

Department of Greek and Roman Studies
Course Outline
GRST 433.6: Great Women Thinkers: Roman Writers and Intellectuals
Winter 2013

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Textbooks

There is no assigned textbook for this class. Readings will be distributed on a weekly basis and will generally be comprised of several articles.

Course Objectives

This course will examine the great women writers and thinkers of the Roman world. Explore some of the earliest female poets, philosophers, historians, and teachers in the western tradition and see how they challenged the societal expectations for their gender! No previous knowledge of Roman history will be required.

Requirements

1. Essay Project: 70%
 Essay Outline (25%): An outline of the final essay with an annotated bibliography
 Final Essay (45%): 2500 word research essay (topic to be chosen with professor)
2. Presentation: 10%
 Presentation of Research Essay
3. Class Participation: 20%
 This is a seminar so students need to come ready to debate, discuss and challenge the material.

NOTES:

1. The **withdrawal deadline** for this course is **April 16, 2013**. The last day to withdraw from this course with a refund of fees is **January 18, 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 nonacademic misconduct**, which are printed in the Student misconduct section of the current University Calendar.
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 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.