course syllabus
for course number: **U350-312**
course title: Willa Cather
publishing year: **1994**

**Number of credits or CEUs:** 1 credits

**Prerequisites:** Introductory course in literature or consent of adviser

**Course materials:**
*Required*
1. Course Guide
2. *Death Comes for the Archbishop*, by Cather (1955)
4. *The Professor's House*, by Cather (1953)

**Course description:** In this course three Cather novels demonstrate her remarkable versatility. Students will examine her portraits of the immigrant experience, the fear of aging, and the hunger for love and acceptance.

**Unit topics:**
- Willa Cather
- The Writer and Writing
- My Antonia
- The Professor’s House
- Death Comes for the Archbishop

**Written assignments:** This course requires 3 written assignments. Each of these required papers needs to be 4 to 6 double-spaced pages in length (about 1,000 to 1,500 words).

**Exams:** The written assignments take the place of a final examination in this course. Your grades will depend on your mastery of the material and your ability, originality, and depth in presentation. You won’t receive a course grade until you’ve satisfactorily completed all assignments.

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