

Tentative CLASS Schedule SUMMER ONE 2019 4 credits

Please have the following texts read prior to the dates/quizzes listed below:

- Tues. 5/21 6 p.m.-9:50 on WMU campus: Intro to Pushkin; Translation Challenges
Reading due: “Stationmaster” & summary of “Eugene Onegin” sent in advance via email; pre-departure tips
- Thur. 5/23 6 p.m. **sharp** WMU **QUIZ**: “Bronze Horseman,” “Queen of Spades,” “Golden Rooster,” “Station Master”
- Tue. 5/28 6-9:50 p.m.WMU: **QUIZ**: Gogol’s “The Nose” & “Overcoat” (handouts in advance)
- FRIDAY 5/31 Depart for St. Petersburg; arrive Sat. 6/1; transfer to Pushkin’s Hunting Lodge
- Sun. 6/2 Free morning after breakfast (suggest using this time to read tomorrow’s homework)
12:40 Depart for tour
1:15 Pushkin in Pushkin (Imperial Lyceum/school)
4:20 visit Catherine Palace (including Amber Room)
7:15 Evening Welcome dinner at Chelentano Restaurant
- Mon. 6/3 9 a.m. Pushkin in St. Petersburg: visit additional sites associated with author
12:50 Museum of Alexander Pushkin (12 Moika Canal)
4:30-6:15 on LSU campus: **QUIZ** on first Chekhov stories from Norton book: Chekhov 315-327 (“Anna on Neck”), 83-86 (“Vanka”), 403-413 (“The Darling”), PLUS Norton **pg. xlv-xlv**
Dinner on own perhaps with some LSU students (homework due tomorrow)
- Tue. 6/4 9:30 Depart for City tour of St. Petersburg and visit to Peter and Paul Fortress
be sure you have finished novel for tonight
4:30-6:15 pm class at LSU: **QUIZ** on all of Dostoevsky’s *Notes From Underground*
WRITTEN HOMEWORK DUE
6:30 p.m. after class, informal optional get-together with LSU students
- Wed. 6/5 FIELD TRIP into countryside with LSU students and faculty; visit setting/museum of Pushkin’s “The Stationmaster” Bring a picnic lunch
- Thur. 6/6 PUSHKIN’S BIRTHDAY
9:00 Excursion to the magnificent Peterhof Palace (bags out for transfer)
2:30 Depart for transfer to St. Petersburg to check in at hotel (TBA)
5:30 Prof. Rypma will take you on a brief orientation of the area, including ride on Metro and Pushkin/Art Square
Dinner on own

- Fri. 6/7 10:30 Tour: "Dostoevsky's Petersburg"
 1:00 p.m. Dostoevsky Museum
 4 p.m.-5:15 class on Silver Age Poets: handout poems with emphasis on Blok's "The Twelve" and Akhmatova's "Requiem" (may meet at hotel)
- Sat. 6/8 10:30 Depart for tour of Anna Akhmatova Museum
 late afternoon on grounds: **QUIZ** on Chekhov: 371-378 "About Love," 350-361 ("Man in a Case), 362-370 ("Gooseberries"), 649-658 (essay included on quiz)
HOMEWORK DUE
 12:30 tentative tour of SIEGE MUSEUM (sub for Blok museum)
- Sun. 6/9 10:00 a.m. depart for Church of the Savior on the Blood with Prof. Rypma
 11:30 weather permitting, finish Silver Age in park: Reading: Gumilev's "Streetcar Gone Astray" and Myakovsky's "Kindness to Horses"
 1:00 Visit Kazan Cathedral with Prof. Rypma (shoulders, knees, heads covered)
 5:45 Depart hotel to attend "formal" folklore performance in Nikolaievsky Palace "Feel Yourself Russian" with professors Rypma & Shimberg; very light snacks and hors d'oeuvres/appetizers included. Performance lasts until 8:50
- Mon. 6/10 FREE DAY: recommendations on your own: Historical Miniatures Museum, Faberge Eggs Exhibit, canal cruise, Kunstammer Museum, Russian Art Museum, Blok Museum, Zoo Park, seg-way ride, opera or ballet or theatre performance
- Tues. 6/11 10:00 Guided visit to Hermitage
 2 p.m. meet at fountain in entrance courtyard for
 Lunch on our own
 Visit with Prof. Rypma to St. Isaac's Cathedral (you'll have time afterwards to OPT for climb to top: 150 rub)
 5 p.m. (Tentative time) continue Chekhov in park near cathedral
QUIZ on Norton pg. 414-427 "Lady With the Pet Dog"
 Dinner on own
- Wed. 6/12 ENJOY RUSSIA DAY celebrations in city
 Perhaps work on your paper
 Lunch and dinner on own
- Thur. 6/13 9:30 a.m. Depart for metro ride to Aleksander Nevsky Monastery, including grave of Dostoevsky and famous composers w/Prof. Rypma (again, covered shoulders, knees, heads for women)
 Free afternoon for packing, etc.
 5:35 Depart hotel for farewell dinner with professors Shimberg and Rypma at Moskva Restaurant
- Fri. 6/14 Depart probably very EARLY a.m. for airport

Final papers will be due June 21