Faculty of Graduate Studies  
Critical Disability Studies Graduate Program 

CDIS 5100 6.0: Disability Studies: An Overview  
Winter 2020  
Course Outline - supplemental to CDIS 5100 f2019 

Class Time: September to November  
Tuesday, 4:00 pm to 7:00 pm 

Venue: Room 1156, Vari Hall 

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WINTER ASSIGNMENTS 

Winter Seminar & Reflection. (3-4 pages, double-spaced)  Ongoing  
10% 
Two days prior to the seminar you lead provide an overview of the article an outline of your intent, questions to Prof halifax. After the seminar you have the opportunity to revise and include the class conversation. the reflection is due either 2-3 days post seminar or as negotiated. 

Participation  Ongoing  
10% 
including responses to in-class presentations; discussion questions submitted on readings each week and attendance. 

Winter Term Essay\Project (15-18 pages, double-spaced) - March 31, 2020  
30% 
we will use class time to develop our chosen area of exploration for the final paper. A handout will be provided. Projects are alternate forms: podcasts, scripts, essays, short films, blogs, artifact analysis, conference paper, draft of paper for a journal, a blurred genre, and so on it goes. If you will be working in a form with which you are less familiar with please raise questions in class - there may be expertise to draw upon. 

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The syllabus is considered a work in progress and as such as we continue our course we will collectively and independently make decisions about our directions.
January 14, 21, 28, 2020 – affect


ADDITIONAL TEXTS – if you have additions send them to me and I will incorporate.

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davis halifax
January 7, 2020 - CDS – revisiting – welcoming - leftovers
February 4, 11, 2020 – grievability

READING WEEK - no class on February 18 2020

February 25, March 3, 2020 – encounters - multispecies worlds - the more than human
Sara Ahmed (2002) This other and other others, Economy and Society, 31:4, 558-572, DOI: 10.1080/03085140022000020689
Shotwell, Alexis. TBD

March 10, 17 2020 - biopolitics, neoliberalism
March 24, 31 2020 – telling


