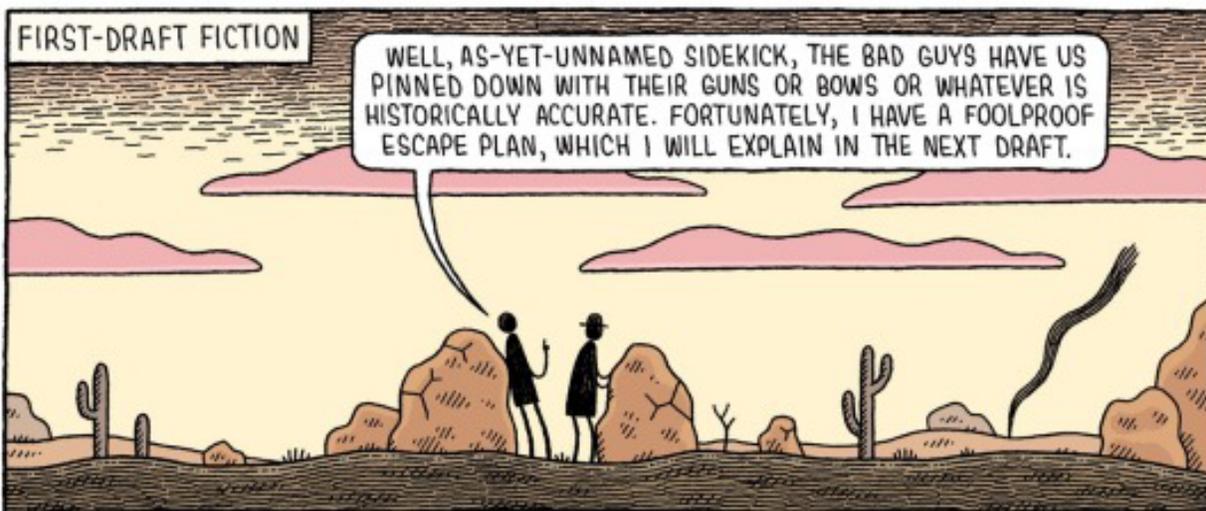


THE UNIVERSITY OF MEMPHIS
ENGL 4603: FICTION WORKSHOP



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Class: MWF 11:30-12:25

COURSE DESCRIPTION

This class focuses on the creation and evaluation of contemporary short fiction. Students will study craft essays, journal about and present on writing techniques from an anthologized short story, workshop two complete story drafts, revise one story, and write a craft review of a contemporary short story collection of their choosing.

REQUIRED TEXT

Freeman, John, ed. *The Penguin Book of the Modern American Short Story*. New York: Penguin, 2022.
Percy, Benjamin. *Thrill Me: Essays on Fiction*. Minneapolis: Graywolf, 2016.