

Prof. Wm. Wilson

FO 223: Hours: MW 330-430 & by Appt.

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Description: The class is a survey of important literary works from ancient Greece through medieval Europe. The emphasis is on works written in languages other than English. We will be studying the merits of individual works as well as the cultures and civilization that gave rise to them.

The course abides by all University regulations concerning integrity, accessibility and other mandated areas of concern.

Requirements: 2 critical essays; midterm and final.

Grading: Essays 40%; midterm; 25%; final 30%; participation 5%

Required text:

The Norton Anthology of Western Literature (8th ed) vol 1 [NA]

Schedule of Readings and Assignments

Aug	27: Introduction
Sept	03: Hebrew Bible, NA 34-100
	10: Homer NA 100-206
	17: Homer NA 206-287
	24: Homer NA 287-391
Oct	01: Homer 391-496
	08: Aeschylus 506-551
	15: Sophocles NA 612-653
	22: Sophocles NA 653-688
	29: Euripides NA 688-720
Nov	05: MIDTRERM
	12: Virgil NA 930-1023; Essay Due
	19: Dante NA 1465-1576
	26: Dante NA1576-1594
Dec	03 Dante 1594-1598
	10: Review; Essay Due
	17: Final Exam