Week 6
Topic: Acupuncture as Body-"Plumbing": The Basics of Acupuncture, III
Reading: Between Heaven and Earth: Ch. 13, "Acupuncture: A Unified Field of Invisible Channels" (continued)
Viewing: China Zhenjiuology: Points; Needling Methods

Week 7
Midterm brainstorm
Paper #1 due before fall recess.

Week 8
Topic: The Body of Pain
Reading: Pain in America (Sheridan): Ch. 1, "Feeling Pain;" Morris: Ch. 7, "Pain is Always in Your Head;" Migraine (Sacks): Ch. 1, "Common Migraine"
Viewing: Cries and Whispers

Week 9
Topic: The Culture of Pain
Reading: Pain in America: Ch. 2, "Psychosocial Aspects of Pain;" Morris, Ch. 3, "An Invisible Epidemic"

Week 10
Topic: The Triangle of Pain: Patient, the Doctor, and Pain
Reading: Pain in America: Ch. 4, "Professional Caregivers;" Ch. 6, "Patients;" Migraine: Ch. 14, "General Measures in the Management of Migraine;" U.S. News and World Report: Cover story, "No Excuse for Pain;" "The Quality of Mercy," (Brownlee and Schrof)
Viewing: Healing from Within

Week 11
Topic: The Tao of Pain: Tong (Pain) vs. Tong (Unclogged)
Reading: Pain in America: Ch. 10, "Meanings," Ch. 11, "In Search of Solutions;" Morris: Ch. 2, "The Meanings of Pain;" Ch. 12, "The Future of Pain"
Paper #2 due.

Week 12
Topic: The Needle vs. Pain, I
Reading: Eckman: Ch. 5, "History as Mystery: Traditional Acupuncture's Journey to the West;" Chaitow: Ch. 1, "Acupuncture for Pain Relief;" Ch. 7, "Acupuncture Anaesthesia," MacPherson and Kaptchuk: Ch. 7, "Treating the Untreatable;" (Haines), Ch. 40, "Headaches Angles, and Guiding Spirits;" (Young)
Viewing: China Zhenjiuology: Diagnosis and Treatment of Internal Medicine

Week 13
Topic: The Needle vs. Pain, II
Reading: Chaitow: Ch. 6, "Formulary for the Treatment of Pain;" MacPherson and Kaptchuk: Ch. 12, "Elinor in the Dance;" (Connelly), Ch. 22, "Challenges That Take Their Toll;" (Cote)
Viewing: China Zhenjiuology: Diagnosis and Treatment of Gynecology and Pediatrics

Week 14
Topic: The Needle or the Pill, This is a Question
Reading: Pain in America: Ch. 9, "Relieving Pain;" Time Special issue: "The Frontiers of Medicine: Challenging the Main Stream;" (Langone); MacPherson and Kaptchuk: Ch. 1, "The Cruel Virus: A Case of HIV and AIDS;" (Thong), Ch. 31, "Coffee, Marijuana, and Back Pain;" (Nielsen)
Viewing: China Zhenjiuology: Diagnosis and Treatment of E.N.T.

Week 15
Final brainstorm
Paper #3 due.

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What is the URL for the ASIANetwork website? Thanks.
Editor's note: The ASIANetwork website is found at <www.asianetwork.org>

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John [Butt] and I thought the 1998 ASIANetwork Conference meetings were very good. I hope I will have the opportunity to attend this year.
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