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Institute of Continuing Education

Reading Classical Latin: Juvenal on Rome

Start date	17th March 2017	End date	19th March 2017
Venue	Madingley Hall Madingley Cambridge		
Tutor	Christine Spillane	Course code	1617NRX072

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Tutor biography

Christine graduated from the University of Reading where she undertook research into imagery in Virgil's *Aeneid*. Her doctoral thesis with the Open University examined Late Antique and Mediaeval illuminated manuscripts of the *Aeneid*. She is an experienced teacher of both secondary school students and adults.

Christine seeks to inspire her students with a similar enthusiasm for the Classical world as she holds herself, not least by encouraging her students to look at artefacts in museums and by organising visits to the Classical world. When reading texts, she encourages a co-operative spirit in her students to investigate style and sound, in addition to moulding a good translation.

Course programme

Friday

Please plan to arrive between 16:30 and 18:30. You can meet other course members in the bar which opens at 18:15. Tea and coffee making facilities are available in the study bedrooms.

19:00	Dinner
20:30 – 22:00	Session 1 Reading and discussing Juvenal Satire 3
22:00	Terrace bar open for informal discussion

Saturday

07:30	Breakfast
09:00 – 10:30	Session 2 Reading and discussing Juvenal Satire 3
10:30	Coffee
11:00 – 12:30	Session 3 Reading and discussing Juvenal Satire 3
13:00	Lunch
14:00 – 16:00	Free
16:00	Tea
16:30 – 18:00	Session 4 Reading and discussing Juvenal Satire 3
18:00 – 18:30	Free
18:30	Dinner
20:00 – 21:30	Session 5 Lecture - Rome as a city of immigrants (Professor Andrew Wallace-Hadrill)
21:30	Terrace bar open for informal discussion

Sunday

07:30	Breakfast
09:00 – 10:30	Session 6 Reading and discussing Juvenal Satire 3
10:30	Coffee
11:00 – 12:30	Session 7 Reading and discussing Juvenal Satire 3
12:45	Lunch

The course will disperse after lunch

Course syllabus

Aims:

1. to appreciate and enjoy the reading of texts in Latin.
2. to develop an appreciation of literary style.
3. to develop analytical thinking

Content:

We shall be reading Juvenal's Satire 3. Students must provide a copy of the text which may be downloaded from thelatinlibrary.com.

A convenient edition of the text (with notes) is:

Satires 1, 3 and 10
Bristol Classical Press
ISBN 9780906515037

Presentation of the course:

The class will read the text and create an agreed translation through contributions from participants. There will be a full discussion of the author's style and, where appropriate, an analysis of the language used.

As a result of the course, within the constraints of the time available, students should be able to:

1. demonstrate an increased appreciation and enjoyment of the reading of texts in Latin through sharing skills and knowledge with others;
2. show an improved knowledge of Latin grammar, syntax and vocabulary;
3. demonstrate an enhanced appreciation of literary style;
4. show a greater understanding of the context within which the texts were written.

Reading and resources list

Listed below are a number of texts that might be of interest for future reference, but do not need to be bought (or consulted) for the course.

Author	Title	Publisher and date
Ed S. Braund	Satire and Society in Ancient Rome	University of Exeter Press 1989

Note Students of the Institute of Continuing Education are entitled to 20% discount on books published by Cambridge University Press (CUP) which are purchased at the Press bookshop, 1 Trinity Street, Cambridge (Mon-Sat 9am – 5:30pm, Sun 11am – 5pm). A letter or email confirming acceptance on to a current Institute course should be taken as evidence of enrolment.

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