

## Course Syllabus Revision\*

**Course: French 9457B**

**Section: 001**

**Professor: Servanne Woodward**

**Term: Winter 2020**

### Revision Date:

Western University's decision to move all undergraduate classes online beginning Wednesday, March 18 2020, has resulted in the following revisions for the course specified below. This document provides a summary of these revisions. It also clarifies how the grading scheme for this course will be altered in order to deal with the move to online delivery of remaining course content and the university's decision, announced on March 13, 2020, that there would be no in-person final exams. This document serves as a formal revision to the course outline. Any revisions to the grading scheme supersede previously agreed-upon course requirements. \*\*Please be aware that this remains a fluid situation, there may be further revisions necessary. Any further revisions will be posted to OWL and will supersede previous versions. \*\*

The revised assessment scheme is based on students having completed all of the work to date. Students who have academic consideration for previous assignments (missed midterm or test), will need to contact the instructor for information about how their specific situation is being dealt with. Students in this situation should be aware that this information may not be immediately available as of March 18. Please be patient as your instructors and TAs work to ensure you have the opportunity to complete your courses in a timely and successful manner.

Week of...	Original course content and delivery	Revised course content and delivery
March 9–15	Voltaire	Done
March 16–22	<b>Diderot and the colonial context/ application of theory of heat and Buffon-Montesquieu/ Rousseau and the political concept of</b>	Diderot done (we were a bit ahead of time)-the rest on owl posted

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	<b>friendship (//Montesquieu) on fiction mode</b>	
March 23–29	Course on Mme de Stael	Will be on OWL (working on it)
March 30–April 3	Course on Mme de Stael	On owl (working on it)

**Original course assessments (weighting should equal 100%)**

Component	Format	Weighting	Original Due Date	Completed?
Travail sur table	In class	25%	3 mars	done
Expose	In class	25%		One done
Presence participation	In class	15%	April 3	Almost 75% done
Final	Research work 12 to 15 pages .12	35%	April 8	no

**Revised course assessments (weighting should equal 100%)\*\***

Component	Format	Weighting	Revised Due Date and Notes (including submission instructions)
Travail sur table	In class	25%	3 mars done
Expose	Average of next best class written exams (surprise tests) except for Florian who did his	25%	Done
Presence and participation	The 75% completed will be reweighed to complete the 15%	15%	Done
Final	Research work 12-15 pages .12	35%	April 17

\* This schedule is considered binding as of March 17 2020

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\*\* Any revisions to this document including course content and/or assessments will be communicated as appropriate.

\*\*\* Note that previously completed assessments may have been re-weighted.

Approval, Chair (Interim), Department of French Studies: Karin Schwerdtner [signature / date] \_\_\_\_\_