



HNRS 2030 SECTION 4

272 SLAVES: DISCOVERING LOUISIANA'S (AND GEORGETOWN'S) PAST

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Tuesday and Thursday: 9:00a.m.-10:30a.m.

Throughout the semester, we will read widely of the history of slavery in the United States, the internal slave trade, and historical memory. A special focus will be the Louisiana descendants of a group of slaves sold by Georgetown University in 1838. The course will consist of common readings and Skyped meetings with a parallel class from Georgetown. During Georgetown's spring break, both LSU and Georgetown students will gather for tours of southern Louisiana. We will complete a final project with oral history interviews of the descendants.

