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***Grading: Written open book final exam will be 90% of grade. Class participation will range from 1-10 points. Much of the learning in this course will come from our discussion. Thus, attendance, preparation, and participation are very important.**

***Office hours: I will be available on Monday and Wednesday each week for consultation. Please make an appointment in person, by phone, or email.**