



**Response To Readings:
Histories of the West: Native American and Borderlands Histories**

Seminar: 8 April 2006

Presenter: Dr. Thomas Ingersoll, OSU at Lima

Dr. Ingersoll has provided a short summary of the context from which his selections come and a few questions to think about as you read each selection.

For your response, choose one of the readings to write one or two pages in response to Tom's questions.

Readings:

Jennifer S. H. Brown, Strangers in Blood: Fur Trade Company Families in Indian Country (Norman: University of Oklahoma Press, 1996 [1980]), Chapter 4, pp. 81-110.

June Namias, White Captives: Gender and Ethnicity on the American Frontier (Chapel Hill: University of North Carolina Press, 1993), Chapter 5, pp. 145-203.

Gregory E. Dowd, A Spirited Resistance: The North American Indian Struggle for Unity, 1745-1815 (Baltimore: Johns Hopkins University Press, 1992), Chapters 7 and 8, pp. 123-66.

Thomas N. Ingersoll, "To Intermix With Our White Brothers": Indian Mixed Bloods in the United States from Earliest Times to the Indian Removals (Albuquerque: University of New Mexico Press, 2005), pp. 127-62

☛Newark Area Teacher's Option:

For those who will be going to the regional seminar in Newark, you may write a 1 to 2 page response to the following essays in *Hero, Hawk, and Open Hand*:

Mark F. Seeman . "Hopewell Art in Hopewell Places," pp. 57-72.

Bradley T. Lepper, "The Newark Earthworks: Monumental Geometry and Astronomy at a Hopewellian Pilgrimage Center," pp. 73-82