COURSE DESCRIPTION   ENGLISH 215 – Introduction to Women Writers

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AIM: This course aims to introduce students to a variety of women writers and the ideas, issues, creative, cultural, personal, and political concerns they explore in their work. Please note that this section of the course will look specifically at women POETS – mostly 20th & 21st Century.

TEACHING METHODS: This will be primarily a discussion-based class, with some brief lectures to put the writers and their work into perspective.

REQUIREMENTS: Close reading of a variety of texts, active participation in class discussions, some small group work, several short response papers, an informal class presentation, and a final wrap-up paper. Perhaps some quizzes.

READING LIST: To be decided, but will include several individual books of poems plus a “themed” anthology.