**ELL 381 Restoration and 18th Century Literature**

**Halide Aral**

**Office Hours: Tuesday 14.20- 15.10; Wednesday 13.20- 14.10**

**Course Outline**

Introduction to 18th c. political, social, economic and intellectual background.

**Neo-classical Literary Theory**

**Dyden** An Essay Of Dramatic Poesy, The Author’s Apology For Heroic Poetry and Poetic Licence, The Art of Satire

**Pope** *An Essay On Criticism*

**Dr. S. Johnson** *Rasselas, Rambler No.4, The Preface to Shakespeare, Cowley, Pope*

**Satire**

J. Swift *Gulliver’s Travels*, “A Modest Proposal”

Dryden “MacFlecknoe”,

Pope “The Rape of the Lock”

**Essays**

Joseph Addison and Richard Steele, All Essays in *The Northon Anthology*

Henry Fielding Concerning High People and Low People

David Hume Of the Liberty of the Press

Samuel Johnson A Brief to Free a Slave

James Thomson

The Seasons, The Autumn

**Midterm Dates: Nov 4 Midterm I - Dec 8 Midterm II**

**Evaluation:** There will be two midterm (50%) examinations and a final (50%). Students have to attend 80% of the classes and **it is essential to read the assigned texts in advance to participate the class discussions.**