
Assignments:
Each week we will read 1 chapter of the *Little Brown Compact Handbook*. 
Each week: 1 essay and the revised essay from the previous week

Assignment 1, due Wednesday, September 16:
2. Kafka, *A Hunger Artist* (Handout)
3. Explain the difficulties of the Kafka story, in a two page mini-essay. If you can answer these difficulties, do.

Grading system: Weekly essays: 100 marks
Weekly revisions 20
Portfolio 20
Final exam 60
100

Note 1: all course material will be posted on Learn.
Note 2: the Portfolio will consist of all the essays you have written, both the original and revised copies.
Academic Integrity

**Academic Integrity:** To maintain a culture of academic integrity, members of the University of Waterloo are expected to promote honesty, trust, fairness, respect and responsibility.

**Discipline:** A student is expected to know what constitutes academic integrity, to avoid committing academic offences, and to take responsibility for his/her actions. A student who is unsure whether an action constitutes an offence, or who needs help in learning how to avoid offences (e.g., plagiarism, cheating) or about “rules” for group work/collaboration should seek guidance from the course professor, academic advisor, or the Undergraduate Associate Dean. When misconduct has been found to have occurred, disciplinary penalties will be imposed under Policy 71 – Student Discipline. For information on categories of offenses and types of penalties, students should refer to Policy 71 - Student Discipline.

**Other sources of information for students**
Academic integrity (Arts) Academic Integrity Office (uWaterloo)

**Grievance:** A student who believes that a decision affecting some aspect of his/her university life has been unfair or unreasonable may have grounds for initiating a grievance. Read Policy 70 - Student Petitions and Grievances, Section 4.

**Appeals:** A student may appeal the finding and/or penalty in a decision made under Policy 70 - Student Petitions and Grievances (other than regarding a petition) or Policy 71 - Student Discipline if a ground for an appeal can be established. Read Policy 72 - Student Appeals.

Accommodation for Students with Disabilities

**Note for students with disabilities:** The AccessAbility Services office, located in Needles Hall Room 1132, collaborates with all academic departments to arrange appropriate accommodations for students with disabilities without compromising the academic integrity of the curriculum. If you require academic accommodations to lessen the impact of your disability, please register with the AS office at the beginning of each academic term.