

**CLU33131 Roman Archaeology
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| Module Code | CLU33131 |
| Module Name | Roman Archaeology |
| ECTS Weighting | 10 ECTS |
| Semester taught | Semester 1 |
| Module Coordinator | Dr Hazel Dodge |
| Module Learning Outcomes with embedded Graduate Attributes | <p>On successful completion of this module, students should be able to:</p> <p>LO1. Demonstrate sound historical and geographical knowledge of the Roman World.</p> <p>LO2. Apply visual and spatial skills to the analysis of artefacts, architectural plans and other archaeological diagrams relating to the main sites covered.</p> <p>LO3. Apply knowledge of primary sources and data (archaeological, artistic, textual) relevant to the module and evaluate them together critically.</p> <p>LO4. Evaluate the major theoretical approaches, debates and scholarship relevant to the module.</p> <p>LO5. Discuss the above, both orally and in written form, in a clear and scholarly manner.</p> <p>LO6. Work effectively in small groups.</p> |
| Module Content | <p>This module explores the Roman world through the material culture of this vast and varied empire. It covers the full geographical extent of the Roman Empire examining subjects such as transport, technology and communication, urbanisation and rural settlement, the economy and resources, religion and ritual. Regional case studies of Ostia and Portus, the Eastern Empire, and North Africa will all be included and allow an examination of how local communities were able to express their own regional identities.</p> |
| Teaching and Learning Methods | A combination of lectures, seminars, online learning, class discussion and discussion boards |

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| Assessment Details | Assessment Component | Assessment Description | LO Addressed | % of total | Week due |
| | 1. | Seminar portfolio: Short assignments based on seminar materials | LO2, LO3, LO4, LO5, LO6 | 40% | tbc |
| | 2. | Research paper: Analysis and broader discussion of primary evidence and wider context | LO1, LO2, LO3, LO4, LO5 | 60% | W13 |
| Reassessment Requirements | Same as original assessment (100% coursework). Only failed components are reassessed. | | | | |
| Contact Hours and Indicative Student Workload | Contact hours: 27 (22 lectures, 5 seminars) | | | | |
| | Independent Study (preparation for course and review of materials): 110 hours | | | | |
| | Independent Study (preparation for assessment, incl. completion of assessment): 113 hours | | | | |
| Recommended Reading List | Reading recommendations will be available in the Module Handbook. | | | | |
| Module Pre-requisite | None | | | | |
| Module Co-requisite | None | | | | |
| Module Website | https://www.tcd.ie/classics/undergraduate/romanarchaeology.php | | | | |
| Are other Schools/Departments involved in the delivery of this module? | No | | | | |