### An Introduction to Literary Study

**Course Director:**
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Virtual office hours: Wed. 7-8 pm

**Time:**
Lecture: Wednesdays, 7-8.30 pm  
(Note: The lecture materials will be posted on the course website every week on Wednesdays.)

Tutorials:  
Tutr 01: Wednesdays, 8.30-10 pm (Dana Patrascu-Kingsley)  
Tutr 02: Wednesdays, 8.30-10 pm (TBA)  
(Note: You will participate in your tutorial group through asynchronous online discussions. The Teaching Assistants will hold synchronous office hours.)

**Delivery Format:**
REMOTE – (synchronous delivery) – There are scheduled meeting times for this course (see above). The course director and tutorial leaders will have office hours scheduled once a week. Students are welcome to drop in to discuss the material and get to know the other members of their tutorial group.

**Description:**
An introduction to the study of, and writing about, literature. Through short readings (essays, stories, poems and plays), students learn to observe, understand and evaluate how literary texts work. Through specific attention to the technical language of literature, the mechanics of writing and the preparation of an essay, students learn to write effectively about literature.

**Requirements:**
- Quizzes: 3x 5% = 15%  
- Close Reading Essay (800 words): 15%  
- Outline and Annotated Bibliography: 10%  
- Research Essay (1800 words): 25%  
- Final Test: 20%  
- Participation in online discussions: 15%

**Reading List:**

**Open To:**
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