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Term Information

Effective Term Spring 2018 **Previous Value** Summer 2012

Course Change Information

What change is being proposed? (If more than one, what changes are being proposed?)

We want to change the course title and are requesting GE status in the Social Science (Organizations and Polities) category.

What is the rationale for the proposed change(s)?

The old course title uses antiquated terms. This course meets the rationale and learning outcomes for the GE category or categories we are requesting, as outlined in the Curriculum and Assessment handbook.

What are the programmatic implications of the proposed change(s)?

(e.g. program requirements to be added or removed, changes to be made in available resources, effect on other programs that use the course)?

Is approval of the requrest contingent upon the approval of other course or curricular program request? No

Is this a request to withdraw the course? No

General Information

Course Bulletin Listing/Subject Area Anthropology

Fiscal Unit/Academic Org Anthropology - D0711 College/Academic Group Arts and Sciences Level/Career Undergraduate

Course Number/Catalog 3419

Course Title Latin American Cultures and Migration in Global Perspective

Regional Survey of Latin American Cultures and Migration in Global Perspectives **Previous Value**

Transcript Abbreviation Latin Am Migration

Course Description An intensive ethnographic investigation of Latin American and Caribbean migration (Mexico, Ecuador,

The Dominican Republic) including the history of migration; contemporary movement, and

transnationalism.

Semester Credit Hours/Units Fixed: 3

Offering Information

Length Of Course 14 Week, 12 Week, 8 Week, 7 Week, 6 Week

Flexibly Scheduled Course Does any section of this course have a distance No

education component?

Letter Grade **Grading Basis**

Repeatable No **Course Components** Lecture **Grade Roster Component** Lecture Credit Available by Exam Nο **Admission Condition Course** No Off Campus Never **Campus of Offering** Columbus

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Prerequisites and Exclusions

Prerequisites/Corequisites

Exclusions Not open to students with credit for 421.06.

Yes **Electronically Enforced** Previous Value No

Cross-Listings

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Subject/CIP Code

Subject/CIP Code 45.0204

Subsidy Level Baccalaureate Course

Intended Rank Freshman, Sophomore, Junior, Senior

Requirement/Elective Designation

General Education course:

Organizations and Polities

The course is an elective (for this or other units) or is a service course for other units

Previous Value

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Course Details

Course goals or learning objectives/outcomes

- This courses will review the history of Latin American migration.
- This course will investigate contemporary movement of peoples and their cultures.
- This course will discuss the costs and benefits of "transnational" movement.

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Content Topic List

- Ethnographic
- Caribbean
- Migration
- Gender
- Remittances
- Legality
- History
- Contemporary movement
- United States
- Mexico
- Brazil

Sought Concurrence

No

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Attachments

• Dr Larsen letter 10 07 14.doc: Chair's Letter

(Cover Letter. Owner: Freeman, Elizabeth A.)

• 3149 GE Rational.docx: GE Rational

(Other Supporting Documentation. Owner: Freeman, Elizabeth A.)

Anthropology 3419 GE Assessment Plan v2.docx: Assessment Plan

(GEC Course Assessment Plan. Owner: Freeman, Elizabeth A.)

ANTHROP 3419_GE Application.docx: Syllabus

(Syllabus. Owner: Freeman, Elizabeth A.)

Comments

- See 11-8-17 e-mail to S McGraw and E Freeman. (by Vankeerbergen, Bernadette Chantal on 11/08/2017 04:29 PM)
- The correct GE Assessment Plan has be uploaded. (by Freeman, Elizabeth A. on 11/13/2014 02:08 PM)

Workflow Information

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7 October 2014

Dear Curriculum Panel Members,

I am pleased to submit this curricular bundle for your review. This bundle includes a number of new courses, courses for General Education consideration, and several course changes. These submissions reflect the evolving profile of our teaching mission and what we have to offer our students and the institution generally. The Department of Anthropology has taken on one of its biggest curriculum revisions, involving both undergraduate majors (Anthropological Sciences, Anthropology) and graduate program, in its recent history. I am excited to endorse all of these submissions, and look forward to implementing the revisions to the Anthropology curriculum.

Best regards,

Clark Spencer Larsen

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Distinguished Professor of Social and Behavioral Sciences and Chair



ANTHROP 3419: Regional Survey of Latin American Cultures and Migration in Global Perspective

Jeffrey H. Cohen, cohen.319@osu.edu, 247-7872

This is a comprehensive investigation of Latin American and Caribbean migration. Our goals include 1) a review of Latin American migration; 2) the investigation of contemporary movement; 3) the discussion of the costs and benefits of "transnational"

movement; and 4) the outcomes of movement for Latino migrants settled in the US. From this course you will learn how anthropologists study migration and the cultural and social meaning of transnational movement.

Contact hours: 45 hours (3 hours per week, 15 weeks).

GE Goals: This class fulfills requirements for the GE in Social Sciences, Organization and Polities. Through this class,

- Students understand the theories and methods of social scientific inquiry as they apply to the study of organizations and polities.
- Students understand the formation and durability of political, economic, and social organizing principles and their differences and similarities across contexts.
- Students comprehend and assess the nature and values of organizations and polities and their importance in social problem solving and policy making.

Evaluation of your responses to questions on a pre – and post course exam will allow us to evaluate your knowledge of these outcomes.

Readings:

Jeffrey H. Cohen, 2005. *The Culture of Migration in Southern Mexico*. Austin: University of Texas Press.

Ruth Gomberg-Muñoz, 2010. *Labor and Legality: An Ethnography of a Mexican Immigrant Network*. Oxford: Oxford University Press.

Additional Readings are available on line at our new canvas site and noted on the syllabus by the author's last name.

Classroom mechanics: Please remember that instructors do not give grades, grades are earned. Your attendance is expected every class period. On assignment due dates we will break into groups for discussion. You can earn a total of 5 points toward your final grade through your participation. Understand that even with a clear and valid excuse, it can be hard to make up for lost time. If you will be attending a conference, if you are gravely ill it is your duty to let me know in a timely fashion and together we will try to find a solution.

Assignments and exams: This class includes 5 assignments (described at the end of the syllabus), a midterm and a final.

I have organized this class with time for discussion. You should have the readings completed before class time. Your failure to prepare, to miss class and to participate can have a detrimental effect on your final grade.

| Assignments 1-5 | 50 points |
|-----------------|------------|
| Discussion | 5 points |
| Midterm | 20 points |
| Final exam | 20 points |
| Map | 5 points |
| Total | 100 points |

Final grades are based on a standardized distribution, using the total number of points for the course: A 92; A- 90-91; B+ 88-89; B 82-87; B- 80-81; C+ 78-79; C 72-77; C- 70-71; D+ 68-69; D 60-67; E< 60.

Academic honesty is fundamental to the activities and principles of a university. All members of the academic community must be confident that each person's work has been responsibly and honorably acquired, developed, and presented. Any effort to gain an advantage not given to all students is dishonest whether or not the effort is successful. The academic community regards academic dishonesty as an extremely serious matter, with serious consequences that range from probation to expulsion. When in doubt about plagiarism, paraphrasing, quoting, or collaboration, consult with the course instructor. See https://trustees.osu.edu/assets/files/RuleBook/CodeStudentConduct.pdf

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In case of a dispute concerning a grade, the student must first meet with the instructor to reconcile the matter. This should be done within a week after the grade has been received. At that time, the student should be able to submit materials used in creating the paper, drafts, and other supporting material. If reconciliation proves impossible, the matter goes to the Office of Student Advocacy.

Triggers: While I do my best to create a welcoming classroom, there may be occasions when class materials discussions and so forth are triggers for you. Please let me know if this is the case so that together we can find a solution and you can help me to improve the quality of the course and my awareness of the issues.

| | Tentative schedule | | | | | | | |
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| | Dates: | Topic | Readings | Assignments | | | | |
| 1 | | Intro to class | | | | | | |
| 2 | | Anthropology and migration | | Geography quiz | | | | |
| 3 | | Basic terms and history | Pizzaro and Villa González Alvarado and Sánchez | Assignment #1: IOM summary | | | | |
| 4 | | Internal migration versus international migration | Recommended: IOM Glossary | | | | | |
| 5 | | Migration in Oaxaca | Start reading Cohen | | | | | |
| 6 | | Migration in Mexico | Continue reading Cohen | Assignment #2: IOM project summary | | | | |
| 7 | | Is indigenous migration unique? | Finish reading Cohen | | | | | |
| 8 | | | | MIDTERM | | | | |
| 9 | | Refugees | Fagen | | | | | |
| 10 | | Gender and migration | Boehm | Assignment #3: World Bank country review | | | | |
| 11 | | Latinos in the US | Start reading Gomberg-Muñoz | J | | | | |
| 12 | | The meaning of transnational migration Talking with Gomberg-Muñoz | Finish reading Gomberg-Muñoz | Assignment #4: Pew Research Center | | | | |
| 13 | | TBA | American anthropological association meetings | | | | | |
| 14 | | Movers celebrate | | | | | | |
| 15 | | Central American migration | Taylor | | | | | |
| 16 | | Completing our journey | | Assignment #5: Migration Policy Institute | | | | |

Assignment details:

- 1. IOM (International Organization for Migration). Go to the IOM web site and click on the activities button. You should find yourself here:
 - http://www.iom.int/jahia/Jahia/activities/americas/lang/en
 - a. Select a region, and then a country in Latin America or the Caribbean.
 - b. Using the facts and figures box, as well as the "overview" tell me about the country and note the net migration rate as well as when it was determined.

- c. Use our discussion of migration models in the social sciences and suggest how at least one model can be applied to your example and respond to the following queries.
 - i. How does the model address individual and group migration outcomes?
 - ii. How does the model address social organization?
 - iii. Assess the value of the model as a policymaking tool.
- 2. Return to the IOM (http://www.iom.int/jahia/Jahia/activities/americas/lang/en) site and go to the region section.
 - a. Summarize one of the projects that the IOM notes. You access projects by clicking on the "overview" section of their web page.
 - b. Review your project and answer the following questions:
 - i. Is the program applicable to other regions, cultures?
 - ii. What are some of the trade-offs (advantages, costs) reflected in the program's implementation?
 - iii. What are some of the physical, social and economic costs or benefits of the program?
- 3. World Bank review: Go to the World Bank (http://data.worldbank.org/country) and find information about a country in Latin America.
 - a. Reference your report and describe the factors you believe may influence migration outcomes.
 - b. Is this model defined around outcomes for a country, community or for the individual migrant?
 - i. Why does the perspective on country, community or individual matter?
 - c. How does the example link to ideas of security and insecurity in migration decision making?
- 4. Pew Center: Go to Pew Hispanic Research Center (http://www.pewhispanic.org/). Select a report that you find interesting on an aspect of Hispanic immigration to the US.
 - a. Summarize the report's recommendation and/or findings.
 - b. Answer the following:
 - i. How does the report address individual and group values and how they are applied to problem solving and policymaking?
 - ii. How are group values framed as policy by the Pew Center and the Hispanic community in the US?
 - iii. Access the sustainability of the Pew's report. What is the value of the findings for the future of the Hispanic community in the US?
- 5. Migration Policy Institute: go to MPI (http://www.migration.org/) once there, go to the *Migration Information Source*, at (http://www.migrationinformation.org/index.cfm).

- a. Find an article on a country in Latin America or the Caribbean that you are interested in learning about that is not part of our Carmen reading list and is not by your instructor) and summarize it in about two pages.
- b. Your summary should begin with a complete reference to the article you have selected and should follow this template:
 - i. Author (last name, first name), Year of Publication. Title. Web address.
- c. In your summary note
 - i. the theme of the article
 - ii. the country in question.
 - iii. Review the findings and recommendations of the author(s).
 - iv. How does the author approach migration (what model does he or she use)
 - v. Be critical and think about whether the author is correct. Might there be an approach that is different that you would recommend?
 - vi. What would you add if you were writing a follow-up to your piece?

Assessment Plan:

Method of Assessment of GE Expected Learning Outcomes: ANTHROP 3419 will use a pre and post course examination to assess GE ELOs. The tool consists of an examination that will be administered on the first and last (or close to the last) day of class. The examination will be taken anonymously and consist of questions (see below) designed to address each of the learning outcomes. Results of these tests will be tracked annually to provide longitudinal data on class performance. Results (paper and electronic) of the assessments will be archived in the Department of Anthropology.

Pre and post course testing of expected learning outcomes will use a threshold of 80% of students achieving a Fair score or higher as the standard for the class having met the ELO by the end of the course. If an insufficient number of students achieve this standard, we will revise the course to focus more on the areas students find problematic.

| GE Expected Learning Outcome | Methods of Assessment | Potential Responses that will meet GE ELO | Level of Student Achievement expected for the GE ELO. | Process to review data and potentially change the course to improve student learning of GE ELOs? |
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| ELO 1 Students understand the theories and methods of social scientific inquiry as they apply to the study of individuals and groups | Pre/Post course test Q1. Identify 3 ways that anthropologists and social scientists define migration. | - Migration is a household response to economic challenges Migration is a response to insecurity Migration is a response to climate change Migrants decide to migrate to discover opportunities that are not available in their home towns. | Understanding how anthropologists define migration and correctly answering the question illustrate that students have successfully met ELO 1. 3 correct responses 100% 2 correct responses 80% 1 correct response 60% no correct response | Instructor will review data and discuss with undergraduate studies committee. Changes to material will be made as needed. As new theoretical approaches and definitions of migration are authored in the field, these will be incorporated into lecture materials and will be added to potential responses to question 1 |

| ELO 1 Students understand the theories and methods of social scientific inquiry as they apply to the study of individuals and groups | Pre/Post course test Q2. How does the UNHCR define migration? | The UNHCR describes the migration as 1) movement across an international border and for at least 1 year, to 2) join family members already abroad, 3) search for a livelihood, 4) escape a disaster. | Understanding how the UNHCR defines migration and correctly answering the question illustrate that students have successfully met ELO 1. Identifying all 4 variables 100% Correct response identifying 3 variable 80% Correct response identifying 2 variables 70% Correct response identifying 1 variable 60% No response and no variables | Instructor will review data and discuss with undergraduate studies committee. Changes to material will be made as needed. As the UNHCR revises its definition of migration it will be incorporated into lecture materials and will be added to potential responses to question 2 |
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| ELO 2 Students understand the behavior of individuals, differences and similarities in social and cultural contexts of human existence, and the processes by which groups function | Pre/Post course test Q3. Identify 3 migration challenges in Latin America | - A lack of political freedom - A lack of economic opportunity - A lack of educational opportunity - Natural disasters - Demographic change - Political instability | identified 0% Answering the question and identifying the challenges that migrants face in Latin America illustrate that students have successfully met ELO2 3 correct responses 100% 2 correct responses 80% 1 correct response 60% no correct response 60% | Instructor will review data and discuss with undergraduate studies committee. Changes to material will be made as needed. As new challenges arise to migrants in Latin America they will be incorporated into lecture materials and will be added to potential responses to question 3 |

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| ELO 2 | Pre/Post course | - Political | Answering the | Instructor will review |
| Students | test | persecution | question and | data and discuss with |
| understand | | - Religious | identifying the | undergraduate studies |
| the | | persecution | challenges that | committee. Changes to |
| behavior of | Q4. Identify 3 | - Crime | refugees face in | material will be made as |
| individuals, | refugee | - Drug production | Latin America | needed. |
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| comprehend | | - A lack of economic | identifying the | undergraduate studies |
| and assess | | opportunity | problems that | committee. Changes to |
| individual | Q5. List 3 | - A lack of | groups are working | material will be made as |
| and group | problems that | educational | on as they defend | needed. |
| values and | groups are | opportunity | migrants and | |
| their | working to | - Natural disasters | refugees in Latin | |
| importance | defend | - Demographic | America illustrate | |
| in | migrants and | change | that students have | As new problems arise |
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| Students | test | Policy International | responses | data and discuss with |
| comprehend | | - PEW Research | 100% | undergraduate studies |
| and assess | | Center (Hispanic | | committee. Changes to |
| individual | Q6. List 3 | Program) | 2 correct | material will be made as |
| and group | programs that | - IOM-International | responses 80% | needed. |
| values and | focus on | Organization for | | |
| their | analyzing and | Migration | 1 correct response | |
| importance | understanding | - USAID | 60% | As new programs to |
| in | migration or | - WHO-World | | analyze and understand |
| social | refugee crises | Health Organization | no correct | migration and refugee |
| problem | in Latin | | response | crises in Latin America |
| solving | America. | | 0% | are developed, they will |
| and policy | | | | be incorporated into |
| making. | | | | lecture materials and |
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Rationale for *Latin American Cultures and Migration in Global Perspective* (ANTHROP 3419) as a Social Science: Organization and Polities GE course.

Why does this course qualify for GE status in Social Science?

ANTH3419 is a comprehensive introduction to migration in Latin America. The course takes an anthropological and ethnographic approach to migration and explores the challenges that confront Latin American migrants as they travel within and across the region as well as to locations around the world. Migration examples come from throughout the region and explore how migration is modeled, the economics of mobility; culture and identity for migrants and non-migrants; as well as development, health, and gender. The structure of the course challenges students develop critical understanding and use their skills as social scientists as they explore and debate topics through in-class discussions, assignments and exams. Students from across the university likely have some familiarity with migration and Latin America (perhaps through popular representations of Mexican immigrants living in the US), this class uses that background as a foundation to examine core themes in the anthropological study of migration in the region.

The class is organized around examples of migration from throughout Latin America to explore central issues including:

- Migration and anthropology
- Migration in Mexico
- Indigenous migration
- Gender and migration
- Central American migration
- Refugees
- Violence and security
- Caribbean migration

The topics covered allow students to develop a critical framework to understand migration in Latin America and what are the unique qualities that anthropology brings to the analysis of mobility. Through the class students will meet the goals of the Social Science GE course as they systematically study human behavior in Latin America migration; understand the structure of migration as it fits into Latin American society and culture; as well as the economic challenge migration poses for migrants from the region.

The class is focused on a specific topic and around specific readings. Students are expected to come to class prepared to discuss assigned reading materials.

Specific Learning outcomes:

ANTH3419 introduces students to the anthropology of Latin America migration and focuses on eight areas of critical concern to researchers. Weekly themes are organized themes and tied to the three Social Science GE Learning Outcomes.

Each week includes a discussion of the perspective that anthropology brings to the study of Latin American migration and then uses ethnographic examples to explore specific issues, opportunities and challenges. In this way, students are introduced to anthropological research as well as general issues in Latin American studies.

Meeting Social Science GE Learning Outcomes

Organizations and Polities: In weeks 1 and 2 students will discover and understand the theories and methods of social scientific inquiry (outcome 1.1); understand individual and organizational behaviors in a cross-cultural contexts (outcome 1.2); and learn to assess the importance of cultural and political values in social problem solving and policy making (outcome 1.3) as we discuss how to study and model migration for both the individual (migrant) and group (community) using anthropology. In weeks 4 through7 the class is focused on Internal and international migration in Mexico as well as the unique qualities of indigenous migration. Throughout students will apply the theories and methods of anthropological inquiry and ethnography to the study of migration as part of a complex socio-cultural system (outcome 2.1); to understand the formation of political, economic, and social organizing principles around migration (outcome 2.2); and assess the nature and values of local community based organizations as they confront the opportunities and challenges posed by migration (outcome 2.3). Over second half of the course (weeks 9-16) we explore how the process of migration engages with opportunities and challenges around human and economic resources. Our discussion of gender and Central American migration (weeks 9 and 10) emphasize the theories and methods of social scientific inquiry as they apply to the study of the use and distribution of human, natural, and economic resources and decisions and policies concerning such resources (outcome 3.1). In weeks 11 and 12, our discussion of refugees, violence and security defines the political, economic, and social trade-offs that are reflected in decisions making and policymaking around migration (outcome 3.2). Finally, in weeks 14 and 15 we look to the future and assess the physical, social, economic, and political opportunities and challenges that surround the analysis of migration in Latin America with respect to resource use (outcome 3.3).

Readings and lectures use ethnographic examples and anthropologists to facilitate learning and for students to better understand the importance of migration in Latin America. Our discussions are an opportunity for students to develop their skills as independent, critical thinkers and access the important challenges that face Latin American communities. Debates around the opportunities and challenges that come with migration are a setting where students begin to build upon the anthropology they learn in the classroom to confront and assess "real world" outcomes. Our assessment plan is designed to specifically evaluate each of the 3 expected learning outcomes associated with the Organization and Polities subcategory within the Social Sciences.

Anthropology 3419 Assessment Plan:

| GE Expected Learning Outcome | Methods of Assessment | Potential Responses that will meet GE ELO | Level of Student Achievement expected for the GE ELO. | Process to review data and potentially change the course to improve student learning of GE ELOs? |
|------------------------------------|--|---|---|--|
| | Q1. Identify 3 ways that anthropologists and social scientists define migration. | - Migration is a household response to economic challenges Migration is a response to insecurity Migration is a response to climate change Migrants decide to migrate to discover opportunities that are not available in their home towns. | Understanding how anthropologists define migration and correctly answering the question illustrate that students have successfully met ELO 1. 3 correct responses 100% 2 correct responses 80% 1 correct response 60% no correct response | |
| | Q2. How does the UNHCR define migration? | The UNHCR describes the migration as 1) movement across an international border and for at least 1 year, to 2) join family members already abroad, 3) search for a livelihood, 4) escape a disaster. | Understanding how the UNHCR defines migration and correctly answering the question illustrate that students have successfully met ELO 1. Identifying all 4 variables 100% Correct response identifying 3 variable 80% | |

| | | Correct response identifying 2 variables 70% | these will be incorporated into the potential |
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| | | Correct response identifying 1 variable 60% | responses to questions 5 and 6 |
| Q3. Identify 3 migration | - A lack of political freedom | No response and no variables identified 0% Answering the question and | |
| challenges in Latin America | - A lack of economic opportunity - A lack of educational opportunity | identifying the challenges that migrants face in Latin America illustrate that students have | |
| | Natural disasters Demographic change Political instability | successfully met ELO2 3 correct responses | |
| | | 100% 2 correct responses 80% | |
| | | 1 correct response 60% | |
| | | no correct response 0% | |
| Q4. Identify 3 refugee challenges in Latin America | - Political persecution - Religious persecution - Crime - Drug production | Answering the question and identifying the challenges that refugees face in Latin America illustrate that students have successfully met ELO2 | |
| | | 3 correct responses 100% 2 correct responses 80% | |

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| Q5. List 3 problems that groups are working to defend migrants and refugee in Latin America | - A lack of political freedom - A lack of economic opportunity - A lack of educational opportunity - Natural disasters - Demographic | 1 correct response 60% no correct response 0% Answering the question and identifying the problems that groups are working on as they defend migrants and refugees in Latin America illustrate that students have | |
| | change - Political instability | successfully met ELO3 3 correct responses 100% 2 correct responses 80% 1 correct response 60% no correct response 0% | |
| Q6. List 3 programs that focus on analyzing and understanding migration or refugee crises in Latin America. | - MPI-Migration Policy International - PEW Research Center (Hispanic Program) - IOM-International Organization for Migration - USAID - WHO-World Health Organization | Answering the question and identifying groups working to defend migrants and refugees in Latin America illustrates that students have successfully met ELO3 3 correct responses 100% 2 correct responses 80% | |

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