English 190: Shakespeare

Time: MWF 10:30
Place: AL 124
Office hrs: MWF 9:30-10:30; 2:30-5:00 or by appointment
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Texts:
- *King Lear*
- *A Midsummer Night's Dream*
- *Othello*
- *The Taming of the Shrew*
- *Richard the Third*
- *A Winter's Tale*

Assignments:

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Schedule:

- Jan 05 Wed: Introduction
- 07 Fri: *King Lear* (+ Sonnets 121 & 129)
- 19 Wed: *A Midsummer Night's Dream* (+ sonnets 18 & 27)
- Jan 31 Mon: *Othello* (+ sonnets 30 & 130)
- Feb 21 Mon: *The Taming of the Shrew* (+ sonnets 29 & 55)
- Mar 06 Mon: *King Richard the Third* (+ sonnets 94 & 52)
- 15 Wed: *A Winter's Tale*

Sonnets:

121 'Tis better to be vile than vile esteemed
129 Th' expense of spirit in a waste of shame

18 Shall I compare thee to a summer's day
27 Weary with toil, I haste me to my bed,

30 When to the sessions of sweet silent thought
130 My mistress' eyes are nothing like the sun

29 When, in disgrace with Fortune and men's eyes
55 Not marble nor the gilded monuments

94 They that have power to hurt, and will do none
52 So am I as the rich, whose blessed key