BODILY FICTIONS

BODIES TO WATCH: RELEVANT FILMS

**Old Age**

Whatever Happened to Baby Jane? (1962)

Driving Miss Daisy (1989)

The Whales of August (1987)

**Bodies in Extremis/Bias**

To Kill a Mockingbird (1962)

Fences (2016)

The Help (2011)

Hidden Figures (2016)

Shame (2011)

Hunger (2008)

Moonlight (2016)

Taboo (Gohatto) (1999)

When Night Is Falling (1995)

Agora (2009)

Disney’s Frozen (2013)

Cherry Blossoms (2008)

Fight Club (1999)

Quills (2000)

12 Years a Slave (2013)

Doubt (2008)

**Gender Benders**

Victor Victoria (1982)

Zelig (1983)

All of Me (1984)

Shakespeare in Love (1998)

Tiresia (2003)

Tiresias (2016)

**AIDS**

3 Needles (2005)

Dallas Byers’ Club (2013)

**Future Bodies (including the old sexist theme of the “Pandora” female stereotype)**

Metropolis (1927)

Her (2013)

Ex Machina (2014)

Avatar (2009)

X-Men (especially the first three films in the series)

Fantastic Four (the 2005 version, not the 2015 flop)

Surrogates (2009)

**TV series**

Angels in America (2003)—based on the Tony Kushner play

Battlestar Galactica (2004 version, not the old)

Westworld (2016)

The Handmaid’s Tale (2017)