

Introducing British Studies In China

Course Description:

British Studies is growingly important ever since the foundation of British Studies Center in SISU. However, how can we define British Studies? What is the scope and boundary of British Studies? Who are the leading Chinese scholars in British Studies? What are the most influential world-class journals and societies in terms of British Studies? What are the characteristics of British Studies in China? This course aims at providing students with a general view of the British studies from Chinese perspectives. The whole course is roughly divided into 5 sub-fields: Studies of British History; Studies of British Intellectual History; Studies of British Politics and Economy; Studies of British Culture and Society; Studies of Sino-British Intercultural Communication. Every instructor shall make a thorough introduction to some academic field they are most familiar with and dedicated to. All the lectures shall focus on how British Studies evolves in every discipline and how Chinese scholars successfully conduct British studies in their interested fields.

Objectives:

With the specific introductions by instructors, students are required to form their fundamental conceptions of the scope and evolution of every research field and develop their basic interest in the most heated topics in every field. With their reading of some representative articles on certain fields, students are supposed to evaluate and assess so as to strengthen their own capacity in critical thinking. They will be encouraged to develop an inter-disciplinary approach to British Studies. As is expected by the organizer, students shall acquire a comparatively clear sense of their research interest, which, hopefully, will push them to go further in their in-depth studies of Britain.

Assessment:

Students are required to choose **1 out of 5** sub-fields as their interested research field. They shall submit a **2000-word** responsive paper on the specific topic from the field above to elucidate their original interest and how they are going to develop it.

At the end of semester, students shall submit a **3000-word** outline to clarify their strategy and method for their in-depth exploration on the topic. They are not required to submit a completed paper on any subject.

1 paper	40%
1 outline	50%
Class performance	10%

Part One Introduction to British History Studies in China

A. Society of British Studies

- 中国英国史学会
- 南京大学历史系
- 英国皇家历史学会: <http://www.royalhistoricalsociety.org/>
- 英国历史在线: <http://www.british-history.ac.uk/Default.aspx>

B. Representative Scholars

- 钱乘旦, 中国英国历史学会会长;
- 陈晓律, 南京大学欧洲研究中心主任;
- 潘兴明, 华东师范大学历史系教授;
- 阎照祥, 中国英国历史学会副会长;

- S. R. Gardiner, the author of *A Student History of England*
- T. R. Green, the author of *A Short History of the English People*
- George Macaulay Trevelyan, the author of *A History of England*
- Harry Dickinson, focusing on 18th century British intellectual history
- Kenneth O Morgan, the leading historian of the twentieth Century Britain

** For the very detailed introduction to world leading scholar in British history, please refer to the copied book.

C. Most Influential Journals

1. ENGLISH HISTORICAL REVIEW Bimonthly ISSN: 0013-8266
OXFORD UNIV PRESS, GREAT CLARENDON ST, OXFORD, ENGLAND,
OX2 6DP

2. CONTEMPORARY BRITISH HISTORY Quarterly ISSN: 1361-9462
ROUTLEDGE JOURNALS, TAYLOR & FRANCIS LTD, 4 PARK SQUARE,
MILTON PARK, ABINGDON, ENGLAND, OXFORDSHIRE, OX14 4RN

3. JOURNAL OF BRITISH STUDIES Quarterly ISSN: 0021-9371
UNIV CHICAGO PRESS, 1427 E 60TH ST, CHICAGO, USA, IL, 60637-2954

4. JOURNAL OF VICTORIAN CULTURE Tri-annual ISSN: 1355-5502
ROUTLEDGE JOURNALS, TAYLOR & FRANCIS LTD, 4 PARK SQUARE,
MILTON PARK, ABINGDON, ENGLAND, OXFORDSHIRE, OX14 4RN

5. TWENTIETH CENTURY BRITISH HISTORY Quarterly ISSN: 0955-2359

OXFORD UNIV PRESS, GREAT CLARENDON ST, OXFORD, ENGLAND,
OX2 6DP

D. Case Studies of British History from Chinese Perspectives

“中国的英国史研究”，钱乘旦，该文总结了一百年来中国学界关于英国历史研究的进程、成果、经验以及中国学界最为关注的英国研究的主题。

- 1) the History of British Colonization;
- 2) the Tradition of Modern Political System and British Law;
- 3) the Rise of British Modern Society;
- 4) British Noble society studies;
- 5) the Impact of British Industrial Revolution;
- 6) Liberal Thoughts in the Making of Modern Society
- 7) Conservative Tradition of British Politics;
- 8) British Left-Wing Movement;
- 9) British Modernization and Social Transformation;
- 10) Social System Development in Modern Britain;
- 11) the Decline of British Power;
- 12) Sino-Britain Intercultural Communication;

** A lot of representative articles have been sent to your email box for reference. You shall read them thoroughly before a class discussion.

Part Two: British Economic and Political Studies

A. Societies & Institutions for the Research on British Economy and Politics

1. Chinese Societies & Institutions in this Discipline

- 中国社会科学院欧洲研究所 <http://ies.cass.cn/Article/Index.asp>
- 复旦大学欧洲研究中心 <http://www.cesfd.org.cn/>
- 中国欧洲学会
- 上海欧洲学会 <http://sies-cn.org/>
- 中国现代国际关系研究院 <http://www.cicir.ac.cn/chinese/>
- 上海国际问题研究院 <http://www.siis.org.cn/index.aspx>

2. British Societies & Institutions in this Discipline

- Political Studies Association (of UK) <http://www.psa.ac.uk/>
- Academy of Social Sciences (of UK) <http://www.acss.org.uk/>
- Britain and Ireland Association of Political Thought
<http://www.associationforpoliticalthought.ac.uk/>
- British International Studies Association <http://www.bisa.ac.uk/>
- Public Administration of Joint University Council
<http://public-administration-uk.org.uk/>
- Regional Studies Association (of UK) <http://www.regional-studies-assoc.ac.uk/>
- UK Public Administration Consortium <http://www.ukpac.org/>
- Political Studies Association of Ireland <http://www.psai.ie/>

3. American Societies & Institutions in this Discipline

- North American Conference on British Studies <http://www.nacbs.org/>
- British Politics Group, American Political Science Association (APSA)
<http://www.apsanet.org/index.cfm>
- American Society for Public Administration <http://www.aspanet.org/public/>
- Midwest Political Science Association
<http://www.mpsanet.org/Home/tabid/36/Default.aspx>
- Western Political Science Association <http://wpsa.research.pdx.edu/>
- U.S. National Association of Schools of Public Affairs & Administration
<http://www.naspaa.org/>
- Florida Political Science Association <http://www.fpsanet.org/>
- Pacific Northwest Political Science Association <http://legacy.lclark.edu/~pnwpsa/>
- Southwestern Social Science Association <http://sssaonline.org/>

4. Continental European Societies & Institutions in this Discipline

- European Political Science Association <http://www.epsanet.org/>
- Nordic Political Science Association <http://www.nopsa.net/>

5. International Societies & Institutions in this Discipline

- International Political Science Association <http://www.ipsa.org/>
- International Studies Association <http://www.isanet.org/>

- International Association for Political Science Students <http://www.iapss.org/>

B. Representative Scholars

- ★ 丁纯，复旦大学欧洲研究中心主任
- ★ 陈志敏，复旦大学欧洲政治研究专家
- ★ 戴炳然，上海欧洲学会会长
- ★ 田德文，中国社会科学院欧洲研究所研究员
- ★ 吴弦，中国社会科学院欧洲研究所欧洲政治研究室主任
- ★ 宋晓敏，中国社会科学院《欧洲研究》编辑部主任
- ★ 徐明棋，上海社会科学院欧洲研究中心主任，世界经济研究所副所长

- ★ **Matthew Flinders**, Professor of Parliamentary Government & Governance at the University of Sheffield, one of the Chief Editors of *the Oxford Handbook of British Politics*.
- ★ **Andrew Gamble**, Professor of Politics at the University of Cambridge, one of the Chief Editors of *the Oxford Handbook of British Politics*.
- ★ **Colin Hay**, Professor of Political Analysis & Political Economy, University of Sheffield, one of the Chief Editors of *the Oxford Handbook of British Politics*.
- ★ **Michael Kenny**, Professor of Politics & International Studies at the University of Sheffield, one of the Chief Editors of *the Oxford Handbook of British Politics*.
- ★ **Mark Garnett**, the author of *Exploring British Politics*
- ★ **Gillian Peele**, Fellow and Tutor in Politics at Lady Margaret Hall and University Lecturer in Politics at Oxford University, the author of *Governing the UK: British Politics in the 21st Century*
- ★ **Robert Rogers**, Senior Officer of the House of Commons, the author of *How Parliament Works*
- ★ **Michael Rush**, the author of *Parliament Today*
- ★ **Stephen Ingle**, Emeritus Professor at the University of Stirling, the author of *the British Party System: an Introduction*
- ★ **Bill Coxall**, Senior Lecturer at the Brighton University, the author of *Pressure Groups in British Politics*

C. Most Influential Journals

期刊名	出版频率	主办方	所在国	期刊号	出版商	学术地位
<i>American Political Science Review</i>	Quarterly	American Political Science Association	U.S.	ISSN 0003-0554	Cambridge University Press	SSCI
<i>American Journal of Political Science</i>	Quarterly	Midwest Political Science Association	U.S.	ISSN 0092-5853	Blackwell Publishing	SSCI
<i>American Politics Research</i>	Bimonthly	University of Illinois	U.S.	ISSN 1532-673X	SAGE Publications Inc.	SSCI

<i><u>British Journal of Political Science</u></i>	Quarterly	Department of Political Science, University of Essex	UK	ISSN 0007-1234, EISSN 1469-2112	Cambridge University Press	SSCI
<i><u>British Journal of Politics & Int'l Relations</u></i>	Quarterly	Political Studies Association	UK	ISSN 1369-1481, EISSN 1467-856X	Wiley-Blackwell	SSCI
<i><u>British Politics</u></i>	Quarterly	American Political Science Association	UK	ISSN 1746-918X, EISSN 1746-9198	Palgrave Macmillan	SSCI
<i><u>Cambridge Review of Int'l Affairs</u></i>	Quarterly	Center of Int'l Studies, University of Cambridge	UK	ISSN 0955-7571, EISSN 1474-449X	Cambridge University Press	SSCI
<i><u>European Journal of Int'l Relations</u></i>	Quarterly		UK	ISSN 1354-0661 EISSN 1460-371	SAGE Publications Inc,	SSCI
<i><u>European Journal of Political Economy</u></i>	Quarterly		Holland	ISSN 0176-2680, EISSN 1873-5703	Elsevier Science Inc.	SSCI
<i><u>European Journal of Political Research</u></i>			UK	ISSN 0304-4130, EISSN 1475-6765	Wiley Blackwell	SSCI
<i><u>European Political Science</u></i>			UK	ISSN 1680-4333, EISSN 1682-0983	Palgrave Macmillan	SSCI
<i><u>Journal of British Studies</u></i>	Quarterly	North American Conference on British Studies	U.S.	ISSN 0021-9371	SAGE Publications Inc.	SSCI
Journal of Political Economy			U.S.	ISSN 0022-3808	University of Chicago Press	SSCI
Journal of Politics			U.S.	ISSN 0022-3816, EISSN 1540-5931	Wiley Blackwell	SSCI

E. Case Studies of British Economy & Politics

- 1) The Relations between Britain and EU, and the Role of Britain in the Europe
- 2) The British Economic System in which Finance & Banking are Prevalent
- 3) The Elements influencing the British Economic Policy Making, particularly its Foreign Economic Policy Making
- 4) The British Foreign Economic Relations, particularly UK-China Economic Relations
- 5) The British Parliamentary System and Its Role in the Political System of Policy Making
- 6) The British Labor Party & British Democratic Socialism
- 7) The British Think Tanks & Its Role in the Policy Making
- 8) The Interest Groups, Pressure Groups, & Lobbies in the British Politics
- 9) The Interest Group Politics in the British Trade Policy Making
- 10) The Interest Representation in British Economy & Politics

Part Three Introduction to British Intellectual History Studies

A. Society of Intellectual History Studies:

In Britain, there is no specific association on intellectual history since it is unquestionably a part of British history. However, the following universities are characterized by their dedication to the program on this respect.

- University of London: <http://www.historyofpoliticalthought.org/>
- University of Edinburgh: <http://www.ed.ac.uk/schools-departments/history-classics-archaeology/graduate-school/programmes/history/taught-msc-intellectual-history>
- University of Sussex: <http://www.sussex.ac.uk/study/pg/2013/taught/1661/27551>
- University of Exeter: <http://www.exeter.ac.uk/postgraduate/degrees/politics/histpolthoughtma/>

B. Representative Scholars

- Stefan Collini, an English literary critic and academic who is Professor of English Literature and Intellectual History at the University of Cambridge;
- Michael Kenny, modern political thought, political ideologies and the role of ideas in public policy;
- Gertrude Himmelfarb, an American historian known for her studies of the intellectual history of the Victorian era, particularly of Social Darwinism; as a conservative cultural critic.
- Perry Anderson, a British historian and political essayist. A specialist in

intellectual history;

- 张亮，南京大学哲学系教授，主要从事英国 20 世纪左派思想研究；
- 李宏图，复旦大学历史系，主要从事欧洲思想史研究；

C. Most Influential Journals

1. **HISTORY OF POLITICAL THOUGHT** Tri-annual ISSN: 0143-781X
IMPRINT ACADEMIC, PO BOX 1, THORVERTON, ENGLAND, EX5 5YX
2. **RETHINKING HISTORY** Quarterly ISSN: 1364-2529
ROUTLEDGE JOURNALS, TAYLOR & FRANCIS LTD, 4 PARK SQUARE,
MILTON PARK, ABINGDON, ENGLAND, OXFORDSHIRE, OX14 4RN
3. **MODERN INTELLECTUAL HISTORY**
This important journal serves as a focal point and forum for scholarship on intellectual and cultural history from the mid-seventeenth century to the present.
4. **JOURNAL OF HISTORY OF IDEAS**
Since its inception in 1940, the Journal of the History of Ideas has served as a medium for the publication of research in intellectual history that is of common interest to scholars and students in a wide range of fields. It is committed to encouraging diversity in regional coverage, chronological range, and methodological approaches. JHI defines intellectual history expansively and ecumenically, including the histories of philosophy, of literature and the arts, of the natural and social sciences, of religion, and of political thought. It also encourages scholarship at the intersections of cultural and intellectual history — for example, the history of the book and of visual culture.
5. **HISTORY AND THEORY** Quarterly ISSN: 0018-2656
WILEY-BLACKWELL, COMMERCE PLACE, 350 MAIN ST, MALDEN, USA,
MA, 02148

D. General Reading List for British Intellectual History Studies

- 1) An Intellectual History of British Social Policy: Idealism Versus Non-Idealism, John Offer, Bristol, UK : Policy Press, 2006.
- 2) The Intellectual Life of the British Working Classes, Jonathan Rose, Yale University Press; 2 edition (July 6, 2010)
- 3) An Intellectual History of Liberalism, Pierre Manent, Princeton University Press (July 22, 1996)
- 4) Equality and the British Left: A Study in Progressive Political Thought, 1900-64. (Manchester, 2007)
- 5) Religion and Enlightenment in Eighteenth-Century England. (Oxford, 1998)
- 6) History, Religion, and Culture: British Intellectual History, 1750-1800 . (Cambridge, 2000)
- 7) The Victorian Frame of Mind, 1830-1870, by Walter.E. Houghton.

E. Case Studies of British History from Chinese Perspectives

1. Liberalism: John Locke, Thomas Hobbes, Jeremy Bentham, John Stuart Mill;
2. Conservatism: Edmund Burke, John Henry Newman, Thomas Claire, Arnold;
3. Left-wing thoughts: Scholar of Cultural Studies;
4. Progressive minds: Social Darwinism; Thomas Malthus; Herbert Spencer;
5. Empiricism: Francis Bacon, John Locke;
6. Economic minds: Adam Smith; John Maynard Keynes;
7. Religious minds: Thomas Moore, John Henry Newman;

Part Four

Introduction to Sino-British Intercultural Communication

A. Societies & Institutions Specialising in the Research into Sino-British Intercultural Communication

英国大使馆文化教育处 <http://www.britishcouncil.org.cn>

英国驻华使领馆 <http://ukinchina.fco.gov.uk/zh/>

中国驻英使领馆 <http://www.chinese-embassy.org.uk/chn/>

英国比较文学学会 <http://www.bcla.org/>

牛津大学中国研究中心 <http://www.chinacentre.ox.ac.uk/>

剑桥大学中文系 <http://www.ames.cam.ac.uk/deas/chinese/>

伦敦大学亚非学院中国系 <http://www.soas.ac.uk/cia/>

上海外国语大学、北京大学、复旦大学、北京外国语大学等高校下属英语院系以及比较文学研究所或研究中心

B. Representative Scholars

葛桂录（福建师大）

夏瑞春 (**Adrian Hsia**)

孟华（北大比较文学）

周小仪（北大英语）等

C. Most Influential Journals

[*Comparative literature \(US\)*](#)

[*Comparative literature studies \(US\)*](#)

[*Comparative criticism \(UK\)*](#)

[*Comparative Critical Studies \(UK\)*](#)

[*The Comparatist \(US\)*](#)

[*Cultural analysis \(US\)*](#)

[*Cultural critique \(US\)*](#)

[*Cultural Studies \(UK\)*](#)

[Culture, theory and critique \(UK\)](#)

[CLC Web \(US\)](#)

[Journal of Interdisciplinary History \(US\)](#)

[International journal of cultural studies \(US\)](#)

[Philosophy East and West \(US\)](#)

《中国比较文学》(CN)

D. Reading List

- 狄兆俊, 《中英比较诗学》, 上海外语教育出版社, 1992
- 段怀清, 《〈中国评论〉与晚清中英文学交流》, 广东人民出版社, 2006
- 高鸿志, 《近代中英关系史》, 四川人民出版社, 2001
- 葛桂录, 《他者的眼光:中英文学关系论稿》, 宁夏人民教育出版社, 2003
- 葛桂录, 《中英文学关系编年史》, 上海三联书店, 2004
- 杭立武, 《国民政府时代之中英关系》, 台湾商务印书馆, 1983
- 李世安, 《太平洋战争时期的中英关系》, 中国社会科学出版社, 1994
- 刘鉴唐、张力, 《中英关系系年要录》, 四川省社会科学院出版社, 1989
- 马爱英, 《中英文化翻译》, 科学出版社, 2006
- 萨本仁、潘兴明, 《20 世纪的中英关系》, 上海人民出版社, 1996
- 孙庆、沙辰, 《中英关系史话》, 社会科学文献出版社, 2000
- 吴格非, 《1848-1949 中英文学关系史》, 中国矿业大学出版社, 2010
- Eoyang, Eugene and Lin Yao-fu. *Translating Chinese Literature*. Indiana University Press, 1995.
- Hsia, Adrian, ed, *The Vision of China in the English Literature of the Seventeenth and Eighteenth Centuries*, Hong Kong: The Chinese University of Hong Kong, 1998.
- Liu, Yu. *Seeds of a Different Eden: Chinese Gardening Ideas and a New English Aesthetic Ideal*. Columbia: University of South Carolina Press, 2008.
- Tam, Kwokkan and Timothy Weiss. *English and Globalization: Perspectives from Hong Kong and Mainland China*. Hong Kong: The Chinese University of Hong Kong, 2004.
- Wu, Qingyun. *Female Rule in Chinese and English Literary Utopians*. New York: Syracuse University Press, 1995
- The Oxford Guide to Literature in English*. Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2000.
- Chan, Sin-Wai, and David E. Pollard. *An Encyclopaedia of Translation: Chinese-English, English-Chinese*. The Chinese University of Hong Kong Press, 2001
- Zheng, Yi. *From Burke and Wordsworth to the Modern Sublime in Chinese Literature*. Purdue University Press, 2010
- Laurence, Patricia. *Lily Briscoe's Chinese Eyes: Bloomsbury, Modernism, and China*. Columbia: University of South Carolina Press, 2003.
- Chan, Mimi. *Through Western Eyes: Images of Chinese Women in Anglo-American Literature*. Orchild Press, 2011
- Hsia, Adrian. *Chinesia: The European Construction of China in the Literature of the 17th and 18th Centuries*, Tübingen: Niemeyer, 1998.
- De Zepetnek, Steven Totosy. *Comparative Literature and Comparative Cultural Studies*. Purdue University Press, 2003
- Sun, Cecile Chu-chin. *The Poetics of Repetition in English and Chinese Lyric Poetry*. Chicago: The University of Chicago Press, 2011

- Aldridge, A. Owen. *The Re-emergence of World Literature: A Study of Asia and the West*. Associated University Press, 1986
- Yang, Chi-ming. *Performing China: Virtue, Commerce, and Orientalism in Eighteenth-Century England, 1660-1760*. Johns Hopkins University Press, 2011.
- Porter, David. *The Chinese Taste in Eighteenth-Century England*. Cambridge University Press, 2010.
- The Question of Reception: Martial Arts Fiction in English Translation*, Hong Kong: Centre for Literature and Translation, Lingnan College, 1997
- Denton, Kirk A. *Modern Chinese Literary Thought: Writings on Literature, 1893-1945*. California: Stanford University Press, 1996
- The Journey to the West*. Chicago: The University of Chicago Press, 1984.
- Zhang, Xiao Yang. *Shakespeare in China: A Comparative Study of Two Traditions and Cultures*. Associated University Press, 1996.
- Shen, Shuang. *Cosmopolitan Publics: Anglophone Print Culture in Semi-Colonial Shanghai*. Rutgers University Press, 2009
- Chan, Sin-Wai. *A Chronology of Translation in China and the West: From the Legendary Period to 2004*. The Chinese University of Hong Kong, 2009.
- Chang, Elizabeth Hope. *Britain's Chinese Eye: Literature, Empire and Aesthetics in Nineteenth-Century Britain*. Stanford University Press, 2010
- Hevia, James L. *English Lessons: The Pedagogy of Imperialism in Nineteenth-Century China*. Duke University Press, 2003.
- Pollard, David E. *Translation and Creation: Readings of Western Literature in Early Modern China, 1840-1918*. John Benjamin Publishing, 1998
- Hirakawa, Sukehiro, and Meng Hua. *Images of Westerners in Chinese and Japanese Literature*. Rodopi B. V Amsterdam, 2000.

E. Case Studies on Sino-British Intercultural Communication

- 1) The role of Britain in China's modernisation
 - 2) The role of China in the decolonisation of the British Empire
 - 3) The competition and cooperation between China and Britain in the context of globalisation
 - 4) The comparison of the attitudes of Britain and China towards the Opium War
 - 5) The image of China in British Literature
 - 6) The image of Britain in Chinese Literature
 - 7) The reception of Chinese culture in Britain
 - 8) The reception of British culture in China
 - 9) The Chinese immigrants in Britain
 - 10) The British missionaries in China
- (To name but a few)

Part V Introduction to studies on Race, ethnicity, immigration and national identity in Britain

A. Associations and major research centres for Race and Ethnic Studies in Britain

Institute of Race Relations

Black and Asian Studies Association (BASA)

British Association for South Asian Studies (BASAS)

Centre for South Asian Studies, University of Edinburgh

Centre for the Study of Ethnicity and Citizenship, University of Bristol

B. Leading Scholars & Representative works

John Solomos

Theories of race and racism : a reader

Race, politics, and social change

Race and Racism in Britain

Tariq Modood

Multiculturalism: A Civic Idea

Multicultural Politics: Racism, Ethnicity and Muslims in Britain

Paul Gilroy

The Black Atlantic: Modernity and Double Consciousness

After Empire: Multiculture or Postcolonial Melancholia

There Ain't No Black In the Union Jack: The Cultural Politics of Race and Nation

Harry Goulbourne

Race Relations in Britain Since 1945

Ethnicity and Nationalism in Post-Imperial Britain

Black Politics in Britain

Charles Husband

Racism and the mass media

'Race' in Britain: continuity and change

Andrew Pilkington

Racial disadvantage and ethnic diversity in Britain

Race Relations in Britain

David Mason

Race and Ethnicity in Modern Britain

C. Major peer-reviewed Journals

1. *Race and Class*
2. *Ethnic and Racial Studies*
3. *Ethnicities*
4. *Identities*
5. *Immigrants & Minorities*
6. *Journal of Ethnic & Migration Studies*
7. *Journal of British Studies*

D. Major themes as subjects of study

- Black Politics and Black History
- Transnational experience of Afro-Caribbeans and South Asians
- Media Representation of Ethnic Minorities
- Islamophobia and anti-Muslim racism
- The ‘war on terror’ and the assault on civil liberty
- Cultural hybridity and Diaspora
- Postcoloniality
- State, migration and asylum
- Post-war immigration policy
- Post-devolution English identity

Part VI

Introduction to British Literature Studies

A. Societies & Institutions:

中国英国文学学会

The Royal Society of Literature

Booker Prize Foundation

British Comparative Literature Association

Association for the Study of Literature and Environment

Alliance of Literary Societies

B. Representative Scholars

M. H. Abrams (literary critic, professor of Cornell University, general editor of *The Norton Anthology of English Literature* through seven editions)

Stephen Greenblatt (literary critic, professor of Harvard University, one of the founders of New Historicism, engaged in “cultural poetics”);

James Simpson (professor of English in Harvard University)

Jon Stallworthy (Professor Emeritus of English at the University of Oxford)

Jerome J. McGann (Senior Research Fellow of University of London)

Isobel Armstrong (Emeritus Professor of English and a Senior Research Fellow at

University of London, Fellow of the British Academy)

C. Most Influential Journal

《外国文学评论》

ELH: Journal of English Literary History

Oxford Literary Review

Victorian Literature and Culture

Shakespeare Quarterly

Review of English Studies

Essays in Criticism

Comparative Literature

Comparative Literature Studies

Critical Inquiry

Critical Quarterly

Cultural Studies

Studies in English Literature

Romanticism

Victorian Studies

Review of English Studies

D. Reading List

Acheson, James and Romana Huk (eds), *Contemporary British Poetry: Essays in Theory and Criticism*, State University of New York (Albany) Press, 1996.

Frank Lentricchia, and Thomas McLaughlin, eds, *Critical Terms for Literary Study*, 2nd edn Chicago: University of Chicago Press, 1995.

Isobel Armstrong, *The Radical Aesthetic*, Blackwell Publishers, Oxford, 2000.

James Simpson, *Burning to Read: English Fundamentalism and its Reformation Opponents*. Cambridge, MA: The Belknap Press of Harvard University Press, 2007.

Jerome J. McGann, *The Scholar's Art: Literary Studies in a Managed World*. University of Chicago Press, 2006.

Jon Stallworthy, *Great Poets of World War I: poetry from the great war*, by Jon Stallworthy. (New York: Carroll and Graf, 2002.

Mackay, P., Edna Longley & Fran Brearton. *Modern Irish and Scottish poetry*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2011.

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Contemporary literature and globalization

Science, technology and literature

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