

CLCV / HIST 2900 A
History of Ancient Greece

Fall 2010 and Winter 2011

Tuesdays and Thursdays 1:00-2:30pm

Fall: Azrieli Theatre 301

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Tues. 2:30-3:30, Wed. 1-2pm

or by appointment

The history of classical Greece to the conquest of Asia by Alexander the Great with special attention to the development of her characteristic institutions.

Prerequisite: second-year standing or permission of the unit. 1.0 credit

Text to purchase:

Nancy Demand, *A History of Greece in its Mediterranean Context*. 2nd ed. (Sloan, 2006).

Additional required readings will be posted on WebCT.

Requirements:

Fall 2010

Mandatory Class / sign-up (group research project, Oct. 7, 2010).....minus 5% if not present

Test 1 (full class, 80 minutes, Nov.4, 2010).....20%

Group Research Project 1 (due Dec. 2, 2010).....20%

Winter 2011

Test 2 (full class, 80 minutes, Feb.1, 2011).....20%

Mandatory Class / sign-up (group research project, Feb. 3, 2011).....minus 5% if not present

Group Research Project 2 (due Mar.31, 2011).....20%

Final Exam (2 hours, exam period Apr. 2011).....20%

***Group Research Projects** have 3 mandatory parts (1.Research Bibliography, 2.Analysis of Controversies, 3.Peer Evaluation). Marks will not be assigned until all three parts of the project have been submitted. Information about what is required in each part of the Project will be posted on WebCT. You must sign up for a topic by **October 7, 2010** for project 1 and **February 3, 2011** for project 2.

The final date for withdrawal from this course without academic penalty is **April 5, 2011**.

Tests: All tests and exams will include various types of questions (short answer, essays, commentaries etc.). Each test will cover material since the start of term or since the previous test. The subject of this course is cumulative and students are encouraged to incorporate information from earlier lectures into later tests since it may enrich responses.

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

Due dates and Late policy: The Group Research Projects are due by the end of their respective classes. If they are not in my possession by the time I leave class on those dates, they will be considered late. The penalty for late submission 10% subtracted from the grade for each working day late (ie. 1 day = minus 10%; 2 days = 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.

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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. When the commission of an offence (such as plagiarism, cheating, improper research, obstructing academic activity, double submission, unauthorized collaboration, impersonation, falsification etc.) is established, penalties will be imposed in accordance with the regulations of the Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences.

The minimum penalty assigned to any requirement in this course that is affected by an academic offence will be a mark of zero for the relevant work.

Information about academic offences and student discipline can be found in the university calendar under Student Conduct (Section 14.0 Academic Integrity). If you need help in learning how to avoid academic offences or clarification of aspects of the discipline policy, ask the professor!

WebT: This course will be supported by the WebCT Course Management System. **Marks** will be released only through WebCT. **All email** correspondence with the professor should be carried out through the WebCT email system. I will not reply to messages from private email addresses. Students will be responsible for reading and responding appropriately to all information distributed through WebCT. Information provided on webCT will be considered to have been released to registered students within 24 hours of posting.

Schedule of lectures and readings, Fall 2010

Fixed points on this schedule are tests and deadlines. Lecture topics and readings (which are keyed to topics, not date) may vary. You will receive a new schedule for the winter term.

Week	Date	Topics	Required Readings	
			Textbook	WebCT
1	Sept. 9	Introduction	ch. 1	
2	Sept.14, 16	Neolithic and Bronze Age	ch.2	#1
3	Sept.21, 23	BA continued (Crete and mainland)		
4	Sept. 28, 30	BA con't (Mycenaeans)	ch.3	#2
5	Oct.5	End of the Bronze Age	ch.4	#3
	Oct. 7	Mandatory class (Group Research Project / topic sign-up)		
6	Oct.12, 14	The Dark Age		#4, 5, 6, 7
7	Oct.19, 21	Early Archaic Period (<i>polis</i> , historians)	ch.5	#8, 9
8	Oct. 26, 28	Archaic Period continued (colonization)		#10
9	Nov. 2	Constitutional Experimentation	ch.6 (Corinth)	#11
	Nov. 4	Test 1 (entire class)		
10	Nov. 9, 11	Tyrannies		#12, 13
11	Nov.16, 18	Spartan solutions	ch.6 (Sparta)	#14
12	Nov.23, 25	Athens to 600 BC	ch.7	
13	Nov.30, Dec.2	Reforms of Solon		#15, 16
	Dec. 2	Group Research Project 1 due		

For further information about Greek and Roman Studies, visit our home page at
www.carleton.ca/chum/greek-and-roman-studies.html

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 can include a final grade of “F” for the course

GRADING SYSTEM

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

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

F	Failure. Assigned 0.0 grade points
ABS	Absent from final examination, equivalent to F
DEF	Official deferral (see “Petitions to Defer”)
FND	Failure with no deferred exam allowed -- assigned only when the student 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 **FALL TERM** courses is **DEC. 6, 2010**. The last day to withdraw from **FALL/WINTER (Full Term)** and **WINTER** term courses is **APRIL 5, 2011**.

REQUESTS FOR ACADEMIC ACCOMMODATION

You may need special arrangements to meet your academic obligations during the term because of disability, pregnancy or religious obligations. Please review the course outline promptly and write to me 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. You can visit the Equity Services website to view the policies and to obtain more detailed information on academic accommodation at: carleton.ca/equity/accommodation/

Students with disabilities requiring academic accommodations in this course must register with the Paul Menton Centre for Students with Disabilities (PMC) for a formal evaluation of disability-related needs. Documented disabilities could include but not limited to mobility/physical impairments, specific Learning Disabilities (LD), psychiatric/psychological disabilities, sensory disabilities, Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD), and chronic medical conditions. Registered PMC students are required to contact the PMC, 613-520-6608, every term to ensure that your Instructor receives your Letter of Accommodation, no later than two weeks before the first assignment is due or the first in-class test/midterm requiring accommodations. If you only require accommodations for your formally scheduled exam(s) in this course, please submit your request for accommodations to PMC by the last official day to withdraw from classes in each term. For more details visit the PMC website: carleton.ca/pmc/accommodations/

PETITIONS TO DEFER

If you miss a final examination and/or fail to submit a **FINAL** assignment by the due date because of circumstances beyond your control, you may apply a deferral of examination/assignment. If you are applying for a deferral due to illness you will be required to see a physician in order to confirm illness and obtain a medical certificate dated no later than one working day after the examination or assignment deadline. This supporting documentation must specify the date of onset of the illness, the degree of incapacitation, and the expected date of recovery.

If you are applying for a deferral for reasons other than personal illness, please **contact** the Registrar’s Office directly for information on other forms of documentation that we accept.

Deferrals of assignments must be supported by confirmation of the assignment due date, for example a copy of the course outline specifying the due date and any documented extensions from the course instructor.

Deferral applications for examination or assignments must be submitted within **5 working days** of the original final exam.

ADDRESSES: (Area Code 613)

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Greek and Roman Studies Office 520-2809	300 Paterson
Religion Office 520-2100	2A39 Paterson
Registrar's Office 520-3500	300 Tory
Student Academic Success Centre 520-7850	302 Tory
Paul Menton Centre 520-6608/TTY 520-3937	501 Uni-Centre
Writing Tutorial Service 520-2600 Ext. 1125	4 th Floor Library
Learning Support Service 520-2600 Ext 1125	4 th Floor Library