



الجامعة السعودية الإلكترونية
SAUDI ELECTRONIC UNIVERSITY
2011-1432

Stylistics (ENG380)

Course Syllabus

English Language and Translation Department

College of Science and Theoretical Studies

Saudi Electronic University

A: General Information

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| 1. Course Title | Stylistics |
| 2. Course Code | ENG380 |
| 3. Semester/ Year | 6 th semester – 3 rd Year |
| 4. Course credit | 3 Hours |
| 5. Course level | Level 6 |
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B: Academic Content

Course aim and objectives:

Upon successful completion of this course, students will be able to: 1- Demonstrate an understanding of the methods and theories of stylistics. 2- Uncover the layers, patterns and levels that constitute stylistic description. 3- Analyze texts beyond their formal features. 4- Develop a set of stylistic tools of their own, which can be applied to any text.

Learning Outcomes:

1. Recognize the fundamental principles and concepts of stylistics.
2. Identify linguistic levels in stylistic analysis.
3. Explain the relationship between writers' linguistic choices and readers' interpretations
4. Identify stylistic devices in various literary texts (poetry, prose fiction, and drama).
5. Analyze various types of texts using the principles and tools of stylistic analysis.

Prerequisites: ENG301

C: Timetable for sessions

Week	Date	Chapters	Students Commitments
1.	Week 0		ORIENTATION WEEK
2.	Week 1	Unit 1 : What is Stylistics?	
3.	Week 2	Unit 2 : Stylistics and Levels of Language	Quiz 1
4.	Week 3	Unit 3 : Grammar and Style	
5.	Week 4	Unit 4 : Rhythm and Meter	Assignment 1
6.	Week 5	Unit 5 : Narrative Styles	
7.	Week 6	Unit 6 : Transitivity and Stylistic Choice	Assignment 2
8.	Week 7	Unit 7 : Point of view	

9.	Week 8		MIDTERM EXAMS	
10.	Week 9		Unit 8: Speech and Thought	Discussion Board
11.	Week 10		Unit 9: Dialogue and Discourse	
12.	Week 11		Unit 10: Cognitive Stylistics	Assignment 3
13.	Week 12		Unit 10: Developments in cognitive stylistics	
14.	Week 13		Unit 11: Metaphor and Metonymy	
15.	Week 14		Unit 12: Stylistics and Verbal Humour	Quiz 2
16.	Week 15		General Revision	
17.	Week 16		FINAL EXAMS	
18.	Week 17			
19.	Week 18			

D: Course Resources

Textbooks:

Simpson, P. (2004). Stylistics: A resource book for students (2nd ed.). London and New York: Routledge.

E: Assessment

- **Assessment Overview**

Assessment Type	Due Date of Assignments	Weight
Quiz 1	Week 2	5 points
Assignment 1	Week 4	8 points
Assignment 2	Week 6	8 points
Discussion Board	Week 9	6 points
Assignment 3	Week 11	8 points
Quiz 2	Week 14	5 points
Midterm Exam	Week 8	20 points
Final Exam	Weeks 16 & 17	40 points
Total	100 points	

F: Additional Requirements

- The student must follow attendance policy that given by the university.
- The student is responsible to read all announcements that are regularly posted by the instructor.
- Any student having difficulty understanding this handout should contact the instructor for clarifications.
- For all enquiries, students should contact the instructor.