Spring Semester 2013



French 3801 (taught in English): French-American Culture Wars: From Jazz to Freedom Fries

What do the French *really* think about the United States and Americans? What has been the impact of various American "exports" (such as jazz, GIs, Hollywood, fast food, and the War on Terror) on French society and on how the French view Americans? In what ways has French culture influenced American culture, and why are many Americans so fascinated by France? In this course we'll examine these and other questions about the complex "love-hate" relationship between these two nations.

Prof. Jennifer Willging TTh 12:45-2:05, 3 Credit Hours

This can course count toward the French major or fulfill a "Cultures and Ideas"

GE requirement.