MLLL 3523: Survey of Russian Literature to 1917

What are the “accursed questions”?
What makes Dostoevsky like a hedgehog and Tolstoy like a fox?
What happened to Major Kovalyov’s nose?
Did the three sisters ever get to Moscow?

We will discuss these questions and many more in MLLL 3523: Survey of Russian Literature to 1917
Fall 2010, MW 1:30-2:45

This course is an introduction to Russian literature from its origins to the Revolution of 1917, with a special focus on the nineteenth century, the golden age of Russian literature.

No knowledge of Russian is required. All texts will be read in English translation. MLLL 3523 fulfills the General Education requirement for Western Culture and Civilization. Prerequisite: junior standing or consent of instructor (freely given). For further information, contact Dr. Kirsten Rutsala: krutsala@ou.edu.