HIST 391: A GLOBAL HISTORY OF PRISON

Fall 2019
Mondays 11:30am-2:30pm
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◆ Examine the global history of prison
◆ Origins in the 18th and 19th centuries
◆ Contemporary debates about mass incarceration and the use of punishment as social control
◆ How colonial powers presented prisons as symbols of “civilization” and “modernity”
◆ Examine case studies from different geographical areas

United States Penitentiary, Alcatraz Island