MCM 0903B
Visions of Algeria: Revolution, Visuality, and the Potentialities of History
Tuesdays 4-6:20pm
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Guinean Revolutionary Amílcar Cabral once famously said that “Christians go to the Vatican, Muslims go to Mecca, revolutionaries go to Algiers.” In this class, we will ask the question of Algeria beyond the simple area study or historical inquiry, as a way to explore such vast concepts as visuality, colonialism, nationalism, revolution, and the writing of history.