ASL 325X - LEARNING OUTCOMES

Course description:
Explores perspectives on and treatment of Deaf people as individuals and groups prior to World War II.

Taught in American Sign Language.

Course outcomes:
By course completion students will be able to:
• Outline the forces and events that lead to the formation of Deaf communities and language standardization in Europe.
• Describe the role of cultural and socio-political forces on the progress and impediment of deaf people.
• Demonstrate an understanding of the role of national politics and religious affiliations and ideologies in the formation and maintenance of schools for Deaf people in Europe and the United States.
• Trace the linguistic heritage of American Sign Language to its European roots.