

**Comparative Literature 3 (COM3)
Summer Session II 2019**

MODERNIZATION AND ITS DISCONTENTS

“I didn’t kill a human being, but a principle!”



**COM3 SSII: Modernization and Its Discontents (CRN: 74133)
Open for registration: April 29!!**

This course surveys a selection of Western literature and thoughts from the nineteenth to the first half of the twentieth century, including works by Dostoevsky, Karl Marx, Friedrich Nietzsche, Joseph Conrad, Virginia Woolf, and Sigmund Freud. We will address topics of central importance in modern Western culture, such as: crises of religion and morality, the unconscious and the irrational, class conflicts, gender roles, imperialism, colonialism, etc. This course fulfills the university composition and GE course requirements. For more info contact Instructor Dorothee X. Hou at xlhou@ucdavis.edu