

Suggested format for proposal

(Review Essay)

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GGRXXX: (course title and semester)

Book under review:

O'Toole, Seamus. (Year). *Cod and Men in Newfoundland*. University Press of the Western Pond.

Interest in the topic:

The Newfoundland cod fishery was Canada's oldest economic activity. Its collapse in the 1990s has been traced back to a variety of factors such as federal subsidies, foreign fishermen and the tragedy of the commons. I plan to explore these issues and assess whether or not this economic tragedy could have been prevented by reviewing Seamus O'Toole seminal *Cod and Men in Newfoundland*. My interest in the topic stems from the fact that my family had to leave Newfoundland and relocate to Southern Ontario in its aftermath.

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