Directed Studies Spring 2021

# Schedule of Papers, Colloquia, and Gallery Talks

Papers are due on Fridays at a time and in a format determined by your instructor. Colloquia begin at 4 pm and conclude at 5:30. Virtual events will have login details sent to your Yale email closer to the time. More events will be added throughout the semester. Dates and times of events highlighted in yellow have yet to be fully confirmed. You can find the latest calendar updates for DS here: <https://calendar.google.com/calendar/u/0?cid=dTdxa2MxMzZ1OTQ1aGZlYWUwbjZicGVkb3NAZ3JvdXAuY2FsZW5kYXIuZ29vZ2xlLmNvbQ>

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| Week 1 of Feb 1 | Mon, Feb 1: classes begin  No paper! |
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| Week 2 of Feb 8 | Tue, Feb 9, 5.15pm: Live virtual tour of YUAG’s Wertele Center, discussion of politics of museum storage with Dr. Roksana Filipowska  Fri, Feb 12: Paper due (H&P 1)  Fri, Feb 12: 4pm: DSers social event hosted by UTAs  Sun, Feb 14, 1pm: DS current student panel for *YHR*: “Transitions” |
| Week 3 of Feb 15 | Fri, Feb 19: Paper due (Philosophy 1) |
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| Week 4 of Feb 22 | **Mon, Feb 22: break day**  Fri, Feb 26: Paper due (Literature 1) |
| Week 5 of March 1 | Wed, March 3, 4pm: Ancient Chinese poetry talk with Mick Hunter  Fri, March 5: Paper due (H&P 2)  Fri, March 5: DSers Netflix viewing social event hosted by UTAs |
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| Week 6 of March 8 | **Tue, March 9: break day**  Wed, March 10: Colloquium with Margaret Litvin, 4pm  Friday, March 12, 6pm: screening of “What Is Democracy?” by Astra Taylor  No Paper! |
| Week 7 of March 15 | Tue, March 16, 5.45pm: Q&A with Astra Taylor, Terry Renaud about democracy, filmmaking, and activism  Fri, March 19: Paper due (Philosophy 2) |
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| Week 8 of March 22 | **Wed, March 24: break day**  No paper! |

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| Week 9 of Mar 29 | ~~CANCELLED: , March 30, 4pm: Yale Center of British Art (YCBA) curator Scott Wilcox discussion of Constable and Turner paintings~~  ~~Fri, April 2: Paper due (Literature 2)~~ Moved to Wed, Apr 7 |
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| Week 10 of April 5 | Tue, Apr 6: Colloquium with Zena Hitz, 4pm  Wed, Apr 7: Paper due (Literature 2)  **Thurs, Apr 8: break day**  Fri, April 9, 4pm: DS panel for prospective students |
| Week 11 of Apr 12 | Wed, Apr 14, 5.30pm: The Problem of Evil: Dualism in the Zoroastrian Tradition (ReDirected Studies)  Fri, Apr 16: Paper due (H&P 3) |
| Week 12 of Apr 19 | Tue, Apr 20 at 5.15pm: DS Art Gallery talk: African-American material culture of the Civil War and Reconstruction, with John Stuart Gordon, Curator of American Decorative Arts  Thurs, Apr 22 at 5pm: Reading across traditions with Professors Harte and Lu (ReDirected Studies)  **Fri, April 23: break day**  No paper! |
| Week 13 of Apr 26 | Tue, April 27, 4pm: YCBA curator Scott Wilcox discussion of Wiliam Blake poetry and paintings  Fri, Apr 30: Paper due (Philosophy 3) |
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| Week 14 of May 3 | Mon, May 3, 4pm: Art & Music event with Ellen Handler Spitz  Fri, May 7: Paper due (Literature 3) |

Week of May 10 Reading week

Week of May 17 Exams TBA