# Course Information

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<td>EDST 565B</td>
<td>Special Course in Subject Matter Field: Paulo Freire</td>
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**Instructor**  
Sam Rocha  
Prerequisites or restrictions (if any)  
None

## Focus or Content

Selected readings of the life and thought of Paulo Freire, with special focus on biography and autobiography, philosophical and theological concerns, intellectual and political history, and issues of translation.

## Goals, Objectives or Learning Outcomes

Develop a more critical understanding of the Freire’s life and ideas.

Identify key Freire terms and themes with nuance and interpretive rigor.

Critically access the influence of Freire in areas like Adult Education, Critical Pedagogy, and Critical Literacy.

Develop ideas on the place and significance of Freirian ideas today.

## Assignments or Assessment Process

World and World Papers (40%): Two papers that work between Freire’s worded texts and worldly context.


Final Draft (40%): A draft of an essay on Freire of the student’s choice.

## Notes/Other