

## RUSS 240/543//C LIT 396//ENGL 242/550//HONORS 212

## VLADIMIR NABOKOV AND JAMES JOYCE SPRING QUARTER 2017

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## **REQUIRED BOOKS (ALL AT UBOOKSTORE):**

**NABOKOV**: *THE GIFT* (VINTAGE)

LOLITA (VINTAGE)

THE STORIES OF VLADIMIR NABOKOV (VINTAGE)

LECTURES ON LITERATURE (HARCOURT)

**COLLECTED POEMS (PENGUIN)** 

VN CRITICISM: APPROACHES TO TEACHING LOLITA (MLA; KUZMANOVICH AND DIMENT)

**JOYCE: DUBLINERS** (VIKINGS)

A PORTRAIT OF THE ARTIST AS A YOUNG MAN (VIKINGS)

**ULYSSES (VINTAGE)** 

**COLLECTED POEMS (REPRINT, 2012)** 

JJ CRITICISM: THE NEW BLOOMSDAY BOOK: A GUIDE THROUGH ULYSSES (HARRY BLAMIRES)

## **SCHEDULE:**

Week 1-2: Nabokov and Joyce as Short Story Writers and Poets

Nabokov's and Joyce's Poetry

Nabokov's Russian Stories

Joyce's *Dubliners* 

Week 3-4-5: Nabokov's and Joyce's Portraits of Artists

Nabokov, The Gift

Joyce, A Portrait of the Artist as a Young Man

Week 6-7-8-9 -10: Nabokov's and Joyce's Banned Masterpieces:

Nabokov's Lolita

Nabokov's lecture on Joyce

Joyce's *Ulysses* (selected chapters)