

**Major Works in Syntactic Theory**  
**LING 506**  
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***Course description***

In this course, we will concentrate on papers that had a significant impact on the development of the syntactic theory, in general, and on our understanding of specific properties of language from a cross-linguistic point of view, in particular.

***Evaluation***

Leading discussion	75%	(3 minimum, 25% each)
Participation	15%	
Paper	10%	(Project for another class, diss, prelim...)

***Reading list See D2L***

Look at the papers on D2L to start thinking about what you want to sign up to lead the discussion of.

BUT: You have to have *Syntactic Structures*, so if you don't have it, buy it now!

***NOTE: It should be obvious that this is a reading intensive class.*** You need to set aside at *least* 7-8 hours a week for reading. You will need more time for reading and preparation during the weeks when you are leading the discussion....