

英美经典散文选读（1）课程教学大纲

课程基本信息 (Course Information)					
课程代码 (Course Code)	EN441	*学时 (Credit Hours)	32	*学分 (Credits)	2
*课程名称 (Course Name)	英美经典散文选读（1）				
	A Selected Reading of British and American Essays I				
课程性质 (Course Type)	必修课 Compulsory Course				
授课对象 (Audience)	本科生大四年级 Senior Students of English Major				
授课语言 (Language of Instruction)	英语 English				
*开课院系 (School)	外国语学院 School of Foreign Languages				
先修课程 (Prerequisite)	综合英语 Comprehensive Reading				
授课教师 (Instructor)	索宇环 Suo Yuhuan	课程网址 (Course Webpage)	cc.sjtu.edu.cn		
*课程简介 (Description)	<p>英语专业学生到了大四年级，英语水平的提升就不再体现在理解语言的字面意义了，而是理解语言的深层意义、修辞意义、言外之意。英语阅读材料，也不再局限于信息类、故事类文献，而是应该多涉及一些阐述思想、论证思想的高屋建瓴之见。英美经典散文是集语言和思想于一身的优秀文字作品，是深化大四学生英语语言能力和逻辑思维能力的最好素材。正是出于这个目的，外国语学院开设了《英美经典散文选读》课程。该课程采用节选阅读的方式，精读、细品、深究自欧洲文艺复兴以来和美国文艺复兴以来的很有影响力的散文家的代表作，题材涉及哲学、美学、文学、教育、社会、伦理、艺术等等。教学方式采取课堂讨论和课后写作的方式，让学生读懂名家的思想，然后开发自己的独立思考能力。</p>				
*课程简介 (Description)	<p>Senior students of English major are supposed to transcend the basic ability of understanding the literal meaning of the language and to aim at the ability of comprehending the deeper, subtle and rhetoric meaning of the language. And their reading material should no longer be limited to narration and description, but to expand to exposition and argumentation, works of witty and original ideas. Classical British and American essays are models of beautiful language and smart ideas, and therefore are best suitable for the purpose of senior students. Besides, Good essays are helpful to the promotion of students' persuasive use of English and logical thinking. A Selected Reading of British and American Essays is intended to serve that purpose. This is a compulsory course that recommends a selected, close, critical reading of the excerpts. The Essays were produced since the European and American Renaissance, dealing with subjects like philosophy, aesthetics, literature, education,</p>				

society, ethics, and arts. Students are required to participate in class discussions and complete written works after class. By attending this class, students can expect to command wise men's mind and cultivate creative thoughts of their own.

课程教学大纲 (course syllabus)

*学习目标
(Learning Outcomes)

1. 了解立论式散文的写作特点(A3)
2. 了解逻辑性思维的特点和修辞技巧(A5.1, A5.4)
3. 通过大量阅读, 培养理解深奥语言、创造性思想的能力(B2, C2), 开发自己的逻辑思维能力和合理论证能力 (A5.3, B3, C1)

*教学内容、进度安排及
要求
(Class Schedule
& Requirements)

教学内容	学时	教学方式	作业及要求	基本要求	考查方式
认识议论文	2	讲授	分析范文	具体、细腻	老师讲评
议论与叙事、描写、说明的结合使用	2	讲授	分析范文	讲究条理, 说明理由	老师讲评
Ralph Waldo Emerson's Essay	6	讲授	评论文章	400 词, 独立思维	老师讲评
Henry David Thoreau's Essay	4	讲授	评论文章	400 词, 独立思维	学生互评
Mark Twain's Essay	4	讲授	评论文章	400 词, 独立思维	老师讲评
Virginia Woolf's Essay	4	讲授	评论文章	400 词, 独立思维	学生互评
E. M. Forster's Essay	4	讲授	评论文章	400 词, 独立思维	老师讲评
George Orwell's Essay	6	讲授	评论文章	400 词, 独立思维	学生互评
Susan Sontag's Essay	6	讲授	评论文章	400 词, 独立思维	老师讲评
Matthew Arnold's Essay	6	讲授	评论文章	400 词, 独立思维	学生互评
W. E. B. Du Bois's Essay	4	讲授	评论文章	400 词, 独立思维	老师讲评

*考核方式
(Grading)

平时成绩 50%, 期末成绩 50%

*教材或参考资料 (Textbooks & Other Materials)	《英美经典散文鉴赏》，周保国，武汉大学出版社，2010年，第一版，ISBN: 9787307079892
其它 (More)	
备注 (Notes)	

备注说明：

1. 带*内容为必填项。
2. 课程简介字数为 300-500 字；课程大纲以表述清楚教学安排为宜，字数不限。