Course Number

EGL-099-01

Course Description

This course is a basic survey of the most historically and culturally important book in the world. Actually, the Bible is not a single book, but a complex anthology of many different genres, including history, legend, myth, law, poetry, prophecy, philosophy, and an astonishing variety of religious texts, from passionate prayers to bitter complaints against God, composed over the course of something like a thousand years. In addition to reading the most essential parts of the Old and New Testaments, we will also examine some of the countless ways that the Bible has left an imprint on modern western and American life. No previous acquaintance with the Bible is required.

Academic Term

20/FA

Instructor

Jenkins, Hugh

Location & Meeting Time

Karp Hall-005+ M/W/F 08:00AM-09:05AM LEC

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Credits

1.00

Capacity

30

Total Students

18

Additional Information

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Common Curriculum

HUL Literature

HUM Arts & Humanities

Interdisciplinary Programs

Religious Studies

Academic Department

English

Field Of Study

English (EGL)