This course is designed to introduce you to historical research, analysis, interpretation, and writing. This is a required course for history majors and intended primarily for newly declared majors (sophomores and second-semester first-year students) and recent transfer students (juniors).

During the Spring 2018 semester, the focus of the “History Workshop” will be on primary sources that document the United States’ attempts to regulate and restrict immigration from 1882, when the first Chinese Exclusion Act was passed, to 1965, when nationality and racial quotas were eliminated from federal law. Over the course of the semester, students will use these sources and insights gleaned from secondary readings to curate an online exhibition that examines major themes in US immigration history.

**Possible Readings:**


