Fall 2011
Variable Topics in Women’s Studies

Introduction to LGBT Literature
WS 3998, Section 001
Instructor: Margaret Breen

Tuesdays & Thursdays 11:00 AM – 12:15 PM
Castleman 201

This class will be held concurrently with
ENGL 3613: Introduction to LGBT Literature

We will be reading six or seven works, examples of LGBT
literature over the past 100 years. We will begin with Imre: written
in 1906, it is one of the earliest examples of gay fiction. Other
likely texts include Radclyffe Hall's The Well of Loneliness, which
met with one of the most notorious obscenity trials of the twentieth
century; James Baldwin's Giovanni's Room; Rita Mae Brown's
Rubyfruit Jungle; Jeanette Winterson's Written on the Body;
Christopher Bram's The Notorious Dr. August; and Jeffrey
Eugenides' Middlesex. Requirements: Class participation, two
papers (5-7pp; 10-12pp), and a final exam.

Please contact the
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