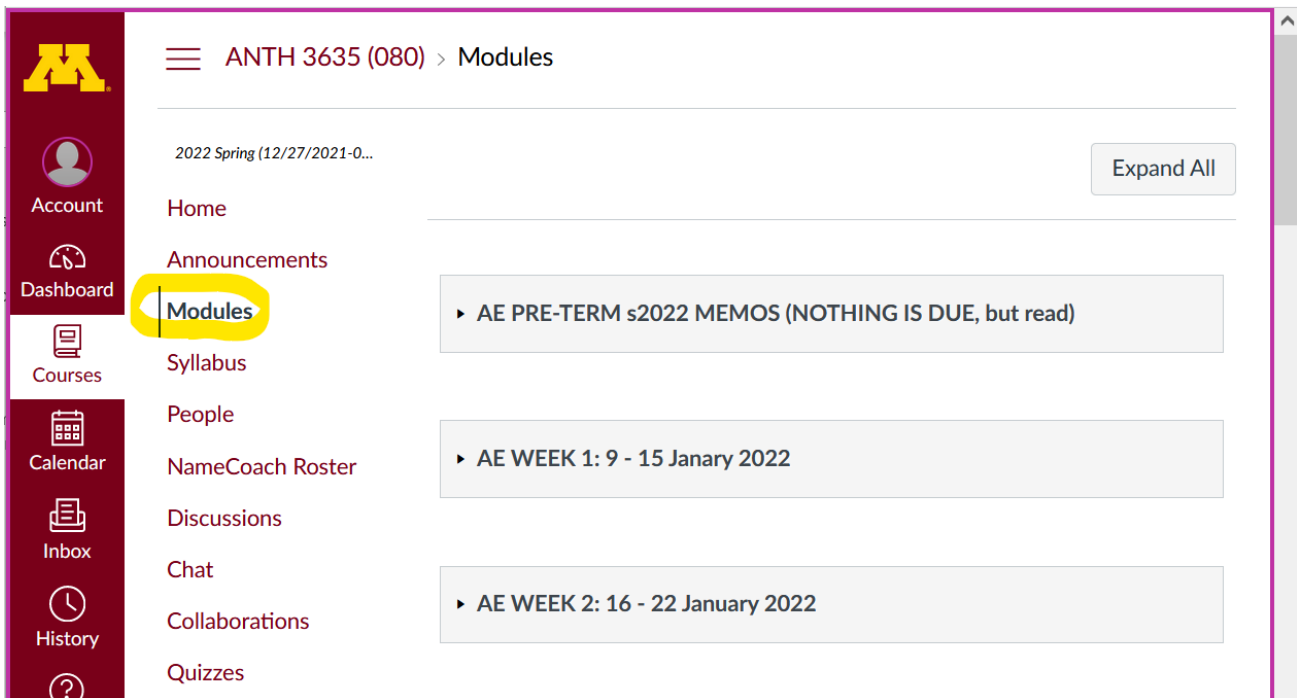
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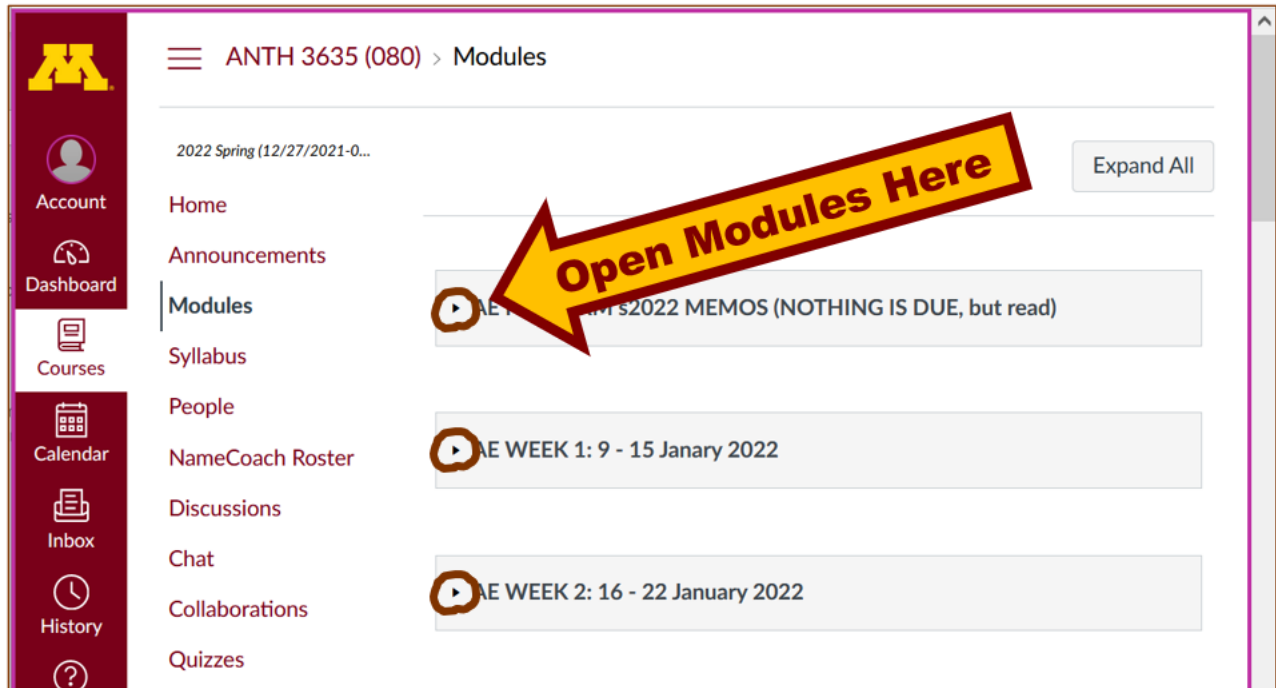
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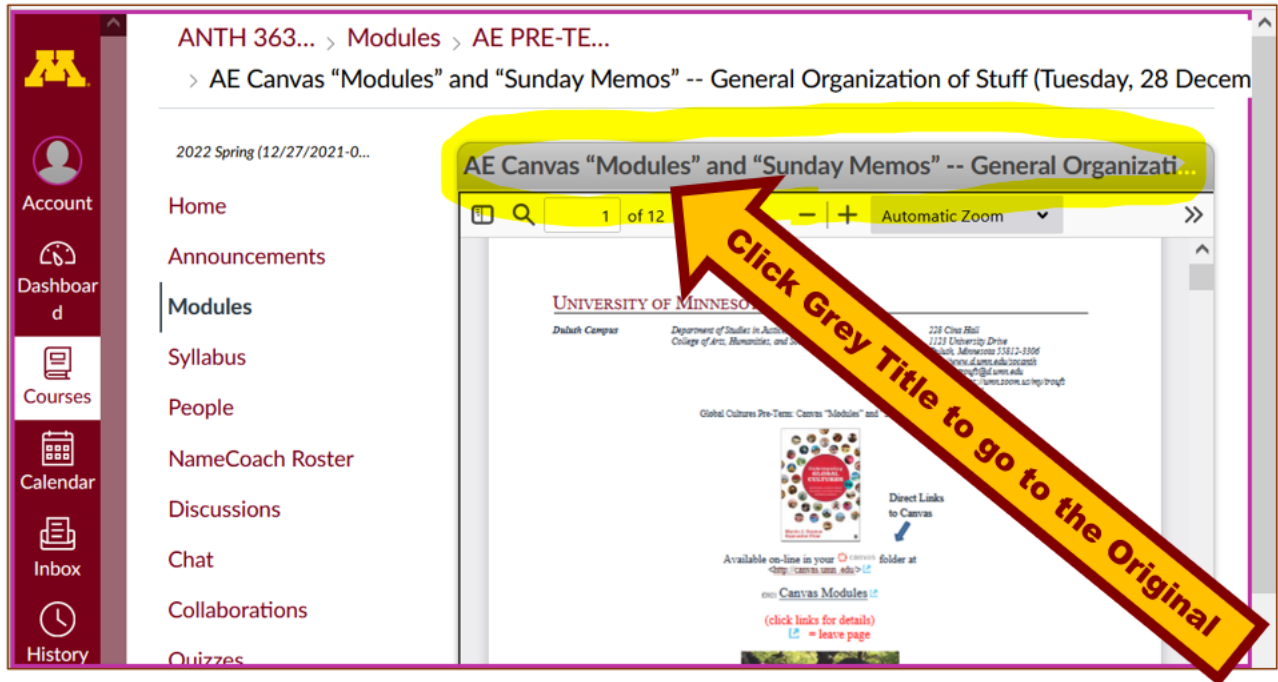
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One more Suggestion: If you prefer to look at an item *outside of Canvas*, click on the item name *in the grey bar on the top of any of the frames* . . .

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So once again, welcome to ANTH 3635 Anthropology of Europe. This will be a great course, and a great experience. You will see. . . .

Thanks for signing on for the Anthropology of Europe.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to e-mail troufs@d.umn.edu.



Best Warm Wishes for the rest of the Christmas and Yuletide break,

Tim Roufs
Boxing Day
26 December 2021

<http://www.d.umn.edu/~troufs/> 

<https://umn.zoom.us/my/troufs> 

[other contact information](#) 

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