CLU11204 Writing About Ancient Literature (JF)

Module Code	CLU11204				
Module Name	Writing About Ancient Literature				
ECTS Weighting	5 ECTS				
Semester taught	Semester 2				
Module Coordinator	Prof. Monica Gale				
Module Learning Outcomes with embedded Graduate Attributes	On successful completion of this module, students should be able to: LO1. Compose a correctly referenced and formatted essay on a literary topic LO2. Select and cite appropriate evidence/primary sources LO3. Make effective use of secondary literature in support of an independent and clearly-articulated argument LO4. Organise and structure their work in a lucid and appropriate manner LO5. Assimilate and respond to feedback on a draft essay LO6. Work effectively in small groups				
Module Content	This module will expand on the concepts and skills acquired in CLU11203 Reading Ancient Literature, considering how the techniques of literary analysis may be deployed in the discursive format of the essay. Working together in groups, students will build towards the production of an assignment on an author of their choice: lectures/practical sessions will consider such topics as bibliography and referencing, evidence and argumentation, structure and organisation of the essay. Students will have the opportunity to revise their work on the basis of peer feedback.				
Teaching and Learning Methods	Lectures, break-out groups				

Assessment Details	Assessment	Assessment	LO	% of	Week		
	Component	Description	Addressed	total	due		
	1	Peer-feedback		30%	Wk 10		
		exercise					
	2	Draft essay		n/a	Wk 8		
	3	Final essay		70%	Wk 13		
Reassessment Requirements	100% coursework (written assignment to substitute for peer-feedback exercise). Only failed components are reassessed.						
Contact Hours and Indicative	Contact hours: 22						
Student Workload	Independent Study (preparation for course and review of materials): 50						
	Independent Study (preparation for assessment, incl. completion of assessment): 53						
Recommended Reading List	W. Allen, Classical Literature: A Very Short Introduction (Oxford, 2014) S. M. Braund, Understanding Latin Literature, 2nd edition (Abingdon and New York, 2017) T. Whitmarsh, Ancient Greek Literature (Cambridge and Malden, MA, 2004)						
Module Pre-requisite	None						
Module Co-requisite	None						
Module Website	https://www.tcd.ie/classics/undergraduate/writing-ancient-literature.php						
Are other Schools/Departments involved in the delivery of this module?	No						