Note: UN 1003 is an online course. During the semester students will view eight foreign films (see schedule below). There will be three quizzes and two formal essays. The films can be purchased on DVD from Amazon.com or the DVD for each film can be checked out (3-hour reserve) from the reference desk at Van Pelt and Opie Library.

Please see the "Assignments" tab for specific assignments, topics and information about grading standards.

University Policies:
Student work products (exams, essays, projects, etc.) may be used for purposes of university, program, or course assessment. All work used for assessment purposes will not include any individual student identification.

If you have a disability that could affect your performance in this class or that requires an accommodation under the Americans with Disabilities Act, please contact me as soon as possible so that we can make appropriate arrangements. The Affirmative Action Office has asked that you be made aware of the following:

Michigan Tech complies with all federal and state laws and regulations regarding discrimination, including the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990. If you have a disability and need a reasonable accommodation for equal access to education or services at Michigan Tech, please call the Dean of Students Office, at 487-2212. For other concerns about discrimination, you may contact your advisor, department head or the Affirmative Action Office, at 487-3310. Affirmative Action: http://www.admin.mtu.edu/aaq/

Disability Services: http://www.admin.mtu.edu/urel/studenthandbook/student_services.html#disability


Schedule of Assignments:
(Note: it is okay to view films and submit the formal essays in advance of scheduled due dates. DVDs of the films can be purchased for viewing at home, or DVD can be checked out from the front desk at Van Pelt and Opie Library for viewing on your laptop)
Week of July 1-5:
View Im Juli (In July)
Wikipedia entry on Im Juli: http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Im_Juli
Wikipedia entry on Turkish Immigrants in
Germany: http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Turks_in_Germany

View The Motorcycle Diaries
Wikipedia entry on The Motorcycle

Week of July 8-12:
View Nowhere in Africa

Due by 11:59 pm on July 14: First Multiple Choice Quiz

Week of July 15-19:
View Chocolat

View Diva
Due by 11:59 pm on July 21: First 1,000-word essay

Week of July 22-26:
View La Lengua de Mariposas
Wikipedia entry on La Lengua de

Due by 11:59 pm on July 28: Second Multiple Choice Quiz

Week of July 29- August 2:
View The Soong Sisters

View To Live
Wikipedia entry on To Live: http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/To_Live_(film)

Due by 11:59 pm on August 11: Third Multiple Choice Quiz

Due by 11:59 pm on August 11: Second 1,000-word essay