## Lecture Three

(Multi-Level Structure: Passage)

## 本节课授课要点

• 现象解释

• 新老观点

	开篇套路词	发展/KW	态度/AW	TS & CS
现象解释(多个解释)	phenomenon, fact, behavior;	Phen.  Ist explanation=kwl aw:  2 <sup>nd</sup> interpretation=kw2	前负后正 (80%) 前负后正	TS: explain +现象; way +问题 →首段首(末)句 CS: 少见
问题解决 (多个解决)	problem, difficulty puzzle, question	Prob. Solution I = kw I But aw- Other way=kw 2		
唯一解释	有时TW=Phen./ Prob.	Author's expl.	唯一解释	

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- (A) present the major steps of a process
- (B) clarify an ambiguity
- (C) chronicle a dispute
- (D) correct misconceptions
- (E) defend an accepted approach

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	frequently, widely, many, most, usually, dominant, common [ however, now ]			CS: 少见

#### 新老观点

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I. The primary purpose of the passage is to

- (A) illustrate a hypothesis about the origin of galaxies
- (B) provide evidence to dispute an accepted theory about the evolution of galaxies
- (C) summarize the state of and prospects for research in intergalactic astronomy
- (D) report new data on the origins of intergalactic gas
- (E) reconcile opposing views on the formation of intergalactic gas

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Thesis	is, remain + adj. can, should, must attitude words:+, -	Thesis (TW) subthesis I = kwI subthesis 2 = kw2 (Conclusion)		TS = Thesis →首段某句,多为首末句 CS: 较短末段(=TS)
评述 Review	recent study (人名+书名/ 人物+研究/学派+运动)		评述文章多混合评价	无TS CS: 综合各段主题 → 各段首句

#### 论点说明 / 评述

Joseph Glatthaar's Forged in Battle is not the first excellent study of Black soldiers and their White officers in the Civil War, but it uses more soldiers' letters and diaries—including rare material from Black soldiers—and concentrates more intensely on Black-White relations in Black regiments than do any of its predecessors. Glatthaar's title expresses his thesis: loyalty, friendship, and respect among White officers and Black soldiers were fostered by the mutual dangers they faced in combat.

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- I. The passage as a whole can best be characterized as which of the following?
- (A) An evaluation of a scholarly study
- (B) A description of an attitudinal change
- (C) A discussion of an analytical defect
- (D) An analysis of the causes of a phenomenon
- (E) An argument in favor of revising a view

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# 预告下节课授课要点

- 并列
- 对比
- 因果/相关
- 机制
- 让步

# The End