

Poetry Since 1900
English 4/6823, Fall 2017
Section 1, 9:00-9:50 MWF

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BOOKS:

Ramazani, Jahan, Richard Ellmann, and Robert O'Clair, eds. *The Norton Anthology of Modern and Contemporary Poetry*. 3rd ed. Vol. 1. (ISBN: 0-393-97791-9)
Williams, William Carlos. *Pictures from Brueghel and Other Poems*. (ISBN: 0-8112-0234-8)

COURSE DESCRIPTION:

This semester, the course will provide an introduction to work by major American poets active in the early to mid-20th century, including Robert Frost, William Carlos Williams, T. S. Eliot, Marianne Moore, H. D., Langston Hughes, and A. R. Ammons.

WRITTEN WORK:

There will be two exams, two papers, and a reading journal.

If you have any questions about the course, feel free to write me at Robert.West@msstate.edu.

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May happiness
pursue you,

catch you
often, and,

should it
lose you,

be waiting
ahead, making

a clearing
for you.

A. R. Ammons (1926-2001)