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A series of Highlands short courses explores some of the key conflicts of the past 200 years and how they affected Jersey and its people

FRONTLINE OUTPOST: The Napoleonic Wars and Jersey

Examining the meteoric rise and spectacular fall of the French Emperor, the wars fought along the way, and their impact on Jersey, including the transformation of the Island into a fortress rivalling that constructed by the Germans during the Second World War.



FORGOTTEN HISTORY: The First World War and Jersey

Exploring how this first terrible conflict of the 20th Century unfolded, how it affected Jersey and the lives of Islanders. The course includes as a special focus on researching our First World War ancestors today, including record sources and guidance on how to interpret them.



EYE OF THE STORM: The Second World War and Jersey

Setting the Occupation within the wider context of a conflict that engulfed the world on an unimaginable scale and with an outcome that ultimately decided the fate of the Island. All aspects of the conflict will be covered, together with an examination of key local events.



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