

***Summary requirements for MA-Ph.D. in Classics with Emphasis in Ancient History before Fall 2017***

Course Requirements for MA/PhD
Classics 201 Proseminar (MA)
Classics 211, 212, 213 (MA)
4 graduate courses in Greek or Latin authors, including 2 Classics seminars (231, 232, 233, 234, 235) <i>per year</i>
6 graduate courses in Ancient History, including one at PhD level in Roman History if the exam is in Greek History, and vice versa. At least two quarters must be taken in the History Department. (4 for MA + 2 for PhD)
2 + 4 seminars (2 at MA level; 4 at PhD level)

Paper Requirements for MA/PhD
2 short papers (MA)
6 seminar papers (2 for MA + 4 for PhD)

Exam Requirements
<b>MA Greek Sight Translation Exam</b>
<b>MA Latin Sight Translation Exam</b>
PhD Greek Sight Translation Exam
PhD Latin Sight Translation Exam
Greek History Exam OR Roman History Exam (MA)
Greek OR Roman history PhD “field” exam, of a more specialized nature
Significant paper on a topic or area that will contribute to the dissertation, presented in written form to the committee and oral form to the department (PhD)
Modern Language Exam German and either French or Italian (1 for MA and 2 for PhD)
<b>Oral Qualifying Exam: 3 hours (PhD)</b>

## Reading Lists for MA/Ph.D. in Classics, Emphasis in Ancient history

### Note:

*The Greek and Latin sight exams are based on reading lists somewhat shorter than the straight Classics M.A. and Ph.D. reading lists, with a greater emphasis on historical authors. The student must designate either Greek or Latin as the “major” language and the other as the “minor”. The reading list will be longer for the “major” language. The standard of translation will be the same as for the straight Classics sight exams.*

### M.A. Reading List Classics, Ancient History Emphasis

#### Reading List for Greek as the Major Language

##### Prose

Aristotle Poetics; Nicomachean Ethics I, X  
Demosthenes Philippics; Olynthiacs  
Herodotus Historiae I, VI-IX  
Isocrates Panegyricus  
Plato Apology, Symposium  
Plutarch Life of Alexander  
Thucydides Books I-III, VI, VII  
Xenophon Anabasis I, Hellenica I, II

##### Verse

Aeschylus Agamemnon  
Aristophanes Clouds  
Euripides Hippolytus  
Hesiod Works and Days 1-382; Theogony 1-616  
Homer Iliad I, II, XXII, XXIV; Odyssey I, II, XIX, XX  
Homeric Hymns II and IV  
Lyric Poets Selections in Campbell of Archilochus, Callinus,  
Tyrtaeus, Mimnermus, Solon, Sappho, Alcaeus, Anacreon,  
Xenophanes, Simonides, Theognis  
Pindar Olympian 1, 2, 7, 11; Nemean 4; Isthmian 3, 4, 7  
Sophocles Oedipus Rex

#### Reading List for Greek as the Minor Language

##### Prose

Demosthenes Olynthiacs  
Herodotus Historiae I, VII  
Plato Apology  
Thucydides Books I-III  
Xenophon Hellenica I

##### Verse

Aeschylus Agamemnon  
Aristophanes Clouds  
Euripides Hippolytus  
Hesiod Works and Days 1-382  
Homer Iliad I, XXII, XXIV; Odyssey I  
Solon Selections in Campbell  
Sophocles Oedipus Rex

## Reading List for Latin as the Major Language

### Prose

Augustus Res Gestae Divi Augusti  
Caesar Bellum Gallicum I, Bellum Civile I  
Cicero Cat. I, II; Pro Milone; Pro Caelio; Orator; Second Philippic; Re Publica; Letters: Ad Att. I.13, 14, 16, 19; II.1, 16, 18, 19, 24; IV.3, 5; VII.5, 9, 10; VIII.1, 3, XII.15, XIII.52, XV.11; Ad Fam. I.9, V.12, 16; VIII.6, 14; XII.3, XV.5, 6  
Livy Books I, V, XXI  
Pliny the Younger 1.1, 3.14 and 16, 4.19, 5.19, 6.16 and 20, 7.33, 9.33, 10.96 and 97  
Sallust Catiline, Jugurtha  
Seneca Letters 5, 18, 28, 57  
Suetonius Life of Augustus  
Tacitus Annales I, II, XIII, XIV, Agricola

### Verse

Catullus 1, 2, 5, 8, 11, 29, 49, 64, 72, 101  
Horace Odes, Book 1; Satires, Book 1  
Juvenal Satires I, III  
Lucretius Book I  
Martial Spec. 1, 2; Epigrams I.1, 15, 32, 33, 35, 55, 61, 101, 109; II.53, 90, 91; III.4, 38, 43, 68; IV.5, 14, 42, 44, 49, 76; V.10, 13, 20, 34, 37, 58, 76, 81; VI.17, 19, 34, 40, 52, 82; VII.21, 40, 43, 85; VIII.3, 12, 19, 35, 40, 69; IX.18, 28, 68, 81, 97; X.2, 4, 13, 23, 47, 53, 61, 72, 97, 103; XI.13, 18; XII.10, 18, 30, 31, 39, 46, 94; XIV.183-185  
Ovid Metamorphoses VI, X; Amores I; Ars Amatoria I  
Plautus Menaechmi Propertius Elegies I.1-3, 6, 11, 12, 16, 21, 22; IV.1, 6, 7  
Seneca Hercules Furens  
Terence Adelphi  
Vergil Eclogues 1, 2, 4; Georgics IV, Aeneid I, IV, VI, VIII, XII

## Reading List for Latin as the Minor Language

### Prose

Caesar Bellum Civile I  
Cicero Cat. I, II; Pro Caelio; Second Philippic; Letters: Ad Att. IV.3 and 5; VII.5 and 10; VIII.1; XII.15, XIII.52, XV.11; Ad Fam. V.12 and 16; XII.3; XV.6  
Livy Books I, V  
Pliny the Younger 1.1, 3.14 and 16, 4.19, 5.19, 6.16 and 20, 7.33, 9.33, 10.96 and 97  
Sallust Catiline  
Suetonius Life of Augustus  
Tacitus Annales I, II

### Verse

Catullus 1, 2, 29, 49, 64  
Horace Odes, Book 1  
Juvenal Satires III  
Lucretius Book I  
Ovid Metamorphoses VI; Amores I  
Plautus Menaechmi

Propertius Elegies I.1-3, 6, 11, 12, 16, 21, 22; IV.1, 6, 7  
Vergil Aeneid I, IV, VI, XII

**Ph.D Reading List for Classics, Ancient History Emphasis**

**GREEK** (Greek Minor Language)

**Prose**

Aristotle Poetics; Nicomachean Ethics I, X  
Demosthenes Philippics; De corona  
Herodotus Historiae V, VI, VIII, IX  
Isocrates Panegyricus  
Lysias 1 Against Eratosthenes  
Plato Phaedo, Symposium  
Plutarch, Alexander and Caesar  
Thucydides VI, VII, VIII  
Xenophon Anabasis I, Hellenica II  
Meiggs and Lewis nos. 23, 52, 94  
Sherk, Roman Documents from the Greek East, nos. 23, 33, 35  
Welles, Royal Correspondence 15  
Dittenberger, Sylloge Inscriptionum Graecarum, 3rd ed., 434/5

**Verse**

Aeschylus Eumenides  
Aristophanes Frogs  
Euripides Medea  
Hesiod Theogony 1-616  
Homer Iliad II-III, XVIII; Odyssey II, IV, VIII, XIX, XX  
Homeric Hymn II (Demeter)  
Lyric Poets Selections in Campbell of Sappho, Alcaeus  
Pindar Olympian 1, 2  
Sophocles Antigone

**Ph.D. Reading List – LATIN**

(Latin as a Major Language)

**Prose**

Cicero, In Verrem I, II.4; Pro Cluentio;  
*De lege Manilia; De lege agraria II;*  
Pro Murena; Pro Marcello; Philippics I, XIV; De Officiis; De Oratore I; In Catilinam III-IV;  
all of Shackleton-Bailey's Select Letters (Cambridge Classics, 1980).  
Livy II-IV, XXII, XXVII  
Petronius Cena Trimalchionis  
Pliny the Younger Westcott's Selections  
Sallust  
*Major* Fragments of Historiae  
*Senatus consultum de Pisone patre* (Eck)  
Seneca De Beata Vita; De Constantia; Letters 7, 43, 47, 54, 77, 107.  
*Suetonius, Div. Iul.*  
Tacitus Histories I, II; Annals III-IV, V-VI, XV, XVI  
*E. H. Warmington, Remains of Old Latin 4: Archaic Inscriptions, I (i) nos. 1-10, 53, 108; I (iv) 24-29, I (v) 50-57, II (i) 34-48*

*M. H. Crawford, Roman Statutes nos. 19, 39*

*A. E. Gordon, Introduction to Latin Epigraphy, nos. 1, 4, 6-8, 11, 48, 49, 57, 73, 82*

*Inscriptiones Latinae Selectae, no. 59, 212*

*Vindolanda Tablet 291*

**Verse**

Authorship unknown Octavia,

Catullus complete

Ennius Annales, Fragments (Skutsch)

Horace

*Odes, Satires, Epod. 1, 7, 13, 16, Ep. 2.1*

Juvenal IV, X

Lucan I

Lucretius II.1-61, III, V

Ovid Amores II.1, 6, 7, 10, III.1, 9, 14, Metamorphoses I, XIII-XV; Fasti I-III, IV.721-862,

*Tristia 2*

Plautus Amphitryo;

Propertius, *Elegies I.1-3, 6, 11, 12, 16, 21, 22; II.1, 7, 10, 11, 15, 26, 29, 34; III.1-3, 9, 16, 24, 25; IV.1, 4, 6, 11*