HIS 237 Science, Technology & Medicine [STAS]
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We will examine science, technology, medicine, and society from the Re-naissance to the French Revolution (1450-1790), and the origin of those systems in Western cultures. We will explore changes in experimentation, mathematics, state sponsored technologies, scientific organizations and relationships, gender dynamics, the place of science and technology in cultural life, industrialization, and approaches to medicine. This class will be asynchronous, and assignments will consist of short reading responses and a final cumulative essay based on those responses.