

**AFST 4950/6950: Africa Seminar (one hour credit, S/U graded)**  
**Fall 2009**  
**12:15 – 1:15 W**  
**Adinkra Hall, Memorial Hall**

The Africa Seminar is designed to introduce students to a wide range of topics related to Africa, and Africans in the Diaspora. The class will consist of a combination of APERO lectures and class meetings to discuss those lectures. The class is open to students in any major.

Grading (S/U) will be based on:

- 1) Notes taken during each APERO lecture
  - Undergraduates turn in notes at end of each lecture
  - Graduate students turn in a one page summary one week after each lecture
- 2) Participation in APERO lectures and follow-up discussions

Students may substitute one Africanist lecture from another venue if they must be absent from one of the regular class meetings. It is up to the student to obtain permission for the substitute lecture to count toward satisfying this alternative. No other absences will be allowed for a passing (S) grade.

The first classes will provide brief overviews of issues related to Africa: Aug. 19, 26, Sept. 2, 9.

The dates for the APERO lectures are: Sept. 16, Sept. 30, Oct. 7, Oct. 14 Oct. 21, Nov. 4, Nov. 18.

Discussions based on APERO lectures will be held on: Sept. 23, Oct. 28, Nov. 11, Dec. 2.