

**CLCV / HIST 2902 A**  
**History of Ancient Greece I**

Fall 2017

Tuesdays and Thursdays 4-5:30pm

Loeb C264

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The history of ancient Greece from the Bronze Age through the Archaic period.  
Precludes additional credit for [CLCV 2900](#) and [HIST 2900](#).  
Prerequisite(s): second-year standing or permission of unit.

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**Mandatory Texts:**

Nancy Demand, *A History of Greece in its Mediterranean Context*. 3<sup>rd</sup> ed. (Sloan, 2012).

Additional required readings are posted on cuLearn (13 readings, 49 pages total).

**Requirements:**

**Research Project**

Mandatory lecture and sign-up deadline (Oct.3).....minus 5% if not present

Research project due in class (Nov. 16).....30%

**Midterm test** (full class, 80 minutes, Oct. 19).....30%

**Final Exam** (2 hours, exam period Dec. 2017).....40%

The final date for withdrawal from this course without academic penalty is **December 8, 2017**.

**Research Project:** This consists of a brief summary and annotated bibliography closely focused on problems and controversies in our understanding of a particular topic in Greek history. A list of topics and instructions for the Project are posted on cuLearn. You may sign up for a topic (deadline Oct.3) by emailing the professor or by signing the sheet in class.

**Late policy:** The Research Project must be handed in either before the start of class or immediately after the lecture ends on November 16. If it is handed in during the lecture, it will be considered 1 day late. The penalty for late submission will be 10% subtracted from the grade for each working day late.

1 day late = minus 10% penalty; 2 days late = minus 20%; 3 days = minus 30%; 4 days = minus 40%; 5 days = minus 50%. After five days, the work will receive a mark of zero.

**Tests:** The midterm test and final exam will include various types of questions (short answer, essay, and commentary). The midterm test will cover all material in lectures and all assigned readings up to the date of the test. The final exam will cover all material since the midterm test: students will not be asked questions specifically on material from before the midterm test, but are encouraged to incorporate information from earlier lectures into responses on the exam.

**Make-up tests** will only be given for valid, documented reasons. The professor must be informed of such cases *immediately*. A make-up test is normally written within one week of the original test and at the convenience of the professor.

**Academic offences:** All students are expected to know what constitutes an academic offence, to avoid committing academic offences, and to take responsibility for their academic actions. Academic offenses include things like plagiarism, cheating, improper research, obstructing academic activity, double

submission, unauthorized collaboration, impersonation, falsification etc. When an offence is committed, penalties will be imposed by the Associate Dean in accordance with the regulations of the Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences.

**A normal penalty for a first offence is a mark of zero for the work affected. Stiffer penalties may be imposed, and are normal for repeat offenders.**

Information about academic offences and student discipline can be found in the university calendar under Student Conduct (Section 14.0 Academic Integrity). This policy can be read in full online at:

<http://calendar.carleton.ca/undergrad/regulations/academicregulationsoftheuniversity/acadregsuniv14/>

If you need help in learning how to avoid academic offences or clarification of aspects of the discipline policy, ask the professor!

**PLEASE NOTE:** This course uses cuLearn, Carleton’s learning management system. You can access courses on cuLearn at <http://carleton.ca/culearn>. Information posted on cuLearn includes: syllabus, basic chronology of Greek history, research project information and sign-up sheet, lists of all terms covered in lectures, announcements about the class or special events of relevance (eg. guest lectures), and marks for all requirements in the course. I do NOT post PowerPoint presentations or the text of lectures. If you miss a lecture, it is your responsibility to acquire reliable notes from a fellow student. All term work will be returned to students, but beyond that all marks in this course will be released only through cuLearn.

Information posted on cuLearn will be considered to have been provided to all registered students within 24 hours of posting. Students are responsible for reading and responding appropriately to any information distributed through cuLearn.

### Schedule of lectures and readings

Lecture topics and readings (which are keyed to topics) may vary. Fixed points are tests and deadlines.

<b>Date</b>	<b>Topics</b>	<b>Textbook</b>	<b>Readings on cuLearn</b>
Sept. 7	intro and basics	ch.1	
Sept. 12, 14	sources, geography and prehistory		
Sept. 19, 21	Bronze Age – Cyclades and Crete	ch.2	#1
Sept. 26, 28	BA Minoans and Mainlanders		
<b>Oct. 3</b>	<b>mandatory class – on research project</b>		
Oct. 5	Mycenaeans	ch.3	#2
Oct. 10, 12	End of the Bronze Age	ch.4	#3
Oct. 17	The Dark Age		#4, 5, 6
<b>Oct. 19</b>	<b>Midterm test (entire class)</b>		
<b>Oct. 23-27</b>	<b>Fall break – no classes</b>		
Oct.31, Nov.2	Dark Age to Archaic rebirth: the <i>polis</i>	ch.5	#7, 8
Nov. 7, 9	Constitutions, colonization, warfare		
Nov. 14, 16	History and Historians (to Herodotus)		#9
<b>Nov. 16</b>	<b>Research Project due</b>		
Nov. 21, 23	Historians (Thucydides) and States (Cyrene)		#1 again, 10
Nov.28, 30	Greek Tyrants: Corinth and Cypselids	ch.6	# 11, 12
Dec. 5, 7	Spartan solutions		# 13

Greek and Roman Studies home page: <http://carleton.ca/grs/>



## University Regulations for All Humanities Courses

### Copies of Written Work Submitted

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

### Academic Integrity at Carleton

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Plagiarism is presenting, whether intentionally or not, the ideas, expression of ideas, or work of others as one's own. Plagiarism includes 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. Examples of sources from which the ideas, expressions of ideas or works of others may be drawn from include but are not limited to: books, articles, papers, literary compositions and phrases, performance compositions, chemical compounds, art works, laboratory reports, research results, calculations and the results of calculations, diagrams, constructions, computer reports, computer code/software, and material on the internet. More information can be found on <https://carleton.ca/registrar/academic-integrity/#AIatCU>.

### Academic Accommodation Policy

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#### **Academic Accommodation**

You may need special arrangements to meet your academic obligations during the term. For an accommodation request the processes are as follows:

**Pregnancy obligation:** write to the instructor with any requests for academic accommodation during the first two weeks of class, or as soon as possible after the need for accommodation is known to exist. For more details see the [Student Guide](#)

**Religious obligation:** write to the instructor with any requests for academic accommodation during the first two weeks of class, or as soon as possible after the need for accommodation is known to exist. For more details see the [Student Guide](#)

**Academic Accommodations for Students with Disabilities:** The Paul Menton Centre for Students with Disabilities (PMC) provides services to students with Learning Disabilities (LD), psychiatric/mental health disabilities, Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD), Autism Spectrum Disorders (ASD), chronic medical conditions, and impairments in mobility, hearing, and vision. If you have a disability requiring academic accommodations in this course, please contact PMC at

613-520-6608 or [pmc@carleton.ca](mailto:pmc@carleton.ca) for a formal evaluation. If you are already registered with the PMC, contact your PMC coordinator to send me your Letter of Accommodation at the beginning of the term, and no later than two weeks before the first in-class scheduled test or exam requiring accommodation (if applicable). After requesting accommodation from PMC, meet with me to ensure accommodation arrangements are made. Please consult the [PMC website](#) for the deadline to request accommodations for the formally-scheduled exam (if applicable).

## Grading System at Carleton University

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Standing in a course is determined by the course instructor, subject to the approval of the faculty Dean. Standing in courses will be shown by alphabetical grades. The system of grades used, with corresponding grade points and the percentage conversion is below. Grade points indicated are for courses with 1.0 credit value. Where the course credit is greater or less than one credit, the grade points are adjusted proportionately.

[Grading System Chart](#)

## Course Sharing Websites and Copyright

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Classroom teaching and learning activities, including lectures, discussions, presentations, etc., by both instructors and students, are copy protected and remain the intellectual property of their respective author(s). All course materials, including PowerPoint presentations, outlines, and other materials, are also protected by copyright and remain the intellectual property of their respective author(s).

Students registered in the course may take notes and make copies of course materials for their own educational use only. Students are not permitted to reproduce or distribute lecture notes and course materials publicly for commercial or non-commercial purposes without express written consent from the copyright holder(s).

## Statement on Class Conduct

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The Carleton University Human Rights Policies and Procedures affirm that all members of the University community share a responsibility to:

- promote equity and fairness,
- respect and value diversity,
- prevent discrimination and harassment, and

preserve the freedom of its members to carry out responsibly their scholarly work without threat of interference.

## Deferred Term Work

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In some situations, students are unable to complete term work because of illness or other circumstances beyond their control, which forces them to delay submission of the work.

Students who claim illness, injury or other extraordinary circumstances beyond their control as a reason for missed term work are held responsible for immediately informing the instructor concerned and for making alternate arrangements with the instructor and **in all cases this must occur no later than three (3.0) working days after the term work was due.**

The alternate arrangement must be made before the last day of classes in the term as published in the academic schedule. Normally, any deferred term work will be completed by the last day of term. More information is available [in the calendar](#).

## Deferred Exams

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Students who do not write/attend a final examination because of illness or other circumstances beyond their control may apply to write a deferred examination.

1. be made in writing to the Registrar's Office **no later than three working days after the original final examination or the due date of the take-home examination;** and
2. be fully supported by appropriate documentation and in cases of illness by a medical certificate dated no later than one working day after the examination or by appropriate documents in other cases. Medical documents must specify the date of the onset of the illness, the (expected) date of recovery, and the extent to which the student was/is incapacitated during the time of the examination. The University's preferred medical form can be found at the Registrar's Office [forms and fees page](#).

The granting of a deferral also requires that the student has performed satisfactorily in the course according to the evaluation scheme established in the Course Outline, excluding the final examination for which deferral privileges are requested. Reasons for denial of a deferral may include, among other conditions, a failure to (i) achieve a minimum score in the course before the final examination; (ii) attend a minimum number of classes; (iii) successfully complete a specific task (e.g. term paper, critical report, group project, computer or other assignment); (iv) complete laboratory work; (v) successfully complete one or more midterms; or (vi) meet other reasonable conditions of successful performance.

More information can be found [in the calendar](#).

Any questions related to deferring a Final Exam or Final Assignment/Take Home Examination should be directed to: [Registrar's Office](#)

## Withdrawal From Courses

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Withdrawn. No academic credit, no impact on the CGPA.

**NEW FALL 2017:** WDN is a permanent notation that appears on the official transcript for students who withdraw after the full fee adjustment date in each term. Students may withdraw on or before the last day of classes.

**Dates can be found here:** <http://calendar.carleton.ca/academicyear/>

## Department Contact Information

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**College of the Humanities** 300 Paterson Hall (613)520-2809

[CollegeOfHumanities@cunet.carleton.ca](mailto:CollegeOfHumanities@cunet.carleton.ca)

Drop box for CLCV, HUMS LATN GREK Term Papers and assignments is outside 300 P.A.

**Greek and Roman Studies** 300 Paterson Hall (613)520-2809

[GreekAndRomanStudies@cunet.carleton.ca](mailto:GreekAndRomanStudies@cunet.carleton.ca)

Drop Box is outside of 300 P.A.

**Religion** 2A39 Paterson Hall (613)520-2100

[Religion@cunet.carleton.ca](mailto:Religion@cunet.carleton.ca)

Drop box for RELI Term Papers and assignments is outside of 2A39 P.A.

**Registrar's Office** 300 Tory (613)520-3500

<https://carleton.ca/registrar/>

## Student Resources on Campus

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[CUKnowHow Website](#)