Course description:

Viet 214 is primarily offered to Vietnamese heritage students who regularly speak the language at home or within the local Vietnamese communities. It is expected that Viet 214 students have obtained a pre-intermediate level in speaking and listening. Course content emphasizes on reading and writing skills, introduction of Vietnam's diverse regional dialects and accents, with authentic audio-visual materials, and hands-on experience with native guest speakers.

Course materials:

- Downloadable materials on Canvas (5 chapters)
- Authentic and semi-authentic audio visual materials

Course assignments:

- Quizzes on Tuesdays & Thursday (8 quizzes x 2.5 pts) 20 pts
- Homework: Due on Fridays (4 packages x 5 pts) 20 pts
- 4 weekly journals or 4 reflection essays (due Mondays) 40 pts
- Final presentation of project-based portfolio 20 pts

Note: All assignments should be in hard copies, handwritten or typed. Weekly journals or essays are typically 2-4 pages long, 1.5 or double-spaced (750-1,500 words). Students can write about their perspectives and opinions toward class topics, discussion of class materials, and films, or share their own experience relevant to what discussed/read in class.

Tuan 1: Giáo dục Việt Nam - du học - văn hóa sinh viên
Tuan 2: Giái trí - thi hoa hậu - đẹp và tài năng
Tuan 3: Nghệ thuật biểu diễn - âm nhạc - hát - sân khấu
Tuan 4: Thể thao - cộng đồng - xem và chơi
Tuan 5: Kinh tế - tài chính

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S: Speaking; L: Listening; R: Reading; W: Writing; GS: Guest speaker; F: Film