

Department of English & Writing Studies  
Theatre Studies Program

**Forms and Genres: The Modern Context**  
**Theatre Studies 2205G (001)**  
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**Office Hours:** Mondays and Wednesdays  
9:30-10:30 or by appointment

**Prerequisites:** At least 60% in 1.0 of any 1000-

**Course Location:** Arts & Humanities  
Building 1B06

**Course Date/Time:** Monday 1:30-2:30pm,  
Wednesday 1:30-3:30pm

Course Materials

**Required Texts (4 Texts):**

Aphra Behn, *The Rover*





**Essay 1:** Choose ONE play and write an argumentative essay that focuses on one of the following ten topics listed below. Be sure to narrow and refine your topic so that it is very specific and clear. Do early research on the topic so that you can develop your essay gradually, rather than writing it at the last minute. Engage with at least three secondary sources to help contextualize your argument.

Length: 1500 words

Format: MLA 8<sup>th</sup> edition for undergraduate research essays

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### Timetable

Jan.6-8	Introduction
Jan.13-15	Behn, <i>The Rover</i> (1697)
Jan.20-22	CentliTQ2322