CLCV 1003A SURVEY OF ROMAN CIVILIZATION

LATE SUMMER TERM 2009

Precludes additional credit for FYSM 1106, CLCV 1000 and CLCV 1109

Class Times: Tuesday & Thursday, 5.35 – 7.25 p.m. (beginning July 7)

Location: UC (University Centre) 376

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REQUIRED TEXTS:

Kamm, Antony The Romans (2nd edition), Routledge, London & New York, 2008

N.B. Companion Website: www.the-romans.co.uk

Jeffreys, Roland (ed.) Course Pack: Selections from Latin Literature, 2009

COURSE DESCRIPTION:

The course is an introduction to the civilization of ancient Rome. We shall examine aspects of Roman culture and society, set against the historical background of Rome's rise from village to empire and read passages from ancient authors that give revealing insights into the Roman world.

The main emphasis will be on the late republic and the early Empire.

EVALUATION (further details overleaf)

Mid-term Test 25% (July 23)

Essay 30% (Due August 6)

Final Exam 45% (in exam period: August 20 -25)

NOTES

- 1. It is essential to work steadily from the beginning. Summer courses go by quickly.
- 2. Information may be posted on the course WebCT page. Check the Home Page and Announcements regularly.
- 3. Be aware of the Academic Integrity Standards of the University (2008/2009 Undergraduate Calendar, pp. 56-8). On plagiarism, see also the attached information-sheet headed Regulations Common to all Humanities Courses. That sheet also contains information on Requests for Academic Accommodation and provides some useful addresses.
- 4. .If you miss the test , you will need a medical certificate (or the like) to write it later.
- 5. Late essays will be penalized 1% per day.
- 6. Requests for Deferred Final Exams should be directed to the Registrar's office. In this course, for your request to be considered, you must have at least 50% of the maximum marks for the other course assignments.

SOME INFORMATION ON TEST, EXAM &ASSIGNMENTS

Mid-term Test:

Will take place in the **first hour of class on July 23**rd. It may contain the following types of question: short notes; identification of quotations; multiple choice; fill in blanks. More precise details will be given on separate sheet to be distributed on July 9th.

Essays:

Due on August 6th. A list of topics and guidelines will be distributed on July 9th.

Final Examination (2 hours):

Will be scheduled in the August exam period (**August 20-25**th). It will relate to material covered in Classes 6 – 12, inclusive. More precise information will be given by August 4th.

			Related Material	
			Kamm	CoursePack
Class	Date	Subject-Matter	Pages	
01	July 07	Introduction; early Italy;	1-11; 167	
		Roman values & religion	104; 74-93	45 left
02	July 09	Establishment of Republic;	12-9	
		Expansion	19-21; 23-8	
03	July 14	Greek influence & the reaction;	21-3; 96-7	1-16
		Literature; Plautus, <i>The Ghost</i>	153-4; 142-3	
04	July 16	Disruption of Republic: from	28-39	
		the Gracchi to 'first triumvirate'		
05	July 21	Literature of late Republic: Lucretius;	155-7; 170	17-23; 26-7
		Catullus; Cicero		
06	July 23	TEST; Julius Caesar; triumviral period	40-8	24-7
07	July 28	Augustus & establishment of Empire;	46-9; 93	64
		Art & architecture; military reforms	135 ff.; 172 ff.	
08	July 30	Augustan literature: Virgil, Aeneid;	157-64	28-44
		Horace; Ovid		
09	Aug. 04	Julio-Claudians (emphasis on Nero)	54-60; 119	59-67
		Overview of imperial period	60-73; 181-204	
10	Aug. 06	ESSAYS DUE		
		Economic activity (trade & industry)	105-9; 127-30	
		Social classes; women; slavery	101-4; 108-23	45-7; 57-9
11	Aug. 11	Education & leisure	123-4; 139-43	47-8; 88
		Games and the amphitheatre	130-3	49; 57; 88
		Rome & Pompeii	68-70; 103	50-1; 53-6
12	Aug. 13	Eastern Cults	94-6	
		Apuleius, <i>The Golden Ass</i>	166	68-87
		Christianity & the Empire	98-100; 183-4	51-2, 63, 88
		The legacy of Rome	204-6	89

N.B. Page numbers listed for Course Pack are the handwritten numbers at bottom centre of page.

REGULATIONS COMMON TO ALL HUMANITIES COURSES

COPIES OF WRITTEN WORK SUBMITTED

Always retain for yourself a copy of all essays, term papers, written assignments or take-home tests submitted in your courses.

PLAGIARISM

The University Senate defines plagiarism as "presenting, whether intentional or not, the ideas, expression of ideas or work of others as one's own." This can include:

- reproducing or paraphrasing portions of someone else's published or unpublished material, regardless of the source, and presenting these as one's own without proper citation or reference to the original source;
- submitting a take-home examination, essay, laboratory report or other assignment written, in whole or in part, by someone else;
- using ideas or direct, verbatim quotations, or paraphrased material, concepts, or ideas without appropriate acknowledgment in any academic assignment;
- using another's data or research findings;
- failing to acknowledge sources through the use of proper citations when using another's works and/or failing to use quotation marks;
- handing in "substantially the same piece of work for academic credit more than once without prior written permission of the course instructor in which the submission occurs."

Plagiarism is a serious offence which cannot be resolved directly with the course's instructor. The Associate Deans of the Faculty conduct a rigorous investigation, including an interview with the student, when an instructor suspects a piece of work has been plagiarized. Penalties are not trivial. They range from a mark of zero for the plagiarized work to a final grade of "F" for the course, and even suspension from all studies or expulsion from the University.

GRADING SYSTEM

Letter grades assigned in this course will have the following percentage equivalents:

A+=90-100 (12)	B+ = 77-79 (9)	C+ = 67-69(6)
A = 85-89(11)	B = 73-76 (8)	C = 63-66(5)
A - = 80-84 (10)	B - = 70-72(7)	C - = 60-62(4)
D+ = 57-59(3)	D = 53-56(2)	D - = 50-52(1)

F Failure. No academic credit
WDN Withdrawn from the course
ABS Absent from the final examination
DEF Official deferral (see "Petitions to Defer")

FND "Failed, no Deferral" – assigned when the student is absent from the final exam and has failed the course on the basis of inadequate term work as specified in the course outline.

Standing in a course is determined by the course instructor subject to the approval of the Faculty Dean.

WITHDRAWAL WITHOUT ACADEMIC PENALTY

The last date to withdraw from Early Summer courses is June 12, 2009. The last day to withdraw from Full Summer and Late Summer courses is July 31, 2009.

REQUESTS FOR ACADEMIC ACCOMMODATION

1. For Students with Disabilities

Students with disabilities needing academic accommodations are required to contact a co-ordinator at the Paul Menton Centre (ext. 6608) to complete the necessary *letters of accommodation*. The student must then make an appointment to discuss their needs with the instructor at least two weeks prior to the first in-class or CUTV test. This is to ensure sufficient time is available to make the necessary accommodation arrangements. Deadlines for submitting forms for formally scheduled exam accommodation: June 12, 2009 for June examinations and July 31, 2009 for August examinations.

2. For Religious Obligations

Students requesting academic accommodation on the basis of religious obligation should make a formal, written request to their instructors for alternate dates and/or means of satisfying academic requirements. Such requests should be made during the first two weeks of class, or as soon as possible after the need for accommodation is known to exist, but no later than two weeks before the compulsory event. Accommodation is to be worked out directly and on an individual basis between the student and the instructor(s) involved. Instructors will make accommodations in a way that avoids academic disadvantage to the student.

Students or instructors who have questions or want to confirm accommodation eligibility of a religious event or practice may refer to the Equity Services website for a list of holy days and Carleton's Academic Accommodation policies, or may contact an Equity Services Advisor in the Equity Services Department for assistance. (613-520-5622)

3. For Pregnancy:

Pregnant students requiring academic accommodations are encouraged to contact an Equity Advisor in Equity Services (613-520-5622) to complete a *letter of accommodation*. The student must then make an appointment to discuss her needs with the instructor at least two weeks prior to the first academic event in which it is anticipated the accommodation will be required.

PETITIONS TO DEFER

Students unable to complete a <u>final</u> term paper or write a <u>final</u> examination because of illness or other circumstances beyond their control or whose performance on an examination has been impaired by such circumstances may apply in writing within five working days to the Registrar's Office for permission to extend a term paper deadline or to write a deferred examination. The request must be fully and specifically supported by a medical certificate or other relevant documentation. Only deferral petitions submitted to the Registrar's Office will be considered.

ADDRESSES: (Area Code 613)

College of the Humanities 520-2809
Classics and Religion Office 520-2100
Registrar's Office 520-3500
Student Academic Success Centre 520-7850
Paul Menton Centre 520-6608
Writing Tutorial Service 520-6632

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