SOUTHERN POLITICS

Political Science 4039
Louisiana State University
3:00-4:30 TTh Dr. Wayne Parent
Fall, 2010
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Required Books: The following books are in paperback and are required for the class.

Julia Cass and J.L. Chestnut, Black in Selma (1991)

Additional required readings will be posted on Moodle - some are already posted, several will be added throughout the semester

Course Requirements:

1. Black in Selma Exam (20% of final grade)
   Before Mid-Term, an Exam will be given covering the entire book

2. Mid-Term Exam (25% of final grade)
   An Exam at Mid-Term will cover lecture and additional readings on Moodle

3. Anthology Research Paper (20% of final grade)
   A 15 page paper covering the Wilson book and additional research will be required toward the end of the semester. Details in class.

Final Exam (35% of final grade)
A Final Exam will cover all lecture material, emphasizing the second half of the semester, plus Moodle readings, plus the Bullock and Rozell book
Final Grade: All assignments and the final grade use the following grading scale:

A = 90%  B = 80%  C = 70%  D = 60%  F = Below 60%

Disabilities: Students with disabilities should contact Disability Services (578-5919) and make all necessary arrangements through that office.