





Course Specifications

Course Title: Modern Literary Movements	
Course Code: ENG 433	
Program:	Bachelor of Arts in English
Department: English	
College: Faculty of Languages and Translation	
Institution: King Khalid University	

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A. Course Identification

1. Credit hours: 2	
2. Course type	
a. University College Department ✓ Others	
b. Required X Elective	
3. Level/year at which this course is offered: Level 8/Year 4	
4. Pre-requisites for this course (if any): (Eng. 330) Introduction to Literary Forms	

6. Mode of Instruction (mark all that apply)

No	Mode of Instruction	Contact Hours	Percentage
1	Traditional classroom	30	100
2	Blended		
3	E-learning		
4	Correspondence		
5	Other		

7. Actual Learning Hours (based on academic semester)

No	Activity	Learning Hours	
Conta	ct Hours		
1	Lecture	30	
2	Laboratory/Studio		
3	Tutorial		
4	Others (specify)		
	Total	30	
Other	Other Learning Hours*		
1	Study	2	
2	Assignments		
3	Library		
4	Projects/Research Essays/Theses	<u></u>	
5	Others (specify)		
	Total	2	

^{*} The length of time that a learner takes to complete learning activities that lead to achievement of course learning outcomes, such as study time, homework assignments, projects, preparing presentations, library times

B. Course Objectives and Learning Outcomes

1. Course Description

• This course introduces students to techniques, characteristics and philosophy of the major movements of literature from the 19th century onwards.

 By course-end, students will be able to understand techniques adopted in variant literary movements and analyze interpret particular literary works in the light of the literary movements.

2. Course Main Objective

- To familiarize students with the main features, techniques and philosophy of the major movements of literature from the 19th century onwards.
- To provide students with a chronological/historical background of literary movements in the modern times.
- To reinforce students' skills of comparison, analysis and critical thinking.
- To promote students' knowledge of language in real contexts through teaching them how to write a research paper on any literary movement.

3. Course Learning Outcomes

	CLOs	Aligned-PLOs
1	Knowledge:	Ŭ
1.1	Knowing various concepts, styles, techniques, representatives and strategies of literary movements.	K1
1.2	Knowledge and understanding of the major principles and characteristics of literary theories.	K3
1.3	Acquiring the ability to read, analyze and compare various literary pieces in light of literary movements.	K3
2	Skills:	
2.1	Develop complex skills in exploring the aspects of literary movements: definition, date, subject matter, notable theorists, and main characteristics.	S1
2.2	Develop critical thinking skills of evaluation, description, comparison, and analysis.	S2
2.3	Develop complex skills in applying different critical theories and approaches to the study and analysis of literary pieces.	S1
3	Competence:	
3.1	Students can participate in class discussion and think critically and analytically of cultural and historical highlights that have made up literary movements.	C3
3.2	Use of e-learning , electronic journals and data basis	C2
3.3	Use of IT tools such as laptop and projector systems	C2

C. Course Content

No	List of Topics	Contact Hours
1	Orientation: students get familiarized with the requirements of the subject, textbook, Blackboard, etc.	2
2	Romanticism : definition, subject matter, representatives, comparison with Neoclassicism, main characteristics.	4
3	Realisms definition, subject matter, representatives, comparison with Romanticism, main characteristics.	3
4	Naturalisms definition, subject matter, representatives, comparison with Realism, main characteristics.	3
5	Modernism; definition, subject matter, representatives	4
6	Magical Realisms definition, subject matter, representatives, comparison with Realism, main characteristics	4
7	Imagism: definition, subject matter, representatives, principles of imagism	2
8	Postcolonialisms definition, goals, subject matter, notable theorists	4
9	Ecocriticism or Green Studies: definition, culture and nature, turning criticism inside out	4
	Total	30

D. Teaching and Assessment

1. Alignment of Course Learning Outcomes with Teaching Strategies and Assessment Methods

Code	Course Learning Outcomes	Teaching Strategies	Assessment Methods
1.0	Knowledge		
1.1	 analyze and compare various literary pieces Discussion Close reading and text analysis 		 Two-midterm tests Assignments Quizzes Final Exam
1.2			Live monologuesTwo-midterm testsAssignmentsQuizzesFinal Exam
2.0	Skills		•

Code	Course Learning Outcomes	Teaching Strategies	Assessment Methods
2.1		 E-learning Lectures Class discussions: teaching students to think independently and engage in group discussions 	 Individual meetings with students to evaluate their appreciation of own work; Student presentations Evaluation of quizzes, assignments and exams
2.2	Ability to apply different critical and theoretical approaches to the study of literary pieces.	 Class surveys E-learning Class discussions: teaching students to think independently and engage in group discussions 	Individual assignmentsExamsResearch papers
3.0	Competence		
3.1	Students can participate in class discussion and think critically and analytically.	LecturesDiscussionGroup assignments	Research papers will attest to the student's ability to fulfill assignments and respect deadlines Individual and group Presentations
3.2	Students can act dutifully and ethically in carrying out individual as well as group projects	Group assignments	Students' behavior during group assignments is monitored and evaluated against convened standards.

2. Assessment Tasks for Students

#	Assessment task*	Week Due	Percentage of Total Assessment Score
1	Assignment 1	Week 5	5%
2	Test 1	Week 7	20%
3	Assignment 2	Week 10	5%
4	Test 2	Week 12	20%

#	Assessment task*	Week Due	Percentage of Total Assessment Score
5	Final Exam	Week 16	50%
6	Total		100 %

^{*}Assessment task (i.e., written test, oral test, oral presentation, group project, essay, etc.)

E. Student Academic Counseling and Support

Arrangements for availability of faculty and teaching staff for individual student consultations and academic advice :

Office Hours: 10 hours per week

F. Learning Resources and Facilities

.Learning Resources			
	Text; Prepared by the Department that include:		
Required Textbooks	(a) General Information about modern literary movements (b) Analyses of some selected models		
Essential References Materials	 Barry, Peter. Beginning Theory: An Introduction to Literary and Cultural Theory. Manchester University Press, 2009. Craig, W. & Moreland, J. (Eds.). (2000). Naturalism: A critical analysis. London: Routledge. Desai, G. G., Nair, S. (2005). Postcolonialism: An anthology of cultural theory and criticism. Rutgers University Press. Doherty, T. (Ed.). (1991). Postmodernism: A reader. New York: Harvester Wheatsheaf Eagleton, T. (1996). Literary Theory: An Introduction. Minneapolis: The University of Minnesota Press. Encyclopedia of Literature and Criticism (1991) ed. Martin Coyle, Peter Garside, Malcolm Kelsall and John Peck, Rutledge, London. Henderson, H. & Pederson, J. P. (Ed.). (2000). Twentieth century literary movements dictionary. Detroit, Mich: Omnigraphics. Hutcheon, L. (1988). A poetics of postmodernism: History, theory, fiction. New York: Routledge. Huyssen, Andreas (1986). After the Great Divide: Modernism, Mass Culture, Postmodernism. Jefferson, A. & Robey, D. Modern Literary Theory: A Comparative Introduction Marcel, B. (1966). The art of the Romantic era: Romanticism, Classicism, Realism. New York: Henry Holt & Company, Inc. 		

	McHale, B. (1987). Postmodern Fiction. London: Methuen
Electronic Materials	 Students are motivated to explore relevant electronic materials for further details. http://lib.kku.edu.sa/ search.proquest.com www.questia.com (only for campus connected computers) www.shmoop.com www.sparknotes.com
Other Learning Materials	Use of computers and audio-visual equipment

2. Facilities Required

Item	Resources	
Accommodation (Classrooms, laboratories, demonstration rooms/labs, etc.)	 Large enough classrooms and labs Lecture rooms with a capacity of 30 students 	
Technology Resources (AV, data show, Smart Board, software, etc.)	 Laptops, overhead projectors, computer labs, MS Office programs, academic software. 	
Other Resources (Specify, e.g. if specific laboratory equipment is required, list requirements or attach a list)	 Students are encouraged to use the Language Enhancement Program (LEP) Dictionaries, English- skills software, Linguistic and language atlases, 	

G. Course Quality Evaluation

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Evaluation Areas/Issues	Evaluators	Evaluation Methods	
Confidential completion of standard course evaluation questionnaire by students at the end of each semester	In-class observation by other colleagues	Workshops by internal and external experts	
Occasional student-faculty meetings to get students' feedback	Peer observation	Coordination between teachers of different sections of the same course	
Confidential completion of standard course evaluation questionnaire by students at the end of each semester	Observation by external experts	Training and orientation for new instructors of the course	

Evaluation areas (e.g., Effectiveness of teaching and assessment, Extent of achievement of course learning outcomes, Quality of learning resources, etc.)

Evaluators (Students, Faculty, Program Leaders, Peer Reviewer, Others (specify)

Assessment Methods (Direct, Indirect)

H. Specification Approval Data

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