

Course Information

Page 1 of 3 A: Division: ____ACADEMIC DATE: October 1994 B: Department: English and Communications New Course: Revision of Course information form: DATED: November 1987 C: ENGLISH 314 D: Major Poets _ E: __ Subject & Course No. Descriptive Title Semester Credit F: Calendar Description: Summary of Revision: (Enter date & section) This course is a study of representative works of poetry by 2 or 3 major poets writing in English, from 94.10 F. R at least two different periods. 87.11 D, F, G, H, M, N, O, P, Q, R G: Type of Instruction: Hours Per Week/ H: Course Prerequisites: Highly recommended: First year standing with English 114; or English 316 or 317. Lecture/Discussion Hrs. I: Course Corequisites: Laboratory Hrs. None Seminar Hrs. Clinical Experience Hrs. Field Experience J: Course for which this course is Practicum Hrs. a pre-requisite: __ Hrs. Shop None Studio Student Directed Learning Hrs. K: Maximum Class Size: Other TOTAL HOURS M: Transfer Credit: Requested L: College Credit Transfer Granted Specify Course Equivalents or College Credit Non-Transfer Unassigned Credit as Appropriate U.B.C.= 310/313/314/315/316/317/319 (any two) = Engl(3) 2nd year Engl. Lit. S.F.U. = Engl (3)U. Vic. = Engl (1.5) 200 level OTHER: COURSE DESIGNERS DIVISIONAL DEAN DIRECTOR/CHAIRPERSON REGISTRAR

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N: Textbooks and materials to be purchased by students (Use Bibliographic Form):

Sample reading list:

Donne, Selected Poems

Blake, Songs of Innocence and Experience

Yeats, <u>Selected Poetry</u> Heaney, <u>Station Island</u>

Plath, Ariel

Complete Form with Entries Under the Following Headings: O Course Objectives;
P. Course Content; Q. Method of Instruction; R. Course Evaluation

O. COURSE OBJECTIVES

Reading

- 1) The student will learn to recognise the significance of the literary and nonliterary or cultural context of a work being studied, such as historical, philosophical, mythological, and biographical contexts;
- 2) the student will learn to read, critically, socondary sources, such as criticism and other texts by the same author, as an aid to comprehending the primary text being studied;
- 3) the student will learn to read, critically, works or aspects of works not discussed in class:
- 4) the student will learn to discern both continuity and change within the body of poetry written in English.

Writing

Given a general subject, such as imagery, the student will learn to formulate a thesis on this subject in one or more specific works and develop this, using suitable text evidence.

P. COURSE CONTENT

Selected literary texts (see sample list).

Selected secondary source materials:

- autobiographical material
- biography
- literary criticism and theory
- cultural and intellectual history
- other arts (music, fine arts, film, etc.)

METHOD OF INSTRUCTION

- lecture/discussion
- interviews
- group work
- instructor editing of student's written work

R. COURSE EVALUATION

- A minimum of two academic essays, with a combined value of at least 40% of the course grade.
- At least three other evaluations, one of which must be an in-class test or essay.

Writing Competency Bar

A student must achieve a grade of C- or better upon first submission of at least one required essay in order to achieve a grade of better than P in any university-transfer English course.

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