

DEPARTMENT OF GREEK AND ROMAN STUDIES
COURSE OUTLINE
GREEK AND ROMAN STUDIES 205-01
INTRODUCTION TO GREECE AND ROME – FALL 2010

Instructor: Dr Lisa Hughes Office: SS 512 Office Hours: MWF, 2:30-3:30 p.m. or by appointment	Phone: 403-220-6689 e-mail: lahughes@ucalgary.ca Class time and room: MW, 1:00 – 1:50pm, KNB 132
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Required Textbooks:

- 1) S. Pomeroy et al., *A Brief History of Ancient Greece. Politics, Society and Culture*, Oxford 2009 (2nd edition). “Greek” in the detailed outline below.)
- 2) M. Boatwright et al. *A Brief History of the Romans*, Oxford 2006. “Roman” in the detailed outline below.
- 3) University of Calgary, Greek and Romans Studies 205, *The Western World*, Penguin Custom Editions 2007. “Reader” in the detailed outline below.

NB: You do not have to bring your textbooks to class, but you **must bring the reader** to your tutorials.

Objectives:

This course consists of two weekly lectures by me and one tutorial by your TA. Lectures will focus on the chronological development of ancient Greece and Rome, and will introduce you to a large amount of evidence that helps to reconstruct the past.

Please note that the textbook material is not repeated in lectures (lecture topics and readings will be distributed on the first day of class). It would be advisable to have done the assigned readings before class, so you can raise questions and participate in discussion. Powerpoint presentations will be posted to Blackboard, but these are not a substitute for lecture notes.

Your TA will teach you to read and understand the primary documentary sources: that is, the ancient authors on whom we depend for our detailed knowledge of antiquity. Your TA will also teach you to write a paper and how to find material for it. As is true of the lectures, **attending the tutorials is not optional**; they form an integral part of this course.

The in-class test and the final examination are designed to let you show your general knowledge. Multiple-choice questions will examine the material we have gone through in the lectures, the primary documentary sources that have been dealt with in the tutorials, and the assigned readings. For the final exam there will also be a map question. Practice tests will be posted on Blackboard so you can become familiar with the system.

For each of the two essays, you will be given a choice among three topics. Consult with your TA about an outline, primary sources, and secondary literature.

Tutorials:**Each student must register in one of the six tutorials**

TUTORIAL	DAY	TIME	ROOM	TA
TUT 01	Friday	12.00-12.50	KNB 128	William Barton
TUT 02	Friday	13.00-13.50	KNB 128	Kale Coghlan
TUT 03	Friday	12.00-12.50	KNB 131	Graham Wrightson
TUT 04	Wed	15.00-15.50	KNB 129	Carolyn Willekes
TUT 05	Wed	12.00-12.50	KNB 131	Graham Wrightson
TUT 06	Thursday	12.00-12.50	KNB 128	Katie Tipton
TUT 08	Monday	12.00-12.50	KNB 131	Katie Tipton
TUT 09	Monday	12.00-12.50	KNB 133	William Barton

Teaching Assistants:

Name	OFFICE	E-mail	Office Hours
William Barton	SS 527	wmbarton	By Appointment Only
Kale Coghlan	SS 527	kahcoghl	Fridays: 2.00-3.00pm
Katie Tipton	SS 515	kstipton	By Appointment Only
Carolyn Willekes	SS 515	cawillek	Wed: 11.00-12.00/ Or By Appt.
Graham Wrightson	SS 515	gcwright	By Appointment Only

Requirements:

Component	Due Date or Exam Date	Weight (% of final grade)
Take-home essay 1 (1000 words): must include footnotes or endnotes, bibliography and references to at least two articles or books besides the textbooks (Greek and Reader)	Due date Monday, Oct. 25. To be submitted to your tutor no later than 4:30 PM.	20 %
In class test - Greek material Format: multiple choice Material tested: Required readings from Greek textbook, Greek primary sources from Reader, monuments shown in class	Wednesday, Oct. 13	20%

Take home essay 2 (1500 words): must include footnotes or endnotes, bibliography and reference to at least three articles or books besides the textbooks (Roman and Reader)	Due date Wednesday, Dec. 1. To be submitted to your tutor no later than 4:30 PM.	25%
Exam scheduled by Registrar - Roman material Format: multiple choice Material tested: Required readings from Roman textbook Roman primary sources from the Reader, monuments shown in class, maps	TBA	25%
Tutorial participation.		10%

Grading Scale:

A+: 95 -100	B: 75 -79	C-: 57-61
A: 90 – 94	B-: 70 -74	D+ 54-56
A-: 85 -89	C+: 66 -69	D: 51-53
B+: 80 -84	C: 62-65	F: 0 -50

NOTES:

1. The **withdrawal deadline** for this course is **December 10, 2010**. The last day to **withdraw from this course without a refund of fees is September 24, 2010**.
2. The Department of Greek and Roman Studies draws the attention of all students in its course to the **University regulations on plagiarism, cheating, and other academic and non-academic misconduct**. The material can be found in the University Calendar online (see particularly under Academic Regulations K) <http://www.ucalgary.ca/pubs/calendar/current/index.htm>
3. It is the student's responsibility to request academic accommodations. If you are a student with a documented disability who may require academic accommodation and have not registered with the Disability Resource Centre, please contact their office at 403-220-8237. Students who have not registered with the Disability Resource Centre are not eligible for formal academic accommodation. You are also required to discuss your needs with your instructor no later than fourteen (14) days after the start of this course.