

JASON SINGH



Jason Singh absolutely loves to teach. He adores the social sciences, in fact he is so committed to the social scientific endeavor, that he teaches intro, medial and upper division classes in both sociology and anthropology while also contributing to the UVU climate by bringing his eclectic skills in teaching to his Ethics and Values classes as well.

In the sincere desire to convey scholarship to every one of Jason's classes, his teaching style as reported by many students as 'unorthodox' is often inductive and is typically based upon heavy reading and discussions as opposed to more traditional forms of 'lecture'. The style by which Jason fosters a 'committed classroom culture' is attributed by him as a product of his eclectic education which encompasses graduate work in economics, sociology, anthropology and theology. Jason believes that in order for his students to truly grasp difficult concepts, his students must see the practicality of such in their own lives.

Excited for the opportunity to add Soc 3400 (sociology of religion) to his repertoire, Jason reports.... "The Saturday and evening students are very often those students who actually want to be in class, the time commitment is generally increased which in turn yields a more dedicated and inquisitive mind; during the increased time slot indicative of weekend classes I find that we (as a class) are able to examine difficult and interesting topics which otherwise would go undetected based upon the time limitations of traditional classes"

Jason has been teaching at UVU for nearly five years and would love to see you in either his Sociology of Religion (Soc 3400), or Social/Cultural Anthropology (ANTH 1010) classes.

Sociology of Religion (SOC 3400) examines religion from a sociological perspective and analyzes religion as a social phenomenon.

You will discuss religious organizations, religion and politics, and religion and social class.

SOC 3400 WL1 – Sociology of Religion

Class Starts: May 2

Class Ends: June 27

CRN #: 12373

Credits: 3 credits

Days: Fridays

Time: 4:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.

Location: Liberal Arts Building - Room 104

Jason will also be teaching Social/Cultural Anthropology (ANTH 1010) on Saturday mornings for Summer '08. The course will be held in the Liberal Arts Building in Room 104 from 8:00 a.m. to 12:20 p.m.

The Office of Extended Studies strives to reach out to the many non-traditional students coping with work and family and will be expanding its Weekend College program to include 6 additional Friday evening courses for Summer Semester 2008.

ART 1010 WL6 – Introduction to Visual Arts

Fridays: 5:30 p.m. to 9:50 p.m.

Taught by: Jerry Day

HIST 4750 WL6 – Civil War / Reconstruction

Fridays: 5:30 p.m. to 9:50 p.m.

Taught by: Albert Winkler

NUTR 1020 WL2 – Foundations of Human Nutrition

Fridays: 4:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

Taught by: Steve Fabis

POLS 3500 WL6 – International Relations/Middle East

Fridays: 5:00 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.

Taught by: Honorable Baktybek Abdrisaev

PSY 1010 WL6 – General Psychology

Fridays: 5:00 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.

Taught by: Phyllis Bushman

PSY 1100 WL6 – Human Development Life Span

Fridays: 5:00 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.

Taught by: Jim Bushman

Highlights of the instructors teaching these other Friday evening courses can be found on the Office of Extended Studies website at:

<http://www.uvsc.edu/extend/highlights>