

ASA 150 Essay Section (do both)

PART 1. 300 words, 15 points.

MANILA GALLEON TRADE. Explain the economic context for the Manila Galleon trade and early Filipino and Asian migration to the Americas. In your answer, (a) explain what major countries and products were involved in the trade, and (b) what roles did Filipinos and Asians played in the Manila Galleons. *In your essay, cite 2-3 citations/data from Flynn and Giraldez's article and provide the page number.

PART 2. 300 words, 15 points.

AMERICA IS IN THE HEART. Explain the economic and social context for Filipino migration to the United States in the 1920s and 30s as described by Carlos Bulosan in his book *America is in the Heart*. In your answer, (a) describe the economic and social hardship facing Bulosan's character, and (b) what America represented to a Filipino immigrant. *In your essay, cite at least 2-3 short quotes (1 line or LESS) from Bulosan's book and provide the page number.

DUE: Wednesday, 3 February 2010, at end of class, turn in with objective exam.
FORMAT: Typed, SINGLE-SPACED. Do NOT exceed 800 words total. Please do a word count and write your **NAME on the BACK of the essay page.**

OBJECTIVE EXAM FORMAT (70 points): 12 questions T/F, 12 questions multiple-choice, 12 questions Fill-in-the-blanks.

Good luck with the exam.
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