

**English 454F - James Joyce's *Ulysses***

**"Eumaeus"  
"Ithaca"**

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**the Ithaca panel**

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**Web sites**

**James Joyce's Submission of *Ulysses*  
to His Creative Writing Workshop**  
<http://www.mcsweeneys.net/2006/5/9wayne.html>

**Cat and Girl**  
<http://catandgirl.com/view.php?loc=241>

**Eumaeus 1**

first of 3 "Nostos" (return) episodes  
style of the episode ?  
Bloom and Stephen - attempts to connect:  
overhear Italian (16:314-19)  
politics (16:1162 etc.)  
music (16:1733-69) but also 16:1820  
when Stephen sings  
at end: a question Bloom can answer  
(16:1708-13)

**Eumaeus 2**

Bloom's offer to Stephen (16:1621-23)  
Bloom's plans (16:1652-61)  
shows Stephen photo of Molly (16:1425)  
Stephen and Bloom's arm (16:1721-24)  
Bloom and his Judaism (16:1081-87)  
and his situation at home (16:1379-86)  
the newspaper article about the Gold Cup race  
(16:1274-94)  
the newspaper article about Paddy Dignam's  
funeral (16:1248-61)

**Ithaca 1**

questions and answers  
Joyce's schema: "catechism: impersonal"  
Joyce's letter (February 1921):  
"mathematical catechism," "baldest coldest  
way" + to Budgen: "the ugly duckling of the  
book"  
Clive Hart: "answers of a computer which  
has not been programmed to distinguish  
between what is important and what is not"

