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1. **COURSE NUMBER AND TITLE, CATALOG DESCRIPTION, CREDITS:**

**CRW 2300 Introduction to Poetry Writing (3 CREDITS)**

This course will serve as an introduction to writing and workshopping original poetry as well as crafting critical responses to aesthetically informative examples of poetry writing. The class will study poetry as a genre and explore a variety of poetic schools, forms and techniques. The term project will consist of a protfolio of poems, the parameters of which will be determined by the instructor. This course has a substantial writing requirement, but writers of all levels and experience are welcome.

1. **PREREQUISITES FOR THIS COURSE:**

None or list prerequisites

**CO-REQUISITES FOR THIS COURSE:**

None or list co-requistes

1. **GENERAL COURSE INFORMATION:** Topic Outline.

• An exploration of the techniques and forms of poetry through creative and critical exercises.

* The study of acclaimed works of poetry to cultivate a nuanced understaning of the craft.
* Frequent in-class workshops to help students develop a critical lexicon and critique their own work.
* The composition of individual poems and the creation of a broader portfolio over the course of the semester.

1. **All courses at Florida SouthWestern State College contribute to the general education program by meeting one or more of the following general education competencies:**

**C**ommunicate clearly in a variety of modes and media.

**R**esearch and examine academic and non-academic information, resources, and evidence.

**E**valuate and utilize mathematical principles, technology, scientific and quantitative data.

**A**nalyze and create individual and collaborative works of art, literature, and performance.

**T**hink critically about questions to yield meaning and value.

**I**nvestigate and engage in the transdisciplinary applications of research, learning, and knowledge.

**V**isualize and engage the world from different historical, social, religious, and cultural approaches.

**E**ngage meanings of active citizenship in one’s community, nation, and the world.

**A.**  **General Education Competencies and Course Outcomes**

1. Listed here are the course outcomes/objectives assessed in this course which play an *integral* part in contributing to the student’s general education along with the general education competency it supports.

General Education Competency: **Analyze**

Course Outcomes or Objectives Supporting the General Education Competency Selected:

* Students will demonstrate a growing mastery of the basic elements and structure of poetry.
* Students will develop a nuanced grasp of poetic forms and genres, both traditional and contemporary.
* Students will analyze works of poetry and create a portfolio of creative work in response to them.
* Students must show the ability to edit and revise their own creative work.

**B.** **In accordance with Florida Statute 1007.25 concerning the state’s general education core course requirements, this course meets the general education competencies for communication.**

* Students will demonstrate the ability to communicate effectively.
* Students will demonstrate the ability to critically analyze the compose various forms of written communication.

1. **DISTRICT-WIDE POLICIES:**

**Programs for Students with Disabilities**

Florida SouthWestern State College, in accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act and the College’s guiding principles, offers students with documented disabilities programs to equalize access to the educational process. Students needing to request an accommodation in this class due to a disability, or who suspect that their academic performance is affected by a disability should contact the Office of Adaptive Services at the nearest campus. The office locations and telephone numbers for the Office of Adaptive Services at each campus can be found at <http://www.fsw.edu/adaptiveservices>.

**REPORTING TITLE IX VIOLATIONS**

Florida SouthWestern State College, in accordance with Title IX and the Violence Against Women Act, has established a set of procedures for reporting and investigating Title IX violations including sexual misconduct.  Students who need to report an incident or need to receive support regarding an incident should contact the Equity Officer at [equity@fsw.edu](mailto:equity@fsw.edu).  Incoming students are encouraged to participate in the Sexual Violence Prevention training offered online.  Additional information and resources can be found on the College’s website at <http://www.fsw.edu/sexualassault>.

1. **REQUIREMENTS FOR THE STUDENTS:**

List specific course assessments such as class participation, tests, homework assignments, make-up procedures, etc.

1. **ATTENDANCE POLICY:**

The professor’s specific policy concerning absence. (The College policy on attendance is in the Catalog, and defers to the professor.)

1. **GRADING POLICY:**

Include numerical ranges for letter grades; the following is a range commonly used by many faculty:

| 90 - 100 | = | A |
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| 80 - 89 | = | B |
| 70 - 79 | = | C |
| 60 - 69 | = | D |
| Below 60 | = | F |

(Note: The “incomplete” grade [“I”] should be given only when unusual circumstances warrant. An “incomplete” is not a substitute for a “D,” “F,” or “W.” Refer to the policy on “incomplete grades.)

1. **REQUIRED COURSE MATERIALS:**

(In correct bibliographic format.)

1. **RESERVED MATERIALS FOR THE COURSE:**

Other special learning resources.

1. **CLASS SCHEDULE:**

This section includes assignments for each class meeting or unit, along with scheduled Library activities and other scheduled support, including scheduled tests.

1. **ANY OTHER INFORMATION OR CLASS PROCEDURES OR POLICIES:**

(Which would be useful to the students in the class.)