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South African writing 703 (ENG 703)

Qualification	Postgraduate
Faculty	Faculty of Humanities
Module credits	15.00
Programmes	BAHons English BAHons Literary Theory
Prerequisites	ENG 704 is recommended.
Contact time	1 seminar per week
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Academic organisation	English
Period of presentation	Semester 1

Module content

The module begins with a general introduction to literary approaches to African writing. Thereafter a selection of texts representing the three genres – poetry, drama and prose – is studied. You are encouraged to attend live performances of South African plays and to read current editions of local journals such as Contrast, English Academy Review, Staffrider, Current Writing, Pretexts and English in Africa for reviews and scholarly articles.

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