FYP LECTURE SCHEDULE 2021-22

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TIME	TOPIC	READ	
	SECTION I: The Ancient World (Coordinator: Eli Diamond)		
Monday, 6 September		LABOUR DAY - University Closed	
Tuesday, 7 September		Classes begin at King's and Dalhousie	
Wednesday, 8 September D. Brandes K. Fraser	Introduction to the Program Ancient Near East: Mesopotamia	FYP Opening Lecture - Section I BEGINS Introduction to Section I, FYP Handbook Map of Early Mesopotamia and Textual Evidence of "Gilgamesh" (M1) The Akkadian Creation Epic (M2) The Epic of Gilgamesh	
Thursday, 9 September C. Jeffers	Ancient Egypt	Map of Ancient Egypt (M3) "The Dispute between a Man and his Ba" (M4) "The Hymn to the Aten" (M5) "The Tale of the Eloquent Peasant" (M6)	
Friday, 10 September D. Brandes (S1P1 essay questions posted)	Hebrew Bible: Genesis and Exodus	The Bible, Genesis 1-4; Exodus 1-14, 20	
Monday, 13 September N. Robertson	Greek Epic I: Homer's <i>Iliad</i>	Homer, Iliad Books 1-8	
Wednesday , 15 September N. Robertson	Greek Epic II: Homer's <i>Iliad</i>	Homer, Iliad Books 9-16	
Thursday, 16 September H. Ilkay	Sappho and Greek Lyric Poetry	Sappho, If Not, Winter: Fragments of Sappho Additional Sappho fragments (M7) Selected Greek lyric poems (M8)	

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Friday, 17 September N. Robertson	Greek Epic III: Homer's <i>lliad</i>	Homer, <i>Iliad</i> Books 17-24
Monday, 20 September E. Varto	Greek Art, Architecture and Archaeology	Images on Brightspace
(S1P1 Due)		
Wednesday, 22 September E. Diamond	Greek Tragedy	Sophocles, <i>Ajax</i>
Thursday, 23 September S. Kow	Classical Confucianism	The Analects, selections (M9) Mencius, The Mencius, selections (M10)
Friday, 24 September E. Diamond	Greek Philosophy: Plato's <i>Republic</i>	Plato, Republic 1-4
(S1P2 essay questions posted)		
Monday, 27 September E. Diamond	Greek Philosophy: Plato's <i>Republic</i>	Plato, Republic 5-7
Wednesday, 29 September E. Diamond	Greek Philosophy: Plato's <i>Republic</i>	Plato, Republic 8-10
Thursday, 30 September		NATIONAL DAY FOR TRUTH AND RECONCILIATION - University Closed
Friday, 1 October C. Fullarton	Greek Philosophy: Aristotle's <i>Nicomachean Ethics</i>	Aristotle, Nicomachean Ethics, selections (M11)
Monday, 4 October R. Barker	Roman Epic: Virgil's Aeneid	Virgil, The Aeneid 1-3
(S1P2 due)		
Wednesday , 6 October R. Barker	Roman Epic: Virgil's Aeneid	Virgil, The Aeneid 4-6

Thursday, 7 October M. Bennett	Providence or Atoms: Roman Philosophy in the Republic and Empire	Marcus Aurelius, <i>Meditations</i> , selections (M12) Lucretius, <i>On the Nature of the Universe</i> , selections (M13)
Friday, 8 October K. Fraser	Late Pagan Spirituality and the Quest for Salvation	Plotinus, "On the Three Primary Hypostases" (M14) Selections from the <i>Corpus Hermeticum</i> (M15 & M16)
(S1P3 essay questions posted)		Section I ENDS
Monday, 12 October		THANKSGIVING – University closed
	SECTION II: The Middle Ages (Co	oordinator: Neil Robertson)
Wednesday, 13 October R. Ingalls	Christian Beginnings	Section II BEGINS Introduction to Section II, FYP Handbook The Bible: Matthew 5-7 Luke 1-2; 8:5-8; 11-15; 10:30-37; 15:11-32; 19:29-48; 22-24 John 1:1-14 Perpetua, The Passion of Perpetua and Felicity, selection (M1) Nicene Creed (M2) Definition of Chalcedon (M3)
Thursday, 14 October D. Brandes	Medieval Judaism and Philosophy	Moses Maimonides, <i>Guide for the Perplexed</i> , selections (M4)
Friday, 15 October C. Snook	Becoming Christian: From Thagaste to Carthage	Augustine, Confessions Books 1–3
Monday, 18 October C. Snook	Becoming Christian: To Milan and Rome	Augustine, <i>Confessions</i> Books 4-6
(S1P3 due)		
Wednesday, 20 October C. Snook	Becoming Christian: From Rome to Hippo and Beyond	Augustine, <i>Confessions</i> Books 7-9

Thursday, 22 October A Treiger	Islamic Beginnings	The Life of Muhammad, selections (M5) Sachiko Murata and William C. Chittick, The Vision of Islam (M6)
Friday, 23 October S. Ullah	The Art of Islamic Love	Ibn Hazm, The Ring of the Dove, selections (M7)
(S2P1 essay questions posted)		
Monday, 26 October N. Robertson	The Divine Comedy: The Dark Wood and Upper Hell	Dante, <i>Inferno</i> , Cantos I-XVI
Wednesday, 28 October N. Robertson	The Divine Comedy: The Pit of Hell	Dante, <i>Inferno</i> , Cantos XVII-XXXIV
Thursday, 29 October S. Dodd	Medieval Mysticism	Hildegaard of Bingen, <i>Scivias</i> , selections (M8) Mechthild of Magdeburg, <i>The Flowing Light of the Godhead</i> , selections (M9)
Friday, 30 October N. Robertson	The Divine Comedy: Purgatory	Dante, <i>Purgatorio</i> , Cantos I-II, VIII-XII, XCVI-XIX, XXVII-XXXIII
Monday, 2 November N. Robertson	The Divine Comedy: Paradiso	Dante, <i>Paradiso</i> , Cantos I-V, X-XIV, XVIII-XX, XXVIII-XXXIII
(S2P1 due – K1000 students only)		
Wednesday, 4 November T. Curran	In Defence of The Virtue of Women	Christine de Pizan, City of Ladies, selections (M10)
Thursday, 5 November E. Edwards	Romance from the Court of King Arthur: The High Medieval Ages	Anonymous, Sir Gawain and the Green Knight
Friday, 6 November N. Robertson (S2P2 essay	The End of the Middle Ages	William of Ockham Quodlibetal Questions (M11) The Power of Emperors and Popes (M12) Ibn Khaldun, The Muqaddimah, selections (M13)
questions posted)		

November 8 – November 12 STUDY BREAK

SECTION III: The Renaissance and Reformation (Coordinator: Michelle Wilband)

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Monday, 15 November K. Fraser (K1000 – S2P2 due) (K1100 – either S2P1 or S2P2 due)	Renaissance Humanism and Philosophy	Section 3 BEGINS Introduction to Section III, FYP Handbook Pico della Mirandola, On the Dignity of Man
Wednesday, 17 November S. Kow	Renaissance Politics: Machiavelli	Niccolò Machiavelli, <i>The Prince</i> Dedicatory letter, chapters 1–9, 11–18, 21, 24–26
Thursday, 18 November J. Spencer	Renaissance Art	Leon Battista Alberti, <i>On Painting</i> , selections (M1) Giorgio Vasari, "Preface to Part Three," in The Lives of the Artists (M2)
Friday, 19 November M. Wilband (S3P1 essay questions posted)	Renaissance Theatre I Staging the Tradition: Spectacle and Performance among Shakespeare's Greeks	William Shakespeare, Troilus and Cressida
Monday, 22 November G. Thorne	The Protestant Reformation: Luther I	Martin Luther, Selections from His Writings "Two Kinds of Righteousness" "The Freedom of a Christian"
Wednesday , 24 November G. Thorne	The Protestant Reformation: Luther II	Martin Luther, Selections from His Writings "On Secular Authority"
Thursday, 25 November K. Morris	Renaissance Witchcraft: Early Modern Witch Hunting	Heinrich Kramer and Jacob Sprenger, <i>The Malleus Maleficarum</i> , selections (M3) Jean Bodin, "On the Demon-Mania of Witches" (M4) Reginald Scot, "the Discoverie of Witchcraft" (M5)
Friday, 26 November R. Barker	The Catholic Reformation: Teresa of Ávila	Teresa of Ávila, <i>The Interior Castle</i> , selections (M6)

Monday, 29 November A. Jeffers	Colonialism in the Americas: Encounters and Impact	The Broken Spears: An Aztec Account of the Conquest of Mexico, selections (M7) Bartolomé de las Casas, The Devastation of the Indies, selection (M8) Hernan Cortés, "First Letter to Emperor Carlos V," selections (M9)	
Wednesday, 1 December K. Kesselring	English Renaissance Politics: Elizabeth I	Excerpts from Elizabeth I, Collected Works, selections (M10 & M11)	
Thursday, 2 December S. Kow	Jesuits in China: Cross-Cultural Encounters	Excerpts from China in the Sixteenth Century: The Journals of Matthew Ricci: 1583-1610, selection (M12) 'Chinese Responses to Early Christian Contacts' in Sources of East Asian Civilization, selection (M13)	
Friday, 3 December L. Penny	Renaissance Subjectivity and Skepticism	Michel de Montaigne, <i>Essays</i> "To the Reader" "On the Cannibals" "On Experience", selections (pp.264-76, 412-426)	
Monday, 6 December K. Morris (S3P1 due for K1000 students)	New Visions of the Cosmos: Galileo	Galileo Galilei, <i>The Starry Messenger</i> (M14) and "Letter to the Grand Duchess Christina" (M15)	
Tuesday, 7 December M. Wilband	Renaissance Theatre II: Tempest and Sea-Change in a Brave New World	William Shakespeare, <i>The Tempest</i> Section 3 ENDS/ Classes end, Fall Term (Classes on <i>Monday</i> schedule for December 7 ^{th)}	
Wednesday , 8 December		FYP Oral Examinations	
Thursday , 9 December		FYP Oral Examinations Dal Exams Begin	
Friday, 10 December		FYP Oral Examinations	
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SECTION IV: The Age of Reason (Coordinator: Kathryn Morris)		
Wednesday, 5 January K. Morris	Descartes: Self	Section 4 BEGINS Classes begin, Winter Term Introduction to Section IV, FYP Handbook René Descartes, Meditations on First Philosophy, Meditations 1 & 2
Thursday, 6 January C. Elson	The Early Modern Novel	Madame de Lafayette, The Princesse de Clèves
Friday, 7 January K. Morris (S4P1 essay questions posted)	Descartes: God	René Descartes, <i>Meditations on First Philosophy</i> , Meditations 3 & 4
Monday, 10 January K. Morris	Descartes: World	René Descartes, <i>Meditations on First Philosophy</i> , Meditations 5 & 6 Princess Elisabeth of Bohemia, "Selections from Her Correspondence with Descartes" (M1)
Wednesday, 12 January S. Boos	Hobbes: The Modern State	Thomas Hobbes, <i>Leviathan</i> , Introduction, Chapters 13-18, Chapter 21
Thursday, 13 January J. Spencer	Baroque Art	The Council of Trent (M2) Giovanni Pietro Bellori, "The Idea" and "Michelangelo da Caravaggio" (M3)
Friday, 14 January K. Morris	New Worlds	Margaret Cavendish, <i>The Description of a New World Called the Blazing World,</i> pp. 57-107, 121-6
Monday, 17 January K. Morris	The Newtonian Cosmos	The Principia, Selections (M4) Emilie du Châtelet, Foundations of Physics, Preface (M5)
(S4P1 due)		

Wednesday, 19 January W. Lahey	Property and Empire	John Locke, "On Property" in the Second Treatise of Civil Government Emer de Vattel, The Law of Nations, selections (M6) The Royal Proclamation of 1763 (M7) John Marshall, Johnson v. M'Intosh, 1823 (M8)
Thursday, 20 January N. Robertson	The French Enlightenment	Voltaire, Candide
Friday, 21 January S. Dodd (S4P2 essay questions posted)	Rousseau: Society and Inequality	Jean-Jacques Rousseau, <i>Discourse on the Origins of</i> Inequality in The Basic Political Writings, Parts I and II
Monday, 24 January M. Euchner	Storm and Stress	Johann Wolfgang von Goethe, <i>The Sorrows of Young Werther</i> "Prometheus" (M9)
Wednesday , 26 January C. Jeffers	The Debate over Slavery	Quobna Ottobah Cugoano, <i>Thoughts and Sentiments</i> on the Evil of Slavery, pp.12-18 (from 1787 version) and pp. 115-145 (1791 version) John Locke, "On Slavery" in the Second Treatise of Civil Government
Thursday, 27 January D. Brandes	The Kantian Morality	Immanuel Kant, <i>Grounding for the Metaphysics of Morals</i> , First and second sections (pp.55-102)
Friday, 28 January R. Barker	Opera and Enlightenment	Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart, <i>The Magic Flute</i> (libretto) Section 4 ENDS
SECTION V: The Era of Revolutions (Coordinator: Roberta Barker)		
Monday, 31 January R. Barker (S4P2 due)	A Dream of Progress: Introduction to Section 5 and Mary Shelley, <i>Frankenstein</i> , Part 1	Section 5 BEGINS Introduction to Section V, FYP Handbook Mary Shelley, Frankenstein Preface and Volume One

Wednesday, 2 February L. Penny	Revolutions: 1789 and its consequences	Section 5 Chronology, FYP Handbook The Declaration of the Rights of Man and Citizen (M1) The French Revolution and Human Rights, selections (M2) Selected texts from the Haitian Revolution (M3) Maximilien Robespierre, Virtue and Terror, selections (M4)
Thursday, 3 February S. Dodd (S5P1 essay questions posted)	The Rights of Woman: Mary Wollstonecraft	Mary Wollstonecraft, A Vindication of the Rights of Woman, selections (M5) Letter to Tallyrand Introduction Chapter 9: Of The Pernicious Effects Which Arise From Unnatural Distinctions in Society
Friday, 4 February		George III Day – University closed
Monday, 7 February R. Barker	The Challenges of Freedom: Frankenstein, Part 2	Mary Shelley, Frankenstein Volumes 2 and 3 (to end)
Wednesday , 9 February N. Robertson	Freedom and History	G.W.F. Hegel, Introduction to the Philosophy of History Chapters 1, 2, 3, and Appendix (from Hegel's Philosophy of Right)
Thursday, 10 February C. Jeffers	Liberalism and Liberty	J.S. Mill, <i>On Liberty</i> Chapters One and Two
Friday, 11 February S. Clift	Workers of the World, Unite: Marxism	Marx and Engels, The Communist Manifesto
Monday, 14 February S. Kow (S5P1 due)	India and Empire	Sources of Indian Traditions: Modern India, Pakistan, and Bangladesh vol. 2, selections (M6) Rammohan Roy Thomas Babbington Macaulay Mohandas Gandhi
Wednesday , 16 February R. Barker	The Struggles of Desire and the Total Work of Art	Richard Wagner, <i>Tristan and Isolde</i> (Libretto) (see also Brightspace link or Evening FYP screening for video)
Thursday, 17 February M. Bennett	The Struggle for Survival: Darwin's Theories of Evolution	Charles Darwin, <i>The Descent of Man, s</i> elections (M7)

Friday, 18 February T. Clarke (S5P2 essay questions posted)	Nietzsche 1: Ressentiment and Bad Conscience ******* February 21 – F STUDY BI ***********************************	ebruary 25 REAK
Monday, 28 February T. Clarke	Nietzsche 2: Decadence and the Ascetic Ideal	On the Genealogy of Morals Third Treatise, Sections 1-2, 6-13, 15-16, 19-20, 23-28 Twilight of the Idols, "The Problem of Socrates" (M9)
Wednesday, 2 March C. Jeffers	W.E.B. Du Bois and the Question of Race	W.E.B. Du Bois, <i>The Souls of Black Folk</i> Chapters 1, 3, 6, 10, 13 and 14
Thursday, 3 March J. Bird	Performance, Writing, and the Critique of Colonialism	E. Pauline Johnson (M10) "A Red Girl's Reasoning" "A Strong Race Opinion"
Friday, 4 March R. Barker	Realism and the <i>Fin-de-siècle</i> : The End of an Era?	Anton Chekhov, <i>The Cherry Orchard</i> Section 5 ENDS
S	ECTION VI: The Contemporary Wor	ld (Coordinator: Daniel Brandes)
Monday, 7 March D. Brandes	Kafka: The Problem of Our Laws	Introduction to Section VI, FYP Handbook Franz Kafka, "Before the Law," "A Report to an Academy," and "The Cares of a Family Man" from The Complete Stories, selections (M1)
Wednesday, 9 March L. Franklin (S5P2 due)	Modernism and the Fragments of Tradition	T.S. Eliot, The Waste Land
Thursday, 10 March S. Clift	The Rise of Psychoanalysis	Sigmund Freud, "Mourning and Melancholia" (M2) "The Ego and the Id", selections (M3)

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Friday, 11 March H. Karam Ally	Social and Literary Transformations	Virginia Woolf, To the Lighthouse, Part 1
(S6P1 essay questions posted – K1000 only)		
Monday, 14 March H. Karam Ally	Social and Literary Transformations	Virginia Woolf, To the Lighthouse, Parts 2 and 3
Wednesday, 16 March L. Penny	Feminist Existentialism: The Second Wave	Simone de Beauvoir, <i>The Second Sex</i> "Introduction" (pp. 3-17) "Women's Situation and Character" (pp. 638-664); "Conclusion" (pp. 753-766)
Thursday, 17 March D. Brandes	On the Role of Facts and Truth in Political Life	Hannah Arendt, "Truth and Politics" (M4)
Friday, 18 March D. Glowacka	The Holocaust: The Assault on the Human	Primo Levi, "S'hma" (M5) The Drowned and the Saved, Chapters 2–4.
Monday, 21 March A. Jeffers	Post-Colonial Experiences	Jamaica Kincaid, Annie John
(S6P1 due – K1000 only)		
Wednesday, 23 March S. Boos	The Call of the Wild: Environmentalism and its Ideals	William Cronon, "The Trouble with Wilderness; or Getting Back to the Wrong Nature" (M6)
3. B003		10:30-11:30 am – in-class course evaluation
Thursday, 24 March S. Boos	Ecofeminism and the Claims of Biodiversity	Val Plumwood, "Meeting the Predator" from <i>The Eye</i> of the Crocodile (M7)
Friday, 25 March David Huebert	Native American Poetry: Poetry as Ecology	Joy Harjo, She Had Some Horses (selected poems)
(Research Proposals due)		

Monday, 28 March K. Pinder	On Art, Memory, and Motherhood	Alison Bechdel, Are You My Mother?
Wednesday, 30 March H. Ilkay	Helen, Across the Centuries	Anne Carson, Norma Jeane Baker of Troy
Thursday, 31 March T. Clarke	Answering Violence: Caliban and the Colonial Subject	A. Césaire, A Tempest
Friday, 1 April D. Brandes	The Sympathetic Imagination: On Poetry, Philosophy, and the Animals We Are	J.M. Coetzee, <i>The Lives of Animals</i> , selections
Monday, 4 April TBA		FYP Final Lecture
Wednesday , 6 April		FYP Oral Examinations
Thursday , 7 April		FYP Oral Examinations
Friday , 8 April		FYP Oral Examinations