Religion 333
Summer 2013
TEACHINGS OF THE LIVING PROPHETS
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Bishop’s Office, 4th Ward
Office Hours: Mon, Tue, Wed, Thurs, 9:50 to 10:50

A. COURSE OBJECTIVES:
1. To better understand the office and calling of prophets, seers and revelators.
2. To increase knowledge of the current teachings of prophets, seers and revelators.
3. To strengthen testimony of the living prophets and apostles.

B. REQUIRED TEXTS:
1. Teachings of the Living Prophets Student Manual, online lds.org or bookstore - $10.
2. October 2012 Conf. talks (First Presidency and Quorum of Twelve) online lds.org

C. EXPECTATION OF STUDENTS:
1. Everyone begins this class with an “A”. Your punctuality, attendance, reading, research paper, and exam score will determine to what degree this grade changes.
2. Read assigned student manual chapters and conference talks before coming to class.
3. Ask questions and share insights in class.
4. There is generally a direct correlation between attendance and good grades.
5. Only official University excused absences will not affect your grade (show your approved and signed sheet). Unless you have an unusual medical situation, do not send emails about personal illness, scheduling problems, etc.
6. No food or drink in classroom and cell phones are to be turned off during class.
7. Electronic devices only to be used for educational classroom purposes.
8. University Dress Standards and the Honor Code are to be observed.
9. No babies or children are permitted in classrooms.

D. COMPUTING FINAL GRADE:

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<th>ATTENDANCE</th>
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<td>RESEARCH PAPER</td>
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<td>FINAL EXAM</td>
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<td><strong>TOTAL POINTS POSSIBLE</strong></td>
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| 95% = A                  | 76.66% = C+ |
| 90% = A-                 | 73.33% = C  |
| 86.66% = B+              | 70% = C-    |
| 83.33% = B               | 66.66% = D+ |
| 80.0% = B-               | 63.33% = D  |
| **TOTAL POINTS**         | **530** |
| **POSSIBLE**             | **60% = D-** |

E. EXTRA CREDIT: No extra credit or make-up work is available.
RELIGIOUS EDUCATION – DEPARTMENT OUTCOMES

1. Students will seek to better understand the truths of the Gospel and seek to apply them.
2. Students will develop a testimony of Christ, the Restored Church, and its leaders.
3. Students will commit to live a righteous and chaste life.

SPECIAL NEEDS

Brigham Young University-Hawai'i is committed to providing a working and learning atmosphere, which reasonably accommodates qualified persons with disabilities. If you have any disability that may impair your ability to complete this course successfully, please contact the students with Special Need Coordinator, Leilani A'una at 293-3518. Reasonable academic accommodations are reviewed for all students who have qualified documented disabilities. If you need assistance or if you feel you have been unlawfully discriminated against on the basis of disability, you may seek resolution through established grievance policy and procedures. You should contact the Human Resource Services at 780-8875.

PREVENTING SEXUAL HARRASMENT

Title IX of the education amendments of 1972 prohibits sex discrimination against any participant in an educational program or activity that receives federal funds, including Federal loans and grants. Title IX also covers student-to-student sexual harassment. If you encounter unlawful sexual harassment or gender-based discrimination, please contact the Human Resource Services at 780-8875 (24 hours).
Research Paper:

A two to three page research paper on one of the leaders we currently sustain as a prophet, seer, and revelator is required. It is to be typed (double-spaced) with at least three references (in addition to any scripture references). No specific reference or footnote system is required. It is due on or before March 20 in class. Late papers will not be accepted. Must submit a hard copy. No electronic copies please.