

Faculties of Humanities and Theology

LATA01, Latin: Post-Classical Latin, 15 credits

Latin: Efterklassiskt latin, 15 högskolepoäng First Cycle / Grundnivå

Details of approval

The syllabus was approved by the pro-dean for first-cycle studies at the Faculties of Humanities and Theology on 2011-06-30 and was last revised on 2016-08-24. The revised syllabus applies from 2016-08-24, autumn semester 2016.

General Information

The course is offered as a freestanding course. It can normally be included in a first or second cycle degree.

Language of instruction: Swedish

Main field of studies Depth of study relative to the degree

requirements

Latin G1F, First cycle, has less than 60 credits in

first-cycle course/s as entry requirements

Learning outcomes

On completion of the course, the students shall be able to

Knowledge and understanding

- account for certain characteristic features of the syntax, morphology and vocabulary of post-classical Latin
- account for a number of fields in which Latin has had a significant role as a culture and knowledge bearer

Competence and skills

- translate Latin original texts from Late Antiquity onward
- discern certain characteristic features of post-classical texts from different periods

Judgement and approach

• take a position on parts of the humanist tradition of learning that has been mediated by Latin and perceive the role of Latin in this process

Course content

The course provides students with increased knowledge of Latin and training in translating post-classical prose and poetry. The texts are studied in their historical context.

The course consists of the following modules:

- 1. Post-Classical Prose, 10 credits,
- 2. Post-Classical Poetry, 5 credits.

Course design

The teaching consists of lectures, lessons and group exercises.

Assessment

The assessment of module 1 is based on a written exam at the end of the module and of module 2 on an oral exam at the end of the module.

The examiner may deviate from the regular form of examination if the student has been granted an alternative form of examination by the Disability Support Services, and if it complies with the learning outcomes of the course.

Subcourses that are part of this course can be found in an appendix at the end of this document.

Grades

Marking scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction.

For a grade of Pass on the whole course, the student must have been awarded this grade on all modules. For a grade of Pass with Distinction on the whole course, the student must have been awarded this grade on at least 10 of the course's credits and at least the grade of Pass on the remaining credits.

Entry requirements

To be admitted to the course, students must have passed LATB02 or the equivalent.

Further information

- 1. The course can be taken as a freestanding course. Together with LATA02, 15 credits, it makes up the level 1 course of Latin. The two courses cover different periods of Latin and can be taken in any order.
- 2. The credits allocated for course content that in whole or in part is commensurate with another course can only be credited once for a degree. For further details see the current registration information and other relevant documentation.
- 3. The course is offered at the Centre for Languages and Literature, Lund University.
- 4. Module titles in Swedish:
 - 1. Efterklassisk prosa
 - 2. Efterklassisk poesi

Subcourses in LATA01, Latin: Post-Classical Latin

Applies from V09

0801 Postclassical Prose, 10,0 hp Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction

0802 Postclassical Poetry, 5,0 hp Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction