Time, Space, and the Victorian Novel

Instructor

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Email REQUIRED PRIMARY TEXTS

egomel@post.tau.ac.il Charlotte Bronte, *Jane Eyre*

Office Location Wilkie Collins, The Woman in White

Webb 510 Charles Dickens, A Tale of Two Cities

Charles Darwin, Origin of Species (excerpts)

Office Hours H. G. Wells, The Time Machine

Wed. 10-12

SYLLABUS

March 19. Introduction

Unit 1. DOMESTIC TIME

March 26. Bronte, Jane Eyre

April 2. Bronte

April 23. Bronte

Unit 2. **DOMESTIC SPACE**

April 30. Collins, The Woman in White

May 21. Collins

May 28. Collins

Unit 3. **EVOLUTIONARY TIME**

June 4. Darwin, Introduction, Chapter x, Chapter XI

June 11. Wells

Unit 4. **REVOLUTIONARY SPACE**

June 18. Dickens

June 25. Dickens

REQUIREMENTS: class participation (obligatory); one essay; midterm; final **ATTENDANCE IS OBLIGATORY**