

# 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.

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