

MAYMESTER Study Away

EXPERIENTIAL 3-WEEK COURSE

ENVS 375/BIOL 375: TROPICAL MARINE ECOSYSTEMS

MAY 14 - MAY 31

COURSE DESCRIPTION

This course will explore coastal and near-shore tropical marine ecosystems, including mangroves and coral reefs. Readings will review key concepts of marine ecology with a focus on local ecosystems.

Study Away Component

Includes 7-10 days of field excursions to local sites in the Florida Keys providing opportunities to learn from researchers and managers. Ability to pass a swim test (or meet with faculty for accommodations) is required.

Note: Departmental funding may be available for Biology and Environmental Sciences majors

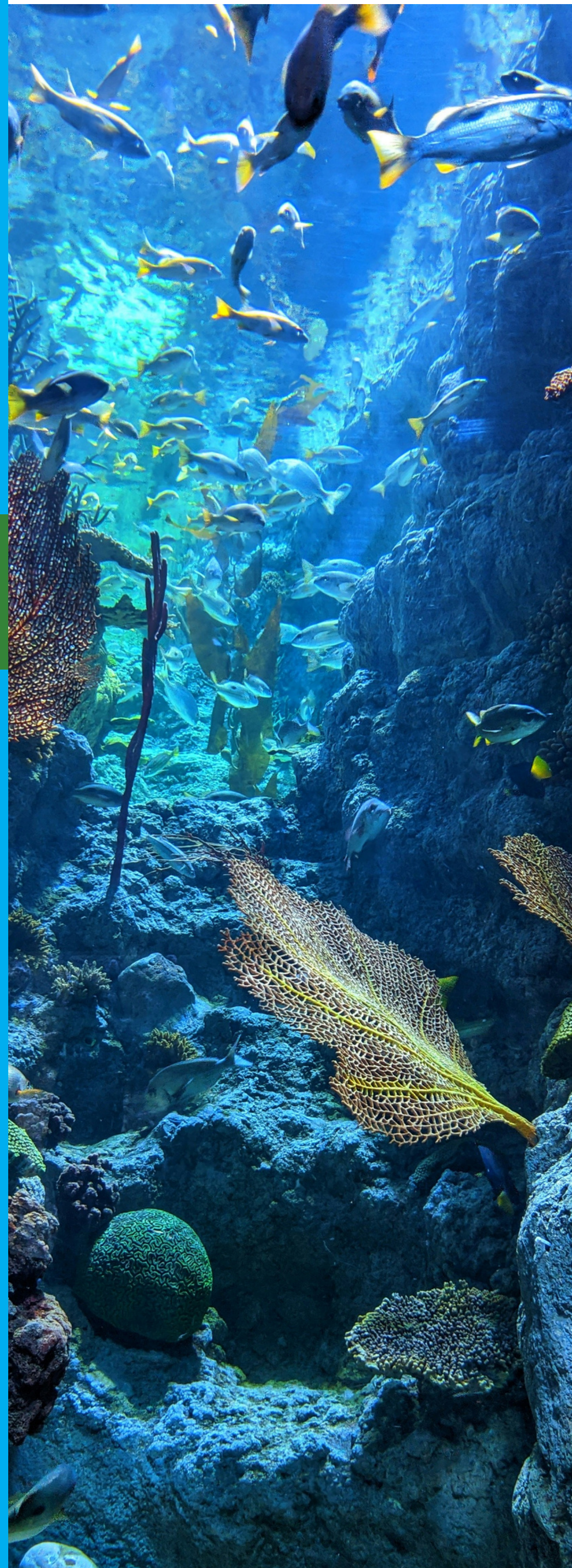
Faculty: Carolyn Keogh

Credit hours: 4

Permission Required. For more information, contact Summer School - summerprograms@emory.edu

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EXPERIENTIAL 3-WEEK COURSE

IDS 351W: Race & the American Dream

MAY 14 - MAY 31

Fulfills GERs

- Race/Ethnicity
- Continuing Communications

COURSE DESCRIPTION

F. Scott Fitzgerald's *The Great Gatsby* novel seethes with half-cooked White Supremacist ideas, spouted by the repulsive character Tom Buchanan, and poignantly plays with racist stereotypes.

This course will use *Gatsby* as a fulcrum to investigate literature and events of the 1920's in the U.S., a decade marked by intense racial violence and strategies of resistance, such as passing, a theme reflected in literary works such as James Weldon Johnson's *Autobiography of an Ex-Coloured Man* and Nella Larsen's *Passing* (which was made into a Hollywood film in 2021).

STUDY AWAY COMPONENT

After six days of in-person, in-class discussion of readings, we will travel as a class to Montgomery, Alabama, site of numerous historical events and contemporary memorials, museums, markers, and other initiatives related to our themes. We will stay for three nights, with planned activities in the morning, afternoon, and evening of each day.

Faculty: Peter Wakefield

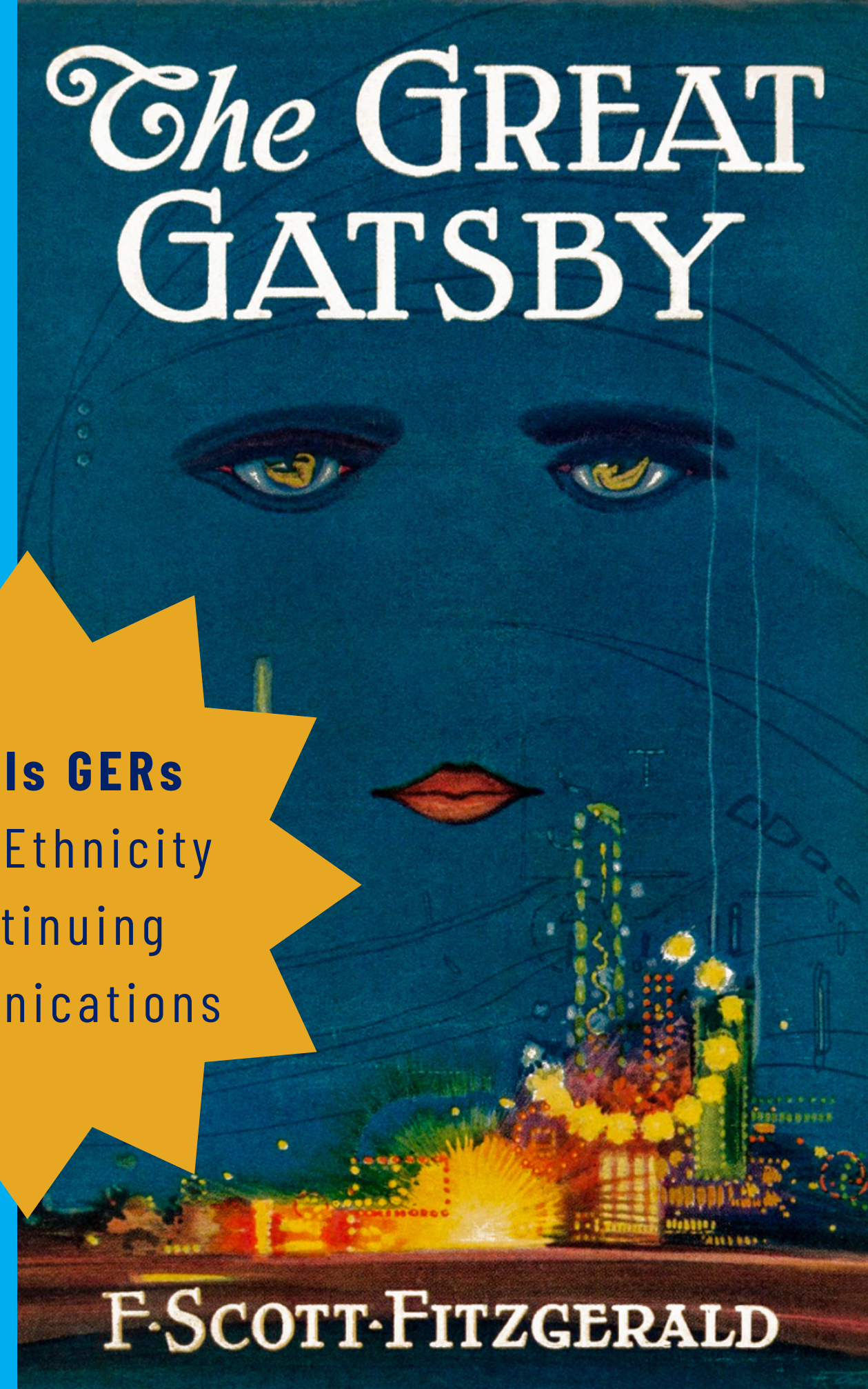
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The GREAT GATSBY



F. SCOTT FITZGERALD



PASSING

NELLA LARSEN