

ARTH 354 Course Delivery Guide

The terms of this guide are subject to modification as conditions change, in order to provide for flexibility and to optimize course delivery. Course requirements set out in the Course Syllabus (to be distributed in the first week of class) are not subject to modification.

Course: ARTH 354 – Selected Topics in Art History 2: Latin American Art and the Violence of Modernism

Term: Fall 2020

Instructor: Dr. Julia Skelly

Class times: Monday and Wednesday 11:35 am-12:55 pm Montreal time

Learning activities include readings, lectures, a take-home midterm, a final essay and a final take-home exam. All readings will be available online, either in e-books, e-journals or posted to mycourses.

Given the circumstances, class discussion is difficult—but not impossible—on zoom. I will ask questions often, and I will do my best to make you feel like you are part of an academic community despite the limitations of zoom. I know a lot of you will be watching the recorded lectures rather than attending the live lectures, because of different time zones, work, family responsibilities, etc. That is absolutely fine. I will not be taking attendance at any point this term, and there will be no participation marks for class discussions.

I can be reached by email at julia.skelly232@gmail.com. My office hours are Thursday 2:30-4:00 pm or by appointment. I will hold office hours using the Zoom waiting room, which allows me to let students in one at a time, just as if you were outside my door. I strongly recommend posting any general questions on the discussions page of MyCourses where my responses can be seen by the whole group.

All assignments (take-home exam, final essay and final take-home exam) will be submitted via mycourses (in the assignment section), and feedback will be provided on the midterm and final essay through mycourses. There will be no comments on the final take-home exam, as final exams aren't returned.

Respectful communication is crucial and expected during any class discussions and in posts on mycourses.