Note on Marks

A-level marks (80%+) reflect exceptional (beyond expectations), outstanding, or at least highly competent efforts. B+/B level marks (73-79%) reflect good or at least acceptable efforts (usually above the class average). B-/C+ level marks (65-72%) represent average efforts, showing some understanding but deficient in some way. C/D level marks (50-64%) represent passable but largely insufficient efforts, while F marks (<50%) represent failing the course. The UVic Undergraduate grading scale is available at: https://web.uvic.ca/calendar2018-09/undergrad/info/regulations/grading.html

Course readings

The course is designed around a number of important readings that will be posted on the Course Spaces site. There is no textbook requirement. Reading