

UNIVERSITY OF CALGARY
FACULTY OF ARTS

DEPARTMENT OF GREEK AND ROMAN STUDIES

COURSE OUTLINE
GREEK AND ROMAN STUDIES 205-01
INTRODUCTION TO GREECE AND ROME – FALL 2013

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Required Textbooks:

- 1) S. Pomeroy et al., *A Brief History of Ancient Greece. Politics, Society and Culture*, Oxford 2008 (2nd edition). "Greek" in the detailed outline provided the first day of class). New and Used copies are available at the Bookstore.
- 2) M. Boatwright et al. *A Brief History of the Romans*, Oxford 2006. "Roman" in the detailed outline provided the first day of class. Oxford 2005 (2nd edition). New and Used copies are available at the Bookstore.

Objectives:

This course consists of two weekly lectures. 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.

The in-class tests 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 and the assigned readings. Practice tests will be posted on Blackboard so you can become familiar with the system.

Requirements:

Component	Due Date or Exam Date	Weight (% of final grade)
In class test 1 - Greek material Format: multiple choice Material tested: Required readings from Greek textbook.	Wednesday, Oct. 2	25%

In class test 2 - Greek material Format: multiple choice Material tested: Required readings from Greek textbook.	Wednesday, Oct. 23	25%
In class test 3 – Roman material Format: multiple choice Material tested: Required readings from Greek textbook and lecture material.	Wednesday Nov. 13	25%
Final Exam scheduled by Registrar = Inc class test 4 - Roman material Format: multiple choice Material tested: Required readings from Roman textbook and lecture material.	TBA	25%

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 6, 2013. The last day to withdraw from this course without a refund of fees is September 20, 2013.**
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 Student Accessibility Services, please contact their office at 403-220-8237. Students who have not registered with Student Accessibility Services 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.

Blackboard Help

Go to <http://www.ucalgary.ca/computersupport/onlineservices/blackboard> for Student Help and FAQs about Blackboard. Troubleshooting tips and a tutorial are available at <http://elearn.ucalgary.ca/blackboard/students>. Instructions for using the Digital Drop Box are available here:

http://library.blackboard.com/docs/r6/6_1/student/bbls_r6_1_student/digital_drop_box.htm.

Classics Student Society

Classics Student Society is the Greek and Roman Studies Student Club. For membership or more information please email: classsoc@ucalgary.ca or visit <http://grst.ucalgary.ca/undergraduate/classics-students-society>.

Faculty of Arts Program Advising and Student Information Resources

- Have a question, but not sure where to start? The Faculty of Arts Program Information Centre (PIC) is your information resource for everything in Arts! Drop in at SS110, call us at 403-220-3580 or email us at artsads@ucalgary.ca. You can also visit the Faculty of Arts website at <http://arts.ucalgary.ca/undergraduate> which has detailed information on common academic concerns.
- For program planning and advice, contact the Student Success Centre at (403) 220-5881 or visit them on the 3rd floor of the Taylor Family Digital Library.
- For registration (add/drop/swap), paying fees and assistance with your Student Centre, contact Enrolment Services at (403) 210-ROCK [7625] or visit them at the MacKimmie Library Block.

Student Ombudsperson and Students' Union Representative

The Student Ombuds Office provides independent, impartial and confidential support for students who require assistance and advice in addressing issues and concerns related to their academic careers. See www.ucalgary.ca/provost/students/ombuds for more information.

The Students' Union Faculty of Arts representative can be reached at arts1@ucalgary.ca.

Emergency Evacuation Assembly Point

In case of an emergency evacuation during class, students must gather at the designated assembly point nearest to the classroom. The list of assembly points is found at www.ucalgary.ca/emergencyplan/assemblypoints. Please check this website and note the nearest assembly point for this course.

Safewalk

The Safewalk program provides volunteers to walk students safely to their destination anywhere on campus (including McMahon Stadium, Health Sciences, Student Family Housing, the Alberta Children's Hospital and the University LRT station). This service is free and available to students, staff and campus visitors 24 hrs/day, 365 days a year. Call 403-220-5333 or use one of the Help phones located throughout campus to request a walk.