882 **Contemporary Theories of Rhetoric**

Spring of even years. 3(3-0) R: Open only to Ph.D. students in Rhetoric and Writing and masters students in Digital Rhetoric and Professional Writing and graduate students in the Department of English.

Modern, postmodern, and contemporary rhetoric theories and their impact on writing and writing instruction. Cultural studies, critical theory, feminist discourse theory, rhetorical ethics, visual rhetoric, digital and media theory.

Research Colloquium 885

Fall, Spring. 2(2-0) A student may earn a maximum of 24 credits in all enrollments for this course. R: Open only to Ph.D. students in Rhetoric and Writing and masters students in Digital Rhetoric and Professional Writing.

Professional development seminar focused on developing research skills, designing research projects, and preparing publications and conference presentations.

890 Independent Study

Fall, Spring, Summer. 1 to 6 credits. A student may earn a maximum of 24 credits in all enrollments for this course. R: Approval of college.

Special projects, directed reading, and research arranged by an individual graduate student and a faculty member in areas supplementing regular course offerings

Special Topics in Arts and Humanities 891

Fall, Spring. 3(3-0) A student may earn a maximum of 24 credits in all enrollments for this course. R: Approval of college.

Special topics supplementing regular course offerings, proposed by faculty on a group study basis.

892 Seminar

Fall, Spring. 3(3-0) A student may earn a maximum of 12 credits in all enrollments for this course. R: Open only to graduate students in Arts and Letters.

Directed original research and its presentation. Current topics in Arts and Letters.

893 Museum Internship

Fall, Spring, Summer. 2 to 3 credits. A student may earn a maximum of 6 credits in all enrollments for this course. Interdepartmental with History of Art. Administered by Department of Art and Art History, R: Open only to juniors or seniors or graduate students

Activities, functions and organization of a museum.

Internship in African American and African Studies I

Fall, Spring, Summer. 1 to 2 credits. RB: Courses in African American and African Studies. R: Open to students in African American and African Studies.

Supervised field work in an African American organization or institution. Direct and practical involvement in the community.

Internship in Professional Writing

Spring. 3 to 6 credits. A student may earn a maximum of 6 credits in all enrollments for this course. R: Permission of instructor reauired

Internship in a corporate, organizational, or publishing setting. Classroom discussion of workplace issues and documents.

Internship in African American and African Studies II

Fall, Spring, Summer. 1 to 2 credits. RB: Courses in African American and African Studies R: Open to students in African American and African Studies.

Supervised field work in a Black organization or institution outside of the United States. Direct and practical involvement in a community outside of the

893D Internship in Literacy and Pedagogy

Fall, Spring, Summer. 1 to 3 credits. A student may earn a maximum of 6 credits in all enrollments for this course. R: Open only to graduate students in the Critical Studies in Literacy and Pedagogy major. Approval of college

Supervised graduate practicums, observations, or internships in secondary or college writing and literacy classrooms

Master's Research

Fall, Spring, Summer. 1 to 3 credits. A student may earn a maximum of 3 credits in all enrollments for this course.

Directed research in support of Plan B Master's program requirements

Master's Thesis Research

Fall, Spring, Summer. 1 to 6 credits. A student may earn a maximum of 15 credits in all enrollments for this course.

Directed research leading to a master's thesis, used in partial fulfillment of plan A master's degree re-

980 Studies in Rhetoric

Spring. 3(3-0) A student may earn a maximum of 6 credits in all enrollments for this course. R: Open only to doctoral students in the College of Arts and Letters, the College of Education or approval of college. SA: **FNG 980**

Theories of rhetoric in historical and cultural context. Seminar topics variable by term.

Seminar in Language Literacy and Pedogogy Fall. 3(3-0) A student may earn a maximum

of 9 credits in all enrollments for this course. R: Open only to doctoral students in the College of Arts and Letters or College of Education or approval of college. SA: ENG 992A

Teaching English literature, language, and composi-

999 **Doctoral Dissertation Research**

Fall, Spring, Summer. 1 to 12 credits. A student may earn a maximum of 50 credits in all enrollments for this course.

Doctoral dissertation research.

ASIAN LANGUAGES ASN

Department of Linguistics and Germanic, Slavic, **Asian and African** Languages College of Arts and Letters

Independent Study

Fall, Spring, Summer. 1 to 6 credits. A student may earn a maximum of 9 credits in all enrollments for this course. R: Approval of department.

Special projects in an Asian Languages arranged by an individual student and a faculty member in areas supplementing regular course offerings.

291 Special Topics in Asian Languages

Fall. 1 to 4 credits. A student may earn a maximum of 8 credits in all enrollments for this course. Not open to students with credit in ASN 491

Special topics supplementing regular course offerings proposed by faculty on a group study basis.

East Asian Cultures (W) 401

Fall. 3(3-0) A student may earn a maximum of 6 credits in all enrollments for this course. P: (IAH 211B) and completion of Tier I writing requirement. SA: AL 401

Selected topics in the history and culture of China, Japan, and Korea. Topics vary.

Studies in the Literature of Asia and the 464 Asian Diaspora (W)

Spring. 3(3-0) A student may earn a maximum of 9 credits in all enrollments for this course. Interdepartmental with English. P: Completion of Tier I writing requirement.

Selected writers, genres, themes, or regions in Asian and Asian diasporic literature.

Independent Study 490

Fall, Spring, Summer. 1 to 6 credits. A student may earn a maximum of 9 credits in all enrollments for this course. R: Open only to juniors or seniors. Approval of department.

Special projects in Asian Languages arranged by an individual student and a faculty member in areas supplementing regular course offerings.

Special Topics in Asian Languages

Fall, Spring. 1 to 6 credits. A student may earn a maximum of 9 credits in all enrollments for this course. R: Open only to juniors or seniors. Approval of department.

Special topics supplementing regular course offerings proposed by faculty on a group study basis.

ASTRONOMY AND AST **ASTROPHYSICS**

Department of Physics and Astronomy **College of Natural Science**

The Celestial Clockworks

Spring. 1(1-0)
Relationship between ancient skylore and timekeeping. Establishment of a calendar and celestial navigation. Development of the Greek horoscope as a time recorder and coordinate system.

207 The Science of Astronomy

Fall. 3(3-0) P: (PHY 231 or concurrently or PHY 231B or concurrently or ISP 205 or concurrently or PHY 181B or concurrently or PHY 183 or concurrently or PHY 183B or concurrently or LBS 271 or concurrently or PHY 231C or concurrently) and (MTH 116 or concurrently or MTH 114 or concurrently or LBS 117 or concurrently) Not open to students with credit in AST 201.

In-depth study of one topic in astronomy with emphasis on key discoveries. Topics may be cosmology, the solar system, and the life of stars. Observing with portable telescopes.

208

Planets and Telescopes Spring. 3(2-2) P: (PHY 183 or PHY 183B or PHY 193H) and (MTH 132 or MTH 152H or LBS 118) RB: (AST 207) Not open to students with credit in AST 303.

Origin and nature of the solar system. Planets of the solar system and other star systems. Determination of time and celestial coordinates. Astronomical instruments and observational methods.

Junior Research Seminar 301

Fall, Spring. 1(1-0) P: Completion of Tier I writing requirement.

Preparation and presentation of a review paper on a current topic in astronomy or astrophysics.

Planetary System Astronomy 303

Fall of even years. 3(3-0) P: (PHY 183 or PHY 193H or PHY 183B) and (MTH 132 or MTH 152H or LBS 118) SA: AST 201

Origin and nature of the solar system. Planets of the solar system and other star systems. Asteroids, meteorites, and comets. Determination of time and celestial coordinates.

304 Stars

Fall of even years. 3(3-0) P: (AST 208) and (PHY 215) and (PHY 321 or concurrently) SA: AST 401

Physical processes that determine the structure and evolution of stars. Observations of stars and star clusters. Spectra of stars.

307 The Milky Way

Fall of odd years. 3(3-0) P: (PHY 183 or PHY 193H or PHY 183B) and (MTH 132 or MTH 152H or LBS 118) SA: AST 202

Structure and history of the Milky Way Galaxy. Stellar populations. Interstellar medium.

308

Galaxies and Cosmology Spring of odd years. 3(3-0) P: (AST 208) and (PHY 215) and (PHY 321 or concurrently) SA: AST 402

The Milky Way. Structure and content of galaxies.

Active galaxies and quasars. The expanding universe. Modern cosmological models.

Directed Studies

Fall, Spring, Summer. 1 to 3 credits. A student may earn a maximum of 4 credits in all enrollments for this course. R: Approval of department.

Individual study or project in astronomy or astrophysics under the direction of a faculty member.

Observational Astronomy

Spring. 1(0-2) P: (AST 303 or AST 307) Basic observational techniques in astronomy. Stellar photometry and spectroscopy.

410 **Senior Thesis**

Fall, Spring, Summer. 1 to 4 credits. A student may earn a maximum of 5 credits in all enrollments for this course. P: (AST 301) and completion of Tier I writing requirement.

Design and execute an original experiment or computation. A written and oral report of the research is required.

800 **Research Methods**

Fall, Spring, Summer. 3(3-0) A student may earn a maximum of 12 credits in all enrollments for this course. RB: (AST 801)

Apprenticeship in astrophysical research. Student will work closely with faculty member to learn research techniques.

801 Introduction to Astrophysics

Fall. 3(3-0)

Survey of contemporary astrophysics. Stellar evolution, the structure of the Milky Way, the properties of external galaxies, and cosmology.

Techniques of Modern Astrophysics

Fall, Spring. 3 credits. RB: (AST 801)

Students are introduced to modern astrophysics through participation in short projects involving literature surveys, professional planning, and research in observational, theoretical, and computational astrophysics.

Research Project

Fall, Spring. 3(0-3) A student may earn a maximum of 6 credits in all enrollments for this course.

Research project to be completed under the guidance of an astronomy faculty member.

Radiation Astrophysics

Fall of odd years. 3(3-0)

Transfer of radiation through plasmas and processes for emission and absorption of photons. Interpretation of the spectra of stars, the interstellar . medium, and galaxies.

Advanced Topics in Astrophysics

Fall, Spring. 3(3-0) A student may earn a maximum of 9 credits in all enrollments for this course. RB: (AST 801)

Advanced work in a specialized astrophysical topic.

825 **Galactic Astronomy**

Spring of odd years. 3(3-0)

The Milky Way as a galaxy. Observations and techniques of theoretical analysis that are used to discover the features of our galaxy.

835 **Extragalactic Astronomy**

Fall of even years. 3(3-0)

Galaxies beyond the Milky Way. Large-scale structure of the universe. Cosmology.

840 Stellar Astrophysics

Spring of even years. 3(3-0)

Physics of stellar interiors. Methods for calculating stellar models. Principles of stellar evolution.

Electrodynamics of Plasmas

Spring of odd years. 3(3-0) Interdepartmental with Electrical and Computer Engineering; Physics. Administered by Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering. RB: (ECE 835 or PHY 488) SA: EE 850

Plasma kinetic and macroscopic plasma transport theory. Electromagnetic wave propagation and charged particle diffusion processes in plasma. Electromagnetic energy absorption via elastic and inelastic collisions. Dc, rf, and microwave discharges.

860 **Gravitational Astrophysics**

Fall. 3(3-0) A student may earn a maximum of 6 credits in all enrollments for this course. RB: (PHY 820 and PHY 841)

Experimental foundations, theory, and applications of gravitational physics and general relativity. Tests of the equivalence principle, modern solar system tests of general relativity, Schwarzschild metric, Hawking effect, Einstein's field equations.

861

Cosmology
Spring. 3(3-0) R: Open only to graduate students in the Department of Physics and Astronomy. SA: AST 860A

Current research in cosmology: observational basis for the Big Bang, the cosmic background radiation, primordial nucleosynthesis, content and distribution of matter, cosmic geometry, growth of perturbations.

899 Master's Thesis Research

Fall, Spring, Summer. 1 to 6 credits. A student may earn a maximum of 36 credits in all enrollments for this course. R: Open only to graduate students in Astronomy and As-

MS Thesis Research

Doctoral Dissertation Research

Fall, Spring, Summer. 1 to 24 credits. A student may earn a maximum of 120 credits in all enrollments for this course. R: Open only to doctoral students in Astronomy and Astrophysics.

Doctoral dissertation research.

AUDIOLOGY AND ASC SPEECH SCIENCES

Department of Audiology and Speech Sciences **College of Communication** Arts and Sciences

203 **Introduction to Communication Sciences** and Disorders

Fall, Spring. 3(3-0) Not open to students with credit in ASC 403.

Survey of research and practice regarding speech, hearing and language disorders in children and

Anatomy and Physiology of the Speech 214 and Hearing Mechanism

Fall. 4(3-2) P: (ASC 203 or concurrently) Structural and functional analyses of the central and peripheral auditory mechanisms, and of the respiratory, phonatory, and articulatory mechanisms for speech.

Descriptive Phonetics 232

Fall, Spring. 2(1-2)

Principles of speech production. Transcription of speech using the International Phonetic Alphabet.