

# French Style:

## Fashion, Food, and Flair

A course for Spring 2019

FRIT-F 227

TR 11:15-12:30

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- How and when did everything French become *chic*?
- Why is French cuisine known for its quality throughout the world?
- What is the secret of French fashion?
- What role do cuisine and fashion play in French society?
- What does the study of French food and fashion show us about the process of democratization, evolving gender patterns, and the rise of consumer culture?

Through the lens of French food and fashion, we will explore the 17<sup>th</sup> century of Louis XIV, and meet some of the most important culinary and fashion experts throughout French history. We will discover how France has influenced the world and how food and fashion is intertwined with our own identities here in the US.

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