

AGRS 2020-21 Course Deliveries

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This is a very challenging year. Even as Ontario opens back up, and [Trent follows suit](#), the situation remains dynamic, and a number of protections will be in place for the fall and likely in the winter as well.

Trent has determined that, wherever possible, classes in the fall will be taught remotely, using a wide range of digital tools in lieu of traditional in-person meetings. While many of us, faculty and students, got a crash course in digital pedagogy in March and April, the learning curve remains steep for all of us.

The notes below are meant to give you some preliminary information about AGRS courses in the Fall and how they will be delivered. There will be no in-person exams or assessments in the fall. For course descriptions, please consult the [Trent Academic Calendar](#).

We don't yet know what will be happening in the winter semester, though we can tell you what classes will be offered. Current plans are for traditional live delivery, but the progression of the pandemic may change that.

Note that this list differs from the list of courses on our website: that list is maintained by the Registrar and updates will likely be delayed.

[The academic timetable will be available on July 8](#), and priority registration will begin on July 15.

Questions can be directed to ahc@trentu.ca.

Classical languages (Fall)

These are the least affected courses and will all be taught remotely in synchronous meetings over Zoom instead of in classrooms. Testing will usually be carried out via Blackboard.

- **LATN 1000H Introductory Latin** (Instructor TBD)
4 x 1-hour classes, conducted over Zoom
- **LATN 2000H Intermediate Latin** (Hugh Elton)
3 x 1-hour classes, conducted over Zoom
- **GREK 1000H Introductory Classical Greek** (Instructor TBD)
4 x 1-hour classes, conducted over Zoom
- **GREK 2000H Intermediate Classical Greek** (Rick Last)
3 x 1-hour classes, conducted over Zoom

Ancient History and Literature Classes (Fall)

The majority of these classes will be delivered in an asynchronous remote fashion, though where classes have seminars these will take place in Zoom sessions at specified times.

- **AHCL 1300H Gods, Heroes, Monsters** (Instructor TBD)
Taught remotely, no further details currently available
- **AHCL-HIST 2103H Approaches to Classical Historians** (Rick Last)
Six course units that each run two weeks. Units consist of two to three hours of live regular class time through Zoom (PowerPoint with embedded prompts will be posted later on Blackboard for asynchronous viewing), and three short lecture-videos with PowerPoint recorded for asynchronous viewing. Three readings assigned in each unit. Online quizzes, participation activities, and writing assignments.
- **AHCL 3100H Athenian Empire** (Rick Last)
Six course units that each run two weeks. Units consist of two to three hours of live regular class time through Zoom, and two to three short lecture-videos with PowerPoint recorded for asynchronous viewing. Three to four readings assigned in each unit. Online quizzes, participation activities, and writing assignments.
- **AHCL-HIST 3182H Age of Attila** (Hugh Elton)
Weekly 1-hour seminars at specific times on assigned readings carried out through Zoom. 6 class modules 2 weeks long, each of 4 PowerPoints posted on Blackboard, supported by short orientation videos, assigned readings for each PowerPoint, online Q+A, online test at the end of the module. 2 essays due at mid-term and end of term
- **AHCL 3330H Comedy in the Ancient World** (George Kovacs)
Two hours lecture weekly, recorded for asynchronous viewing. One-hour seminar weekly on lecture and assigned readings via Zoom. Short online quizzes throughout the term, plus writing assignments and essays.
- **AHCL 4001H Senior Seminar: Ancient Athenian Stagecraft** (George Kovacs)
One-hour lecture weekly, recorded for asynchronous viewing. Two-hour seminar weekly on lecture and assigned readings via Zoom. Short quizzes and assignments throughout the term, and essays due at mid-term and end of term.

- **AHCL 2999H Origins of Modern Terminology** (George Kovacs)
This has always been a WEB course. It is taught entirely through online with no synchronous sessions. This course does not count towards the requirements of the AGRS major

Ancient Archaeology Classes (Fall)

Note that these courses are staffed and taught through the Anthropology department and may change. [See the Department of Anthropology](#) for more details.

- **ANTH-AHCL 1030H Archaeology I: Accessing the Past** (Jennifer Moore)
- **ANTH-AHCL 2205H Archaeology and Art History of Ancient Greece** (Rodney Fitzsimons)
- **ANTH-AHCL-HIST 3275H Cultural Identity and Ancient North Africa** (Jennifer Moore)

Ancient Philosophy Classes (Fall)

Note that these courses are staffed and taught through the Philosophy department and may change. [See the Department of Philosophy](#) for more details.

- **PHIL-AHCL 2420H Ancient Philosophy I: Pre-Socratics to Plato** (Byron Stoyles/TBD)

Classical Languages (Winter)

- **LATN 1001H, Introductory Latin 2** (Instructor TBD)
- **GREK 1001H, Introductory Ancient Greek 2** (Instructor TBD)
- **LATN 2001H, Intermediate Latin 2** (Hugh Elton)
- **GREK 2001H, Intermediate Ancient Greek 2** (Rick Last)
- **LATN 3000H, Advanced Latin** (Hugh Elton)
- **GREK 3000H, Advanced Ancient Greek** (George Kovacs)

Ancient History and Literature Classes (Winter)

- **AHCL 1100H War in the Desert** (Hugh Elton)
- **AHCL 1300H Gods, Heroes, Monsters** (Instructor TBD)
- **AHCL 2303H Approaches to Classical Literature** (George Kovacs)
- **AHCL 2340H Ancient Epic** (George Kovacs)
- **AHCL-WMST 2520H Women in the Ancient World** (Rick Last)
- **AHCL-HIST 3171H Alexander the Great** (Rick Last)
- **AHCL-ANTH-HIST 3190H Ancient Anatolia** (Hugh Elton)
- **AHCL 4003H Senior Seminar: Early Christianity and Rome** (Rick Last)

Ancient Archaeology Classes (Winter)

- **ANTH-AHCL 1200H The Trojan War: An Epic of Archaeology** (Rodney Fitzsimons)
- **ANTH-AHCL 2201H Introduction to Egyptian Archaeology from the Pharaohs to the Romans** (Jennifer Moore)
- **ANTH-AHCL 2206H Archaeology and Art History of Ancient Rome** (Jennifer Moore)
- **ANTH-AHCL 4003H Senior Seminar in Classical Archaeology** (Rodney Fitzsimons)

Ancient Philosophy Classes (Winter)

- **PHIL-AHCL 2430H Ancient Philosophy II: Aristotle to the Hellenists** (Byron Stoyles/TBD)