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John Dennis 1911

more matter is a collection of john updike s best loved critical essays and reflections from the journals of john cheever to the gueen of england more matter is a lively discussion on contemporary art issues and people told from the inimitable perspective of pulitzer prizewinner john updike wide ranging incisive witty and always superbly written it has something to say about almost everyone from graham greene to bill gates to mickey mouse and everything from sexual politics to spiritual matters to unopenable packages it provides any number of intimate glimpses into how this remarkable mind works praise for more matter unlike most journalism updike s occasional writing is so exquisite as to repay multiple readings publishers weekly more matter attests to mr updike s remarkable versatility and to his ardent drive to turn all his observations into glittering gossamer prose in his strongest pieces mr updike s awesome pictorial powers of description combine with a rigorous searching intelligence to produce essays of enormous tactile power and conviction new york times more matter will leave even his closest followers amazed updike can write about anything in any form and at any length and do it with intelligence and knowledge and grace and agility and wit and oh the prose pittsburgh tribune review john updike was born in 1932 in shillington pennsylvania he graduated from harvard college in 1954 and spent a year in oxford at the ruskin school of drawing and fine art his novels stories and nonfiction collections have won numerous awards including the pulitzer prize the national book award the national book critics circle award the pen faulkner award and the howells medal of the american

The Theory of Literary Criticism 1977-01-01

as the humanities in higher education struggle with a jobs crisis and declining enrollments the travails of english have been especially acute and long standing no scholar has analyzed the discipline s contradictions as authoritatively as john guillory whose 1993 book cultural capital the problem of literary canon formation remains a classic and whose subsequent essays on the profession of literary study have been widely cited in this much anticipated new book guillory shows how literary study has been organized both historically and in the modern era both before and after its professionalization the traces of this volatile history he shows have solidified into permanent features of the university yet the discipline continues to be troubled by the relation between discipline and profession both in its ambivalence about the literary object and in its anxious embrace of a professionalism that betrays the discipline s relation to its amateur precursor criticism in a series of essays several previously unpublished guillory unpacks what it means to profess criticism his book gives a timely and incisive explanation for the perennial churn in literary study the constant revolutionizing of its methods and objects and the permanent crisis of its professional identification it closes with a robust outline of five key rationales for literary study offering a credible account of the aims of the discipline and a reminder to the professoriate of what they already do and

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stories and nonfiction collections have won numerous awards including the pulitzer prize the national book award the national book critics circle award the pen faulkner award and the howells medal of the american academy of arts and letters he died in january 2009 christopher carduff the editor of this volume is a member of the staff of the library of america

Professing Criticism 2023-01-13

a page turning collection of essays and literary criticism on topics ranging from books writers poker cars faith and the american libido from one of the most gifted american writers of the twentieth century and the author of the acclaimed rabbit series updike is one of the best essayists and critics this country has produced in the last century the los angeles times here updike considers many books some in introductions to such classics as walden the portrait of a lady and the mabinogion and many more in reviews usually for the new yorker ralph waldo emerson and the five biblical books of moses come in for appraisal along with uncle tom s cabin and the wizard of oz contemporary american and english writers colson whitehead e I doctorow don delillo norman rush william trevor a s byatt muriel spark ian mcewan receive attentive and appreciative reviews as do rohinton mistry salman rushdie peter carey margaret atwood gabriel garcía márquez haruki murakami günter grass and orhan pamuk in factual waters mr updike ponders the sinking of the Justania and the unsinkable career of coco chanel the adventures of lord byron and iris murdoch the sexual revolution and the advent of female biblical scholars and

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Roman Literary Theory and Criticism 1962

recognition is often considered a means to de escalate conflicts and promote peaceful social interactions this volume explores the forms that social recognition and its withholding may take in asymmetric armed conflicts examining the risks and opportunities that arise when local state and transnational actors recognise misrecognise or deny recognition of armed non state actors by studying key asymmetric conflicts through the prism of recognition it offers an innovative perspective on the interactions between armed non state actors and state actors in what contexts does granting recognition to armed non state actors foster conflict transformation what happens when governments withhold recognition or label armed non state actors in ways they perceive as misrecognition the authors examine the ambivalence of recognition processes in violent conflicts and their sometimes unintended consequences the volume shows that while non recognition prevents conflict transformation the recognition of armed non state actors may produce counterproductive precedents and new modes of exclusion in intra state and transnational politics

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this third edition which contains updated material additional discussion of critical terms and approaches and a revised further reading list is a guide to the study of english literature

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the lost world of the old west economic turmoil in the great depression and the enduring power of classical thought this rich archive of essays and reviews will surprise delight and provoke those who thought they already knew john g neihardt

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The Just and the Lively 2002

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Literary Terms and Criticism 2002-05-07

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Knowledge and Opinion 2002-01-01

in foregrounding the themes of witnessing seeing and hearing and recognition luke urges readers to reflect on their own hearing reading of his story to become certain kinds of readers and to read in particular ways so the need for a reader oriented methodology in interpreting luke acts is evident but what is the best theory to deploy charting a path through the thickets of modern literary theory darr develops a new reader oriented model insisting that the original extratext the repertoire of literary and social conventions of luke acts and not simply the text itself should be taken into account in any critical evaluation of how this story works to demonstrate this new hermeneutical model darr undertakes an extensive study of lukan characterization and especially his portrayal of herod the tetrarch

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in this bold interdisciplinary work geoffrey galt harpham argues that asceticism has played a major role in shaping western ideas of the body writing ethics and aesthetics he suggests that we consider the ascetic as the cultural element in culture and presents a close analysis of works by athanasius augustine matthias grünewald nietzsche foucault and other thinkers as proof of the extent of asceticism s resources harpham demonstrates the usefulness of his findings by deriving from asceticism a discourse of resistance a code of interpretation ultimately more generous and

Roman literary theory and criticism 1962

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Roman Literary Theory and Criticism 1931

reproduction of the original criticism by john greenleaf whittier

Odd Jobs 2012-12-04

virtual texts have emerged within the realm of the internet as the predominant means of global communication as both technological and cultural artifacts they embody and challenge cultural assumptions and invite new ways of conceptualizing knowledge community identity and meaning but despite the pervasiveness of the internet in nearly all aspects of contemporary life no single resource has cataloged the ways in which numerous disciplines have investigated and critiqued virtual texts this bibliography includes more than 1500 annotated entries for books articles dissertations and electronic resources on virtual texts published between 1988 and 1999 because of the multiple contexts in which virtual texts are studied the bibliography addresses virtual communication across a broad range of disciplines and philosophies it encompasses studies of the historical development of virtual texts investigations of the many interdisciplinary applications of virtual texts and discussions of such legal issues as privacy and intellectual property entries are arranged alphabetically within topical chapters and extensive indexes facilitate easy access

Studies in Poetry and Criticism 1905

a survey of beckett criticism in english french and german samuel beckett 1906 1989 is an important figure in 20th century literary history his plays such as waiting for godot and endgame have acquired a world wide reputation and his novels have proved important touchstones for the critical debates in contemporary literary theory born in dublin beckett spent most of his writing life in france and wrote equally well in french and english his german was also fluent allowing him to direct hisown plays in german theatres any attempt to deal with beckett must therefore consider the critical response his works have provoked in all three languages a critique of beckett criticism is the first attempt in book formto give a comprehensive survey of the history and scope of beckett criticism in french english and german three parallel chapters examine the three major strands of beckett criticism retracing its development using a historical perspective and pointing out different trends currents and fashions in opinion directions for further research are also suggested p j murphy is a lecturer in contemporary british literature at the university college of the cariboo british columbia werner huber is a professor of english literature at chemnitz university of technology rolf breuer is professor of english literature at the university of paderborn konrad schoell is professor of french literature at the pädagogische hochschule erfurt

Literary Criticism of John Dryden 1980

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English Literary Criticism 1961

an anthology of exemplary readings by some of the twentieth century s foremost literary critics close reading presents a wide range of responses to the question at the heart of literary criticism how best to read a text to understand its meaning the lively introduction and the selected essays provide an overview of close reading from new criticism through poststructuralism including works of feminist criticism postcolonial theory queer theory new historicism and more from a 1938 essay by john crowe ransom through the work of contemporary scholars close reading highlights the interplay between critics the ways they respond to and are influenced by others works to facilitate comparisons of methodology the collection includes discussions of the same primary texts by scholars using different critical approaches the essays focus on hamlet lycidas the rape of the lock ulysses invisible man beloved jane austen john keats and wallace stevens and reveal not only what the contributors are reading but also how they are reading frank lentricchia and andrew dubois s collection is an essential tool for teaching the history and practice of close reading contributors houston a baker ir roland barthes homi bhabha r p blackmur cleanth brooks kenneth burke paul de man andrew dubois stanley fish catherine gallagher sandra gilbert stephen greenblatt susan gubar fredric jameson murray krieger frank lentricchia franco moretti john crowe ransom eve kosofsky sedgwick helen vendler

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Herod the Fox 1998-01-01

the book explores key south asian writings on cultural theory and literary criticism it discusses the dynamics of textual contents rhetorical styles and socio political issues through an exploration of seminal south asian scholarship in the humanities and social sciences the volume examines concepts and methods of critical studies it also discusses colonial and postcolonial discourses on art religion nationalism identity representation resistance and gender in the south asian context the essays are accompanied by textual questions and intertextual discussions on rhetorical creative and critical aspects of the selected texts the exercise questions invite the reader to explore the mechanics of reading about and writing on discursive pieces in south asian studies comprehensive and interdisciplinary this textbook will be indispensable for students and

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The World's Body 1938

one of the earliest and still one of the most perceptive analyses of katherine anne porter it gives careful interpretation of the style and intent of porter s work from 1935 through the publication and critical reception of ship of fools

John Stuart Mill 2018-11-08

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