**CARLETON UNIVERSITY**

**DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY AND ANTHROPOLOGY**

**SOCI 3010B**

**WINTER 2024**

**POWER, OPPRESSION AND RESISTANCE**

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**Method of Delivery:** In-person

**Course Description:**

This course invites students to think sociologically about power. The course is divided into three units. The first unit, called ‘theories of power’, introduces some commonly used theories in the sociology of power. The second unit, called ‘identities of power’, examines some issues of power along the axis of race, gender, and class. The third unit, called ‘places of power’, presents some examples of how power works in select institutions or fields.

**Reading (s)/Textbook (s):**

There is no single textbook for this course, and students are not required to purchase any reading material. All readings will be provided on Brightspace.

**Course Requirements & Methods of Evaluation:**

# Due Dates for Assignments:

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| **#** | **Assignment** | **Due Date** |
| 1 | Summary 1 | Jan 30 |
| 2 | Essay 1 | Feb 13 |
| 3 | Summary 2 | Feb 27 |
| 4 | Summary 3 | April 2 |
| 5 | Essay 2 | April 9 |