The University of Southern Queensland

Course Specification

Description: Modern Literature

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Academic Group: FOART
Academic Org: FOA003
HECS Band: 1
ASCED Code: 091523

STAFFING
Examiner: Brian Musgrove
Moderator: Lawrence Johnson

SYNOPSIS
This course will introduce students to English and European literatures of the early twentieth century. It will examine prose and poetry of the Modernist period as a means of framing reading strategies and critical debates. The course also considers the set texts within their socio-historical context.

OBJECTIVES
On completion of this course students will be able to:

- have an understanding of modern literature within its historical context;
- be familiar with key concepts and theoretical issues in the culture of Modernism;
- be skilled in critical reading and practice;
- (OnCampus students): be able to demonstrate knowledge of objectives in both written and oral modes.

TOPICS

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<td>4. Literature and social history</td>
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TEXT and MATERIALS required to be PURCHASED or ACCESSED:
Books can be ordered by fax or telephone. For costs and further details use the 'Book Search' facility at http://bookshop.usq.edu.au by entering the author or title of the text.

ENL3000 Book of Readings (DEC/USQ)

REFERENCE MATERIALS
Reference materials are materials that, if accessed by students, may improve their knowledge and understanding of the material in the course and enrich their learning experience.


STUDENT WORKLOAD REQUIREMENTS

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### ASSESSMENT DETAILS

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**NOTES:**
- Tutorial participation is graded weekly on evidence of preparation and quality of oral contribution.
- Students will be advised of the exam date when the timetable has been finalised.

### IMPORTANT ASSESSMENT INFORMATION

1. **Attendance requirements:**
   It is the student's responsibility to attend and participate appropriately in all activities (such as lectures, tutorials, laboratories and practical work) scheduled for them, and to study all material provided to them or required to be accessed by them to maximise their chance of meeting the objectives of the course and to be informed of course-related activities and administration.

2. **Requirements for students to complete each assessment item satisfactorily:**
   To complete each of the assessment items satisfactorily, students must obtain at least 50% of the marks available for each assessment item.

3. **Penalties for late submission of required work:**
   If students submit assignments after the due date without prior approval, then a penalty of 10% of the total marks available for the assignment will apply for each of the first FIVE working days late, after which a zero mark will be given.

4. **Requirements for student to be awarded a passing grade in the course:**
   To be assured of a passing grade, students must demonstrate, via the summative assessment items, that they have achieved the required minimum standards in relation to the objectives of the course by: (i) satisfactorily completing the examination and assignments; and (ii) obtaining at least 50% of the total weighted marks for all summative assessment items.

5. **Method used to combine assessment results to attain final grade:**
   The final grades for students will be assigned on the basis of the weighted aggregate of the marks (or grades) obtained for each of the summative assessment items in the course.

6. **Examination information:**
   The exam for this course is a RESTRICTED EXAMINATION, and candidates are allowed access to * writing materials (non-electronic and free from material which could give the student an unfair advantage in the examination); * Translation dictionary. With the Examiner's approval, candidates may take an appropriate non-electronic translation dictionary into the examination. This will be subject to
perusal and, if it is found to contain annotations or markings that could give the
candidate an unfair advantage, it may be removed from the candidate's possession
until the appropriate disciplinary action is completed.

7 Examination period when Deferred/Supplementary examinations will be held:
Any deferred or supplementary examinations for this course will be held during
the next examination period.

8 University Regulations:
Students should read USQ Regulations 5.1 Definitions, 5.6 Assessment, and 5.10
Academic Misconduct for further information and to avoid actions which might
contravene University Regulations. These regulations can be found at the URL
http://www.usq.edu.au/SECARIAT/calendar/Part5/ or in the printed version of the
current USQ Handbook.

ASSESSMENT NOTES

9 (a) The due date for an assignment is the date by which a student must lodge the
assignment at the USQ. (b) Students must retain a copy of each item submitted for
assessment. This must be produced within five days if required by the Examiner.
(c) In accordance with University's Assignment Extension Policy (Regulation
5.6.1), the examiner of a course may grant an extension of the due date of an
assignment in extenuating circumstances such as documented ill-health. (d) Students
who have undertaken all of the required assessments in the course but who have
failed to meet some of the specified objectives of the course within the normally
prescribed time may be awarded the temporary grade: IM Incomplete-Makeup). An
IM grade will only be awarded when, in the opinion of the examiner, a student
will be able to achieve the remaining objectives of the course after a period of
non-directed personal study. (e) Students who, for medical, family/personal, or
employment-related reasons, are unable to complete an assignment or sit for an
examination at the scheduled time, may apply to defer an assessment in the course.
Such a request must be accompanied by appropriate supporting documentation.
One of the following temporary grades may be awarded: IDS (Incomplete - Deferred
Examination; IDM (Incomplete Deferred Make-up); IDB (Incomplete - Both
Deferred Examination and Deferred Make-up).