

CRITICAL THINKING

READING LIST: WINTER TERM 2019

- Jan. 7 Introduction: Basic Concepts of Formal Logic (class handout); Elements of an Argument: *How to Think Critically*, Ch. 1.
- Jan. 14 The Use and Abuse of Language: *How to Think Critically*, Ch. 2; class handouts on definitions and kinds of proposition.
- Jan. 21 Argument Structure: *How to Think Critically*, Ch. 3.
- Jan. 28 Evaluating Arguments: *How to Think Critically*, Ch. 4.
- Feb. 4 Argument Types: *HtTC*, Ch. 5; class handout on induction.
- Feb. 11 Review.
- Feb. 14 Mid-term test on this day.
- Feb. 18 Reading Week.
- Feb. 25 Categorical Propositions: *HtTC*, Ch. 7; class handout on categorical propositions.
- Mar. 4 Syllogistic Logic: *HtTC*, Ch. 7; class handout on syllogistic logic.
- Mar. 11 Propositional Logic: *HtTC*, Ch. 8.
- Mar. 18 Propositional Logic: *HtTC*, Ch. 8; class handout on derivations.
- Mar. 25 Fallacies: *HtTC*, Ch. 6; class handout on fallacies.
- April 1 Review.