

Philosophy 756  
Recent European Philosophy

Foucault and Deleuze's *Foucault*

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We will read several works by Foucault and at the end, consider Deleuze's book *Foucault*.

Readings. We will read most or all of the material collected in *The Foucault Reader*, ed. Paul Rabinow. I will also make available (as PDF files on our Avenue page) excerpts from *Madness and Civilization*, chap. 1; *The Order of Things*, Introduction; *The Archaeology of Knowledge*, Introduction and Conclusion. Additionally, we read Deleuze, *Foucault*.

Seminar will be lecture and discussion.

Credit will require brief (1000 words) weekly writing assignments on the reading. Students who would prefer to do a major research paper can discuss their plan with me as an alternative.