Discussion 11 – Lessons from History 315

Respond to the questions below. Post your responses in the drop box by the end of class period on Friday 12-13. Post your response in the discussion forum. Read and respond to the posts of at least two others students by 7:30pm on Sunday.

Make sure to take time out to say good bye to your group members and thank for their participation in this class.

Part I

The Global Effects and Legacy of Religious Reform

Many people point out that we live in a globalized age today. They point to the importance of global forces, global intersections, and the ripple effects that individual and collective actions have on people across the world today. To what extent were transnational and global interconnections important to story of the Reformation in the Early Modern Period? What were the consequences of the actions of the reformers and those who tried to maintain the unity of the Catholic Church in this period? Why did their ideas and actions have global consequences? What impact did they have on religion and politics in Europe and European empires? In what ways do we still see the lingering impact of their ideas, decisions, and/or actions in our world today?

Part II

Lessons from History 315

What will you take away from this class at the end of the semester? What were the most important things you learned from this class? What were the most important skills that you worked on in this class? Did this class help you to achieve liberal education goals? Did this class help you achieve goals related to your major or minor? Finally, in what ways can you see putting the knowledge and skills that you gained in this class into practice in the future (as a student, employee or employer, community member, family member, parent, and/or global citizen)?