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FOREWORD

“**A**T a time when all the resources of our country are being appraised in terms of their relation to national defense, we should not fail to consider the constant need for trained intelligence in many a sphere. For this reason, Trinity College is making a special endeavor to carry on efficiently its program of Extension courses, primarily in order to give an opportunity for those already enrolled in munitions work or elsewhere to increase their usefulness for the days that lie ahead by the development of increased intellectual capacity.

“There are of course persons in other categories who wish to go further in the paths of learning. Trinity College is always eager to serve such, and so presents in this little pamphlet the program of our academic offerings in Extension for 1942-43.”

R. B. OGILBY, *President.*

The above foreword was written by President Ogilby for the 1942-43 bulletin. Trinity College is endeavoring to keep on with extension offerings in spite of the demands made on our staff by the Navy Unit stationed here. Of necessity the number of courses offered this year has been reduced. We expect this is only an interim measure.

I. A. BUELL,

Director of Extension Courses.

TRINITY COLLEGE Extension Courses are open to both men and women. These courses are of college grade, and are open to all High School graduates. Others will be admitted who seem to have sufficient ability to profit from them.

College credit is given for these courses—toward a Bachelor's degree for all and toward a Master's degree for many. Although Trinity College does not award the Bachelor's degree to women, credit for these courses can be transferred to other colleges awarding such a degree.

Classes will be held in late afternoon and evening hours from Monday to Thursday. Information concerning the place of meeting of each class may be obtained at the time of registration. The director of Extension, Dr. Irwin A. Buell, will be glad to confer with prospective students about any of the courses listed. Dr. Buell may be reached at Trinity College, telephone 7-3156.

Courses begin September 20, 1942. The registration period will be Wednesday and Thursday, September 15 and 16 from 3:00 to 8:00 P. M., at Boardman Hall on the campus where most of the classes will meet. Boardman Hall is near the parking place south of the main building.

CREDIT

A course meeting once a week throughout the year for one and a half hours each session carries three semester hours of credit. If the number of times per week is greater or the length of the class period is extended, the credit is increased pro rata. To secure credit a person must be qualified to take the course. A course may be taken without credit by a person who has not met all the scholastic prerequisites. A small additional fee will be charged for graduate credit.

In some courses arrangements have been made so that in case of a change in hours of employment from day to evening work, a young man will be allowed to transfer to a section of the same course in the regular morning session in order to complete the course. If a young man is already employed evenings he may register in a morning course.

SCHEDULE OF CLASSES

EDUCATION: Part I. First semester. **HISTORY OF EDUCATION.** A history and evaluation of the changes in thought and philosophy that have controlled education from earlier times to the present. Earlier theories, problems, and procedures in the light of the present; and conversely. The story of the evolution of present American educational institutions and ideals. Part II. Second semester. **A SEMINAR IN EDUCATION.** A seminar course in the problems of modern education in our public schools. Readings, lectures, discussions, and reports. Students will be encouraged to specialize in some field in which they are interested.

Time: 7:00 Thursdays.

Professor in charge: Irwin Alfred Buell, Ph.D.

Credit: Two semester hours each semester. *Fee:* \$25.00 a semester.

EDUCATIONAL TESTS AND MEASUREMENTS: A course dealing with the educational principles involved in testing and with standard achievement tests in various school subjects. A critical survey of available educational and vocational tests; methods of testing; checking and compiling the results; and discussing the values of the data obtained for both the student and the teacher. Statistical methods used will not be based on previous advanced mathematical knowledge. Attention to the problems involved in Educational and Vocational Guidance.

Time: 7:00 Mondays, first semester.

Professor in charge: Irwin Alfred Buell, Ph.D.

Credit: Two semester hours. *Fee:* \$25.00.

ENGLISH: ADVANCED COMPOSITION. Designed for those who have a desire to write originally. Assignments will be adapted to individual desires, for essay, narrative, poetic, or dramatic work. The manuscripts submitted in the course will be read and criticized in class; the standards of criticism will approximate those which might be applied to manuscripts submitted to a good periodical.

Time: 4:45 Mondays.

Professor in charge: Morse Shepard Allen, Ph.D.

Credit: Three semester hours. *Fee:* \$37.50.

ENGLISH: MODERN POETRY. Readings of, and lectures and reports on, the poetry of the twentieth century, more especially that of the last twenty years.

Time: 4:45 Thursdays.

Professor in charge: Morse Shepard Allen, Ph.D.

Credit: Three semester hours.

Fee: \$37.50.

FINE ARTS: A survey course in the history and appreciation of the arts of painting, sculpture, and architecture from the Pre-classical periods to the French Revolution. A basic course for the understanding and enjoyment of art.

Time: 7:15 Wednesdays at Avery Memorial.

Professor in charge: A. Everett Austin, Jr., M.A., assisted by Mr. R. S. Drew-Bear.

Credit: Four semester hours.

Fee: \$25.00 a semester.

FINE ARTS: MODERN ART. A survey of the principal movements in painting, architecture, sculpture, the cinema, the dance, and the minor arts since the French Revolution.

Time: 4:40 Tuesdays at Avery Memorial.

Professor in charge: A. Everett Austin, Jr., M.A., assisted by Mr. R. S. Drew-Bear.

Credit: Four semester hours.

Fee: \$25.00 a semester.

GEOPOLITICS. A course dealing with political geography in its relation to world politics, military strategy, and subsequent peace problems.

Time: 4:20 Thursdays at the office of the Hartford Board of Education.

Professor in charge: Hans W. Weigert, Doctor of Laws, Freiburg.

Credit: Two semester hours each semester. *Fee:* \$25.00 a semester.

HISTORY. A study of the history of Europe since 1815, the background for an understanding of present conditions.

Time: 4:45 Mondays and Wednesdays.

Professor in charge: To be announced.

Credit: Six semester hours.

Fee: \$37.50 a semester.

PSYCHOLOGY: ELEMENTARY GENERAL PSYCHOLOGY. Part I, An analysis of consciousness. The consideration of sensation, perception, memory, imagination, thinking, and emotion. Part II, An analysis of behavior. The consideration of the nervous system, reflex, instinct, volition, habit, and motivation. Attention will be given to the application of the principles of psychology to educational methods.

This is a foundation course which must be completed successfully by all who would take more advanced courses in psychology with a view of having them counted as credits for a degree. Students who have had such a foundation course elsewhere may present evidence of such attainment, and if their preparation is considered adequate, may be admitted to the higher courses on an equality with those who have passed the beginners' course here offered.

Time: 7:00 Mondays and Thursdays.

Professor in charge: Frederick W. Novis, M.A.

Credit: Six semester hours. *Fee:* \$37.50 a semester.

PSYCHOLOGY: EDUCATIONAL PSYCHOLOGY. The psychology of childhood and adolescence. A consideration of the physical and mental development of the child, noting the influences of heredity and environment. An analysis of the various forms of behavior, with an indication of their significance for the educative process.

A presentation of the problems of the adolescent period, considering the rise of new instincts and emotions, the development of self-consciousness and social traits, and indicating the content and method of pedagogical procedure for the children of this period.

Time: 7:00 Mondays, first semester.

Professor in charge: George Ross Wells, Ph.D.

Credit: Two semester hours. *Fee:* \$25.00.

PSYCHOLOGY: ABNORMAL PSYCHOLOGY. In this course the more common peculiarities of behavior and consciousness are studied and their causes and corrections indicated.

This course and the previous course may well be taken as a unit.

Time: 7:00 Wednesdays, second semester.

Professor in charge: George Ross Wells, Ph.D.

Credit: Two semester hours. *Fee:* \$25.00.

PSYCHOLOGY: MENTAL HYGIENE. A survey of procedures which have proven effective in the prevention of and correction of certain mental disorders and personal maladjustments.

Time: 7:30 Wednesdays, first semester.

Professor in charge: George Ross Wells, Ph.D.

Credit: Two semester hours.

Fee: \$25.00.

SOCIAL GEOGRAPHY. South America, Central America, Mexico, and the West Indies. After a study of the physical and political geography and some attention to historical background, the course will deal with social and economic conditions and problems in each area.

Time: 8:30 Mondays and Thursdays, first semester.

Professor in charge: Irwin Alfred Buell, Ph.D.

Credit: Three semester hours.

Fee: \$37.50.

SPANISH. An elementary course of college grade for those who have had little or no Spanish.

Time: 7:00 Mondays and Thursdays

Professor in charge: Robert T. Daly, M.A.

Credit: Six semester hours.

Fee: \$37.50 a semester.

ADVANCED SPANISH. This course has as prerequisite two years of Spanish in a preparatory school or one year in college. Emphasis on reading and speaking the language.

Time: 8:15 Mondays and Thursdays.

Professor in charge: Robert T. Daly, M.A.

Credit: Six semester hours.

Fee: \$37.50 a semester.