

English Literature 2011
School of English, Trinity College Dublin

This course will provide an introduction to major authors of poetry, drama and prose through close examination of selected texts, chosen from among those prescribed for the Leaving Certificate in 2012. The course will be of special interest to teachers and pupils preparing for the examination but the lectures will be directed towards a more general audience as well.

Date, time and place: There will be ten weekly lectures beginning on Tuesday, 11 October 2011 at 7:00 p.m., in the Edmund Burke Theatre, Arts Building Trinity College Dublin.

Course director: Dr Brendan O'Connell

1. October 11: William Shakespeare, *Hamlet* (Amanda Piesse) **sold out**
2. October 18: Jane Austen, *Emma* (Darryl Jones)
3. October 25: Seamus Heaney, Selected poems (Gerald Dawe) **sold out**
4. November 1: Thomas Hardy, *Tess of the D'Urbervilles*
(Jarlath Killeen)
5. November 8: J.G. Ballard, *Empire of the Sun* (Mark O'Connell)
6. November 15: Brian Friel, *Dancing at Lughnasa* (Nicholas Grene)
7. November 22: Sylvia Plath, Selected poems (Stephen Matterson)
sold out
8. November 29: Philip Larkin, Selected poems (Philip Coleman) **sold out**
9. December 6: William Shakespeare, *Hamlet* **Repeat Lecture**
(Amanda Piesse) **sold out**
10. December 13: F. Scott Fitzgerald, *The Great Gatsby*
(Stephen Matterson)

How to apply: Return the application form with the fee to: The Secretary (Evening Lectures), Oscar Wilde Centre, 21 Westland Row, Trinity College Dublin, Dublin 2. Phone: 01-896 2885 email: oscar@tcd.ie

Fee: €50 for the entire series. Individual lectures are €5 each. A special group rate of €5 per lecture will be available to parties of 20 or more attending any one lecture. Concessionary rates for the full series will be €35 or individual lecture €5 each. **Cheques should be made payable to TCD No. 1 Account.** Only those who have pre-booked can be guaranteed admission.

Application for Evening Lecture Series

Name: _____

Address: _____

Contact phone number: _____

Email address: _____

School/College (where applicable): _____

Number of Places: _____

Lectures you would like to attend (all / numbers): _____

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Cash / cheque: _____

Date received: _____