

Title and Code of Course: ERPB-TNA 2363 British and American literature1.0: the Middle Ages and the Renaissance

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| Credit Point Value: 6 | Number of Lessons per Week: 2 | Type of Course: Seminar <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Lecture <input type="checkbox"/> | Method of Evaluation: Oral Examination <input type="checkbox"/> In-Class Presentation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
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Course Description:

The seminar focuses on some of the main works of medieval and renaissance English literature, attempting at presenting a complex picture of the cultural, historical and religious context of their composition, as well as a close reading of the texts themselves. The evaluation will be based on the in-class tests and essay, on oral presentations as well as on the participation in class discussions.

Bibliography:

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The Cambridge Companion to Chaucer. Ed. Piero Boitani. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2004.