

The College of the Humanities
Greek and Roman Studies Program
CLCV 1003A – Survey of Roman Civilization
REVISED COURSE OUTLINE

(Precludes additional credit for FYSM 1106, CLCV 1000, AND CLCV 1109)

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CLCV 1003 is an introduction to the study of Roman antiquity from the time of the founding of Rome in the eighth century BC. down to the end of the Western Roman Empire in the fifth century AD.¹ Rome's culture and society will be set in their historical context and studied through readings, through translations from representative Latin authors, and through the art and architecture of the period.

Course work will entail the writing of three quizzes (multiple choice and/or fill-in-the-blank²) worth 25% each (and covering only the material immediately preceding the quiz) and a cumulative final examination (predominately multiple choice/fill-in-the-blanks though the exact format is to be announced) worth 25%. *The dates of the quizzes are as follows: Quiz 1 (January 20), Quiz 2 (February 17), Quiz 3 (March 17).*³ *The final will be scheduled by the Registrar's Office.*⁴

Required texts:

Kamm, Antony, *The Romans: An Introduction* (London and New York: Routledge, 2008) (2nd Edition)

¹ Alternatively BCE is used for BC by some writers, CE for AD.

² The first and third quiz will also include a map.

³ **Should you be absent from any quiz, you are responsible for contacting your T.A. to arrange for a make-up, which will be given one week to the day after the quiz missed and during the normal class time. A medical excuse will be required. You are also responsible for acquiring the class notes for the lecture material missed while writing the make-up; you should, therefore, ask one of your fellow students to take notes.**

⁴ Students are required to take their exams at the time set by the University, unless an exemption is granted by the Registrar. Please note that I will not personally grant an early or deferred exam for this course.

Apuleius, *The Golden Ass* (Toronto: Penguin, 1998 and reprinted)
[translated with an introduction and notes by E. J. Kenney]

Virgil, *The Aeneid* (Toronto: Penguin, 1990) [translated with an
introduction by David West]

<u>Date</u>	<u>Lecture Topic</u>	<u>Readings</u>
<u>Early Rome and the Roman Republic to 1st Century B.C.</u>		
Wk of Jan. 3 rd	Introduction to Rome and the Roman Republic	Kamm, Chaps 1 & 2
<u>The Age of Caesar and Octavian/Augustus (1st Century BC-AD 14): Republic Becomes Empire</u>		
Wk of Jan. 10 th	Julius Caesar and the Succession	Kamm, Chap. 3 (through Augustus)
Wk of Jan. 17 th	Augustan Epic: Virgil's <i>Aeneid</i> [Quiz #1 on Thursday]	Virgil, <i>Aeneid</i>
Wk of Jan. 24 th	Virgil (cont'd) & Other Major Writers of Golden Latin Literature	Kamm, Chap. 7 (through Ovid)
<u>The Other Julio-Claudians and the Flavians (AD 14-96)</u>		
Wk of Feb. 7 th	History of the Period	Kamm, Chap 3 (from Ti- berius)
Wk of Feb. 14 th	The Metaphysical Environment [Quiz #2 on Thursday]	Kamm, Chap. 4
Week of February 21 st through 25 th – No Classes – Winter Break		
Wk of Feb. 28 th	Pompeii	Kamm, Chap. 5
Wk of March 7 th	Roman Art & Architecture	Kamm, Chap. 6
Wk of March 14 th	Apuleius & Silver Latin Literature [Quiz #3 on Thursday]	Apuleius, <i>The Golden Ass</i> , Kamm, Chap. 7 (from Martial)
<u>The High Roman Empire (AD 96-235)</u>		
Wk of March 21 st	The 'Five Good Emperors'	Kamm, Chaps 8,

through the 'Military Monarchy' of the Severi 9 (to Diocletian)

The Later Roman Empire: AD 235 through Constantine (d. 337)

Wk of March 28 th	Anarchy Becomes Tetrarchy	Kamm, Chap. 9 (from Diocletian to p. 204)
Tuesday, April 5 th	The Legacy of Rome	Kamm, pp. 204-206

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.

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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