LAT 222: Latin III Fall 2012: 4 units

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Syllabus: Latin III

Time: TTh. 12:30-1:50pm Classroom: WPH201

Office hour: T. 2:30-3:30pm; Th. 2-3pm or by appt.; Office: Taper Hall, THH 256K.

Requirements:

Students must be prepared to translate the Latin assignments and analyze grammatical forms for each session. Attendance in class is required, as well as participation in translations, grammatical analyses, and discussions. Students must take the quizzes, the midterm, and the final exam. Students will also present a personal project toward the end of the semester.

Grading

Participation: 25 % Quizzes: 25%

Personal project (with handout): 10 % Midterm exam: 20 %

Final exam: 20%

Objectives

Language:	To improve skills for translating Latin
	(Vocabulary, grammar, syntax).
Interpretation:	To start approaching questions related to genre and to Latin literature
	in its historical context.

Required Text

Lafleur, Richard A., Wheelock's Latin Reader, 2e: Selections from Latin Literature (Paperback), 2 edition (July 31, 2001), ISBN-10: 0060935065

Complementary material: for grammatical revisions we will use the back of Wheelock's Latin, p. 484ff in the 7th ed. (6th ed. should be fine)

Schedule – May be subject to changes, please check on Blackboard (BB)

Week 1

- 1) Tuesday 08/23/11: in class:
- Revision of first declension & first conjugation (Wheelock, ch. I-II)
- Revision of *sum* and *possum* (Wheelock, ch. IV + VI)
- Relative pronouns (Wheelock, ch. XVII)

- 2) Thursday 08/25/11:
- Revision of second declension (masc. and neuter) and first & second conjugations
- Vocabulary from transl. in Week 1.1. + Wheelock ch. XL, p. 343
- Prepare passages of Apollonius, King of Tyre
- + Cicero (who was Cicero? Make your own short investigation).

Week 2

- 1) Tuesday 08/30/11:
- Revision of third declension (masc. and neuter) and third & third mixed conjugations
- Vocabulary of ch. VII, p. 57-8 & VIII, p. 65-6
- Prepare passages of Apollonius, King of Tyre + Cicero
- 2) Thursday 09/01/11:
- Prepare passages of Apollonius, King of Tyre + Cicero

Quiz: on grammar and voc revised so far and passages translated in week 1 and 2

Week 3

- 1) Tuesday 09/06/11:
- Revision of fourth conjugation + verb *eo* with place and time construction (ch. XXXVII)
- Vocabulary from Wheelock ch. XXXVII, p. 315-6
- Prepare passages of Apollonius, King of Tyre + Cicero
- 2) Thursday 09/08/11:
- Revision of ego, tu, is and idem (Wheelock, ch. XI)
- Prepare passages of Apollonius, King of Tyre + Cicero

Ouiz: on grammar and voc revised so far and passages translated in week 1 to 3

Specific readings (includes Livy, Ovid, Pliny) and grammar/voc revisions TBA Check on Blackboard (BB)

Week 4

- 1) Tuesday 09/13/11:
- 2) Thursday 09/15/11: Quiz

Week 5

- 1) Tuesday 09/20/11:
- 2) Thursday 09/22/11:

Week 6

- 1) Tuesday 09/27/11:
- 2) Thursday 09/29/11: Quiz

Week 7

- 1) Tuesday 10/04/11:
- 2) Thursday 10/06/11:

Week 8

- 1) Tuesday 10/11/11:
- 2) Thursday 10/13/11: **MIDTERM**

Week 9

- 1) Tuesday 10/18/11:
- 2) Thursday 10/20/11:

Week 10

- 1) Tuesday 10/25/11:
- 2) Thursday 10/27/11: Quiz

Week 11

- 1) Tuesday 11/01/11:
- 2) Thursday 11/03/11:

Weeks 12-15: presentation of students' personal small projects

Week 12

- 1) Tuesday 11/08/11:
- 2) Thursday 11/10/11: Quiz

Week 13

- 1) Tuesday 11/15/11:
- 2) Thursday 11/17/11:

Week 14

- 1) Tuesday 11/22/11:
- 2) Thursday 11/24/11: NO CLASS: THANKSGIVING

Week 15

- 1) Tuesday 11/29/11:
- 2) Thursday 12/01/11:

Final Exam: Tuesday 12/13/11 from 11am to 1pm