

Paper XIV: Cultural History

The major social, political and cultural events from the medieval to contemporary period.

- Muslim contributions to Spanish culture. (711-1492)
- The Catholic kings, discovery of America and the Spanish empire
- XIXth century Spanish American Independence movements
- XXth century: Spanish Civil War, Latin American dictatorships.
- Contemporary Spain and Latin America

Recommended Readings

- Manuel Fernandez Alvarez, *España, biografía de unanación* Madrid: EspasaLibros SLU, 2011.
- Manuel Fernandez Alvarez, *Pequeña historia de España* Madrid: EspasaLibros SLU, 2008.
- Guillermo Hernández, *De la edad media a la actualidad*, Madrid: SGEL 2008

Additional Reading materials will be provided by the Department