DEPARTMENT OF GREEK & ROMAN STUDIES

COURSE OUTLINE

GRST 425-01: GREEKS, ROMANS AND OTHER CULTURES

FALL 2009

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TIME & PLACE OF CLASS: TR 15:30 – 16:45 SH 288

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TEXTBOOKS:

• D.M. Mattingly, An Imperial Possession: Britain in the Roman Empire, 2007

• Ireland, S. Roman Britain: a sourcebook, 3rd. edition, Routledge, 2009

COURSE OBJECTIVE:

Students will learn the basic methodology of historical study and attempt to show their understanding in written work.

COURSE REQUIREMENTS:

3 written assignments (c. 2000 words each) on topics from lists provided by instructor (each worth 30% of the grade for the course) 90%

Class participation 10%

Essays must be submitted on or before due dates. Extensions are not available except in unusual circumstances; work commitments elsewhere (either academic or non-academic) or equipment failure (computers, printers, etc.) will not qualify. Essays submitted after deadlines without prior permission or essays submitted after the closing period of an agreed extension will not be read. The grade in such cases will be 0.

NOTES:

- 1. The withdrawal deadline with permission for this course is 8 December 2009. The Instructor will inform the students of their grades currently earned in the course by four weeks before this deadline. The last day to withdraw from this course with refund of fees is 18 September 2009.
- 2. Students should observe the regulations on student misconduct (plagiarism, cheating, etc.) which are printed on pages 48-53 of the 2009/2010 University Calendar. If you need guidance about these issues, consult your instructor