

Course title: Women of the Russian Revolution - A talk for International Women's Day		Course ID: C2344453
Start date: 08/03/2021	End date: 08/03/2021	Day(s)/time(s): Mon 10:00
Number of sessions: 1	Hours per session: 2	Tutor David Price
Additional hours:	Online Learning Hours: 0	
Specific funder/partner requirements:		
Awarding body (if any):		Level: Level 2
Title of qualification to be gained:		
Fee: £10.50 or Free if you are in receipt of an income related benefit (only SFA funded) Accreditation Fee (if applicable):		
Venue: Online Learning, Online, ZZ99 9ZZ		
<p>Theme(s): The WEA has four themes it uses for planning its provision. Employability – helping students to get a job or to make progress in their employment Health and Wellbeing – making a positive contribution to their own or others health and wellbeing Community Engagement – encouraging students to be positively involved in their communities Culture – learning about diverse cultures, identities and environments</p> <p>The Theme(s) used in planning your course is/ are:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Culture Education 		

Course Aim

To mark International Women's Day, a look at how a women's demonstration in Petrograd on 8 March 1917 changed the course of world history. We'll also look at women revolutionaries in Russia from the mid-19th century onwards.

Course Description

We often hear about the men involved in the October Revolution in Russia 1917, particularly Lenin and Trotsky, but there were a number of Bolshevik women who took part and who continued to work in government after the party had taken power. But the Bolshevik revolution might not have happened at all if it hadn't been for a protest march by women in Petrograd early in 1917 in response to food shortages caused by the war with Germany and Austria. We'll also look at some revolutionary women from the 19th century, and why they were disappointed by how the 1917 revolution turned out.

Do I need any particular skills or experience?

- You will need your own personal email address so that you're able to login to the WEA's digital learning platform: WEA Canvas. You will need to be able to understand how to follow URL links to pages on the internet. If you want to understand more about Canvas please visit:
<http://bit.ly/WEAonline>

- You will need to be able to follow links to join our WEA live video learning platform: WEA Zoom. If you'd like to understand more about our video learning platform, Zoom please visit: <http://bit.ly/WEAonline> and <http://bit.ly/ZoomSpec>
- This is a live lecture delivered by a subject specialist in an online webinar video learning platform. You will need to be able to access the internet on a device with speakers or earphones. There will be opportunities to take part in discussions and chats. If you'd like to know how to use Zoom please visit: <http://bit.ly/ZoomSpec>

What will I achieve?

By the end of the course I will be able to:

1. Describe the two main revolutionary strands in Russia before the Revolution of 1917
2. Explain why women in 19th century Russia had to go abroad to study in higher education
3. Outline the events of the February revolution of 1917

4. Summarise the advances in women's rights under the first Bolshevik government

What teaching methods will be used and will there be work outside of the class?

- The WEA's digital learning platform, Canvas, will be used to provide resources to support the lesson. It will include a Zoom session, so you will need access to a computer and an internet connection with sound. Preferably a working webcam too.

What kind of feedback can I expect from the tutor?

- You will have opportunities to discuss your progress with your tutor

What else do I need to know? Is there anything I need to bring?

- You will need an internet connection, speakers, a microphone and ideally a webcam so that you can use the video learning platform, Zoom. If you'd like to understand more about Zoom please visit: <http://bit.ly/ZoomSpec>

Pre-course work, reading and information sources

- No pre reading or pre course work is required

Possible next steps after this course (including career opportunities if appropriate)

- Progress to another WEA course
- Progress to a course with another provider

Learning with the WEA

WEA courses increasingly make use of the rich variety of educational tools and material available on the internet and from digital devices. The WEA's digital learning platform, Canvas will play an increasing role in all WEA courses to provide resources or support, or to conduct lessons, enable assessment, provide learner feedback and for other activities for individuals away from the course. It is helpful, although not essential if you have access to a computer or smartphone to support your course.

You can read about your entitlements and responsibilities as a WEA student in our leaflet, Student Handbook here <http://www.wea.org.uk/learn-wea/student-support> This includes information on fees, learning support and financial support. As part of your course you accept our Learning Agreement and Privacy Notice. Full details of the Learning Agreement and privacy notice can be found on our website at <http://www.wea.org.uk/policies>. This applies to all courses you take in this academic year.

You can enrol online for most courses <http://www.wea.org.uk/learn-wea/course-search> or contact: WEA Support Services, Suite 10B Joseph's Well, Hanover Way, Leeds, West Yorkshire, LS3 1AB Tel: 0300 303 3464 Email: courseenquiries@wea.org.uk



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