

Access to Higher Education Unit

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Unit Title: European Expansion and Disaster 1870 – 1914

Graded Unit Reference Number: GA33HIS22 **Ungraded Unit Reference Number:** UA33HIS22

Module: History **Level:** Three (3)

Credit Value: Three (3)

Minimum Guided Learning Hours: 30

Learning Outcome (The Learner will):		Assessment Criterion (The Learner can):	
1.	Have an understanding of the impact on Europe of the 'new imperialism'	1.1	Explain how the 'new imperialism' affected relations between the major European powers between1870 and1914
2.	Understand some of the major causes of tension in Europe between 1871 and 1914	2.1	Discuss the weakness of 'Europeanism' between 1871 and 1914
		2.2	Evaluate the main factors which were responsible for increasing tension in Europe between 1871 and 1913
3.	Understand the debate about the causes of the First World War	3.1	Evaluate historical sources relating to the causes of the First World War
		3.2	Assess the degree of responsibility of the major powers in provoking the First World War