

# Paideia

## SPRING 2007 Common Syllabus

### SPRING 2007 READING LIST:

*Students should purchase their own copies of the assigned readings that are not reprinted in the Paideia I Reader. In addition, the Paideia I faculty require that students own a good hardback dictionary such as The American Heritage, The Random House, or The Webster's New Collegiate.*

- Davis, Natalie Zemon. *The Return of Martin Guerre*. Cambridge: Harvard UP, 1983.
- Kane, Cheikh H. *Ambiguous Adventure*. Tr. Katherine Woods. New Hampshire: Heineman, 1963.
- Keller, Evelyn Fox. *A Feeling for the Organism: The Life and Work of Barbara McClintock*. New York: Henry Holt & Company, 1984.
- Lunsford, Andrea A. *Easy Writer: A Pocket Guide*. 3rd ed. New York: Bedford/St. Martin's, 2006.
- *Paideia I Reader: Spring 2007*. Ed. Storm Bailey. Decorah, IA: Luther College, 2007.
- Readings
- Laur Larsen. "The Norwegian Luther College in Decorah," from *Kirkelig Maanedstidende*, 1868. *Paideia I Reader* 3-13.
- Plato. *The Apology, Phaedo and Crito of Plato* Trans. Benjamin Jowett. New York. P.F. Collier & Son, 1909. 3-29. *Paideia I Reader* 14-40.
- Plato. *The Republic* Trans. Francis MacDonald Cornford. Oxford UP: London, 1941; New York, 1945. "The Allegory of the Cave" 227-35. *Paideia I Reader* 41-49.
- Ibn Khaldun. *The Muqaddimah: An Introduction to History*. Princeton University Press, 1974. 333-459. *Paideia I Reader* 50-176.
- John Henry Newman. *The Idea of a University*. New York: Longmans, Green and Co., 1921. "Christianity and Scientific Investigation" 456-479. *Paideia I Reader* 177-200.

SPRING 2007 SYLLABUS: "How and why have people attempted to discover the truth?"

**Wednesday, January 31 (Week I)**

- *Study Guide* (12-16)
- Introduction
- Laur. Larsen. *The Norwegian Luther College in Decorah* (Reader 3-13)

**Friday, February 2**

- *Study Guide* (16-17)
- Research Unit (Your instructor will provide a detailed syllabus for your section's Research Unit.)

**Monday, February 5 (Week II)**

- Research Unit

**Wednesday, February 7**

- Research Unit

**Friday, February 9**

- Research Unit

**Monday, February 12 (Week III)**

- Research Unit

**Wednesday, February 14**

- Research Unit

**Friday, February 16**

- Research Unit

**Monday, February 19 (Week IV)**

- Research Unit

**Wednesday, February 21**

- Research Unit

**Friday, February 23**

- Research Unit

**Monday, February 26 (Week V)**

- Research Unit

**Wednesday, February 28**

- Lecture: *The Return of Martin Guerre* and the Historians Labor
- *Study Guide* (17-19)

**Friday, March 2**

- *Study Guide* (19-20)
- *Return of Martin Guerre*, Chs. 1-4 (1-41)

**Sunday, March 4**

- Distinguished Lecture: Tracy Kidder (4 p.m. CFL)
- *Study Guide* (20)

**Monday, March 5 (Week VI)**

- *Study Guide* (21)
- *Return of Martin Guerre*, Chs. 5-8 (42-81)

**Wednesday, March 7**

- *Study Guide* (21-22)
- *Return of Martin Guerre*, Chs. 9-12 and Epilogue (82-125)
- Research Paper due

**Friday, March 9**

- Lecture: Plato

**Monday, March 12 (Week VII)**

- *Study Guide* (22-24)
- “The Apology of Socrates,” *The Apology, Phaedo and Crito of Plato* (Reader 14-40)

**Wednesday, March 14**

- *Study Guide* (24-27)
- “Allegory of the Cave,” *The Republic* (Reader 41-49)

**Friday, March 16**

- Review Plato readings: *Study Guide*, *Apology* and “Allegory of the Cave”

**Saturday, March 17 — Sunday, March 25**

- Spring Vacation

**Monday, March 26**

- Lecture: ibn Khaldun's *The Muqaddimah*
- *Study Guide* (27-32)
- *The Muqaddimah: An Introduction to History*, 333-375 (Reader 50-92)

**Wednesday, March 28**

- *Study Guide* (32-33)
- *The Muqaddimah: An Introduction to History*, 375-411 (Reader 92-128)

**Friday, March 30**

- *Study Guide* (33-35)
- *The Muqaddimah: An Introduction to History*, 411-459 (Reader 128-176)

**Monday, April 2 (Week IX)**

- Common Quiz 1 and Midsemester Exam

**Wednesday, April 4**

- *Study Guide* (36-38)
- *Idea of a University*, "Lecture 8: Christianity and Scientific Investigation" (Reader 177-200)

**Friday, April 6 — Monday, April 9**

- Easter Vacation

**Wednesday, April 11 (Week X)**

- Review *Idea of a University*, "Lecture 8: Christianity and Scientific Investigation" (Reader 177-200)

**Friday, April 13**

- Lecture: Science and the Scientific Community
- *Study Guide* (38-40)
- *A Feeling for the Organism* (xi-xxiii; Ch. 1, 1-14)

**Monday, April 16 (Week XI)**

- *Study Guide* (40-41)
- *A Feeling for the Organism* (Chs. 2-4, 16-77)

**Wednesday, April 18**

- *Study Guide* (41)
- *A Feeling for the Organism* (Chs. 5-8, 79-138)

**Friday, April 20**

- *Study Guide* (41)
- *A Feeling for the Organism* (Chs. 9-12, 139-207)

**Monday, April 23 (Week XII)**

- Lecture: *Ambiguous Adventure*
- *Study Guide* (42-44)

**Wednesday, April 25**

- *Study Guide* (44)
- *Ambiguous Adventure* (1-61)

**Friday, April 27**

- Paper Workshop

**Monday, April 30 (Week XIII)**

- *Study Guide* (45)
- *Ambiguous Adventure* (62-118)

**Wednesday, May 2**

- *Study Guide* (45-46)
- *Ambiguous Adventure* (119-178)

**Friday, May 4**

- Lecture: Final

**Monday, May 7 (Week XIV)**

- Research Presentations

**Wednesday, May 9**

- Final discussion meeting

**Friday, May 11**

- Reading Day

**Saturday, May 12 - Wednesday, May 16**

- Final Exam and Common Quiz 2