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COURSE NUMBER: English 239 H5F

COURSE TITLE: Fantasy and Horror

COURSE DESCRIPTION:

This course explores speculative fiction, the magical, the supernatural, and the horrific. Subgenres may include alternative history, animal fantasy, epic fantasy, the Gothic, fairy tales, magic realism, sword and sorcery and vampire fiction.

REQUIRED READING: (available at the UTM bookstore)

J. R. Tolkien, *The Hobbit*

Anne Rice, *Interview with the Vampire*

Course Pack (available at photoduplicating in the South Building)

FIRST THREE TEXTS/AUTHORS TO BE STUDIED:

Beowulf; Todorov; Lovecraft

METHOD OF INSTRUCTION: Lecture and Discussion

METHOD OF EVALUATION: Essays, tests, and exam

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