

**CLU11411 Latin in Context I
(JF)**

Module Code	CLU11411
Module Name	Latin in Context I
ECTS Weighting	10 ECTS
Semester taught	Semester 1
Module Coordinators	Prof. Anna Chahoud, Dr Rebecca Usherwood
Module Learning Outcomes with embedded Graduate Attributes	<p>On successful completion of this module, students should be able to:</p> <p>LO1. Recognise and translate a substantial Latin vocabulary</p> <p>LO2. Recognise key features of Latin morphology, syntax, semantics and pragmatics, and discuss them as they appear in texts using appropriate linguistic terminology</p> <p>LO3. Translate original Latin texts of limited difficulty into idiomatic English and motivate translation decisions</p> <p>LO4. Analyse Latin texts using literary-critical approaches, concepts and terms that are appropriate to their genre or text-type</p> <p>LO5. Relate a text's linguistic features, content, themes and values to its cultural-historical context</p> <p>LO6. Work effectively in small groups</p> <p>LO7. Effectively use e-learning tools and electronic resources to support language study</p>
Module Content	<p>This module will give you a critical overview of how Latin was used in different contexts, whether literary (i.e. genre) or non-literary (i.e. inscriptions, real letters), during the course of its existence as a spoken language. You will approach a variety of texts that will enable you to acquire a wider Latin vocabulary, to gain a deeper appreciation of grammar and syntax, and to advance your proficiency in translation and linguistic analysis.</p>
Teaching and Learning Methods	33 hours (3 classes per week)

Assessment Details	Assessment Component	Assessment Description	LO Addressed	% of total	Week due
	1.	Class and Homework Assignments	1-7	20%	1-11
	2.	Mid-term test (vocabulary, morphology, syntax)	1-2	15%	6
	3.	End of term test (unseen translation and analysis)	1-4	15%	12
	4.	Written examination (grammar, unseen translation and textual analysis)	1-5	50%	Assessment period
Reassessment Requirements	100% written examination.				
Contact Hours and Indicative Student Workload	Contact hours: 33				
	Independent Study (preparation for course and review of materials): 99				
	Independent Study (preparation for assessment, incl. completion of assessment): 118				
Recommended Reading List	<p><i>Cassell's Latin Dictionary</i> (London: Continuum, 2000)</p> <p>C.T. Lewis and C. Short, <i>Latin Dictionary</i> (first published 1879) available online at http://www.tcd.ie/Library/collections/databases.php Brepolis Latin Complete > Database of Latin Dictionaries.</p> <p>Taylor-Briggs, P. R. (2000) <i>Via Plana: Graduated Readings in Advanced Latin</i> (Bristol)</p> <p><i>Kennedy's Revised Latin Primer</i> (Harlow: Longman, 1962, originally published 1888)</p> <p>Farrell, J. <i>Latin Language and Culture: from ancient to modern times</i> (2001)</p> <p>George, C., <i>How dead languages work</i> (2020)</p> <p>Sidney Allen, W., <i>Vox Latina</i> (2011, originally published 1965)</p>				
Module Pre-requisite	Leaving Certificate Latin, A Level Latin or equivalent				
Module Co-requisite	N/A				
Module Website	https://www.tcd.ie/classics/undergraduate/latin-in-context-1.php				
Are other Schools/Departments involved in the delivery of this module?	N/A				