Reading List for NOFI 106:
Old Norse Mythology (5 ECTS)
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A. Primary literature

   - Völuspá (The Seeress’s Prophecy)
   - Hávamál (Sayings of the High One)
   - Vafþrúðnismál (Vafþrúðnir’s Sayings)
   - Skírnismál (Skírnir’s Journey)
   - Háðarðsljóð (Harbard’s Song)
   - Hymiskviða (Hymir’s Poem)
   - Lokasenna (Loki’s Quarrel)
   - Þrymskviða (Thrym’s Poem)
   - Baldrs draumar (Baldr’s Dreams)
   - Rígsþula (The List of Rig)

   - Prologue
   - Gylfaginning (The Deluding of Gylfi)
   - Skáldskaparmál (Poetic Diction)

B. Secondary literature

1. A broad introduction to Old Norse religion:


2. A selection of articles and chapters that comment on the primary texts of the syllabus. Approx. 100 pages:


