

## Department of English & Writing Studies

# EN 2230F 001: Studies in Poetics Fall 2015

Location: Talbot College 203 Time: Tuesday 12:30-1:30, Thursday 12:30-2:30

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## **Course Description and Objectives**

EN 2230 introduces issues and concepts in the analysis and theory of poetry from different historical periods. The course tries to foster the appreciation of the poem as a work of art and to help the student understand the poetic content encountered in other senior English courses. The course also includes prose

# **Academic Accommodation**

Students seeking academic accommodation on medical grounds for any missed tests, exams, participation components and/or assignments worth (either alone or in combination) 10% or more of their final grade must apply to the Academic Counselling office of their home

## WEEK SIX

Tuesday, October 13

Brooks, case of Miss Arabella

Pope, The Rape of the Lock

Thursday, October 15

Deborah C. Payne. and the War Against Coquettes; or, Feminism and *The Rape of the Lock* Reconsidered Yet *The Eighteenth Century* 32.1 (1991). 3-24 (Western Libraries)

#### WEEK SEVEN

Tuesday, October 20

Brooks, storied

Gray, Written in a Country

Thursday, October 22

Tichborne, Elegy My prime of youth is but a frost of

cares (poetryfoundation.org)

Hardy, Darkling (

#### WEEK ELEVEN

Tuesday, November 17

Brooks, sylvan historian: history without

Keats, on a Grecian

Thursday, November 19

Ashbery, to

Guest, (https://jacket2.org/poems/three-poems-barbara-guest)

#### WEEK TWELVE

Tuesday, November 24

Brooks, motivation of Tennyson's

Tennyson, Idle

Thursday, November 26

Stein, Carl Van

Tonks, a Certain Young

**ESSAY DUE** 

## WEEK THIRTEEN

Tuesday, December 1

Brooks, great rooted

Yeats, School

Thursday, December 3

Vendler,

Wyatt, Flee from (poetryfoundation.org)

## WEEK FOURTEEN

Tuesday, December 8

Exam Review