

Department of English & Writing Studies

**Special Topics in Popular Literature - Winter is Coming: *A Game of Thrones*
English 2096F (001)
Fall/Winter 2017**

Instructor: John Leonard

Course Date/Time: Tuesday 1.30-2.20 pm,
Thursday 1.30-3.20 pm

Course Location: SEB 2200

Objectives:

By the end of the course, successful students will be able to:

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placed on close reading and interpretative issues and to some extent also on historical sources.

Hone analytical and critical skills in both oral and written work.

Develop confidence and competence in research practice.

Course Materials

Texts (all required): George R. R. Martin, *A Game of Thrones*, *A Clash of Kings*, *A Storm of Swords* (first THREE volumes). Buy the large editions in the bookstore since lectures will make frequent reference to page numbers

Methods of Evaluation

Plagiarism Checking:

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