

CLASSICAL AND NEAR EASTERN STUDIES

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Department Description: The Department of Classical and Near Eastern Studies develops diverse perspectives and understandings through the study of ancient languages (Greek, Latin, Arabic, and Hebrew), literatures, and cultures. This study yields analytical, critical and creative insights as students encounter and respond to written works and material culture of Greece, Rome, and the Near East.

Web Contact/Information: Additional information about this department may be found at <http://canes.creighton.edu>. However, for definitive details, students are strongly encouraged to check the University's website for Bulletin changes at <http://www.creighton.edu/Registrar>.

PROGRAMS IN CLASSICAL AND NEAR EASTERN CIVILIZATIONS

Specific Requirements for Admission to Classical Languages Major: Satisfactory completion of the 101-102-201 sequence (or equivalent) in the track-language.

B. A., Major in Classical Languages: 27 Credits

Greek Track

(All of the following:)

GRK 300	Introduction to the Ancient Mediterranean World	3 credits
GRK 303	Greek Prose Composition	3 credits
GRK 498	Senior Capstone Seminar	3 credits

(Nine credits from the following:)*

GRK 301	Readings in Greek	3 credits
GRK 400	Archaic Greek Authors	3 credits
GRK 401	Archaic Greek Themes and Genres	3 credits
GRK 402	Classical Greek Authors	3 credits
GRK 403	Classical Greek Themes and Genres	3 credits
GRK 404	Post-classical Greek Authors	3 credits
GRK 405	Post-classical Greek Themes and Genres	3 credits
GRK 406	Late/koine Greek Authors	3 credits
GRK 407	Late/koine Greek Themes and Genres	3 credits
GRK 408	Byzantine Greek Authors	3 credits
GRK 409	Byzantine Greek Themes and Genres	3 credits
GRK 410	Diachronic Readings in Greek	3 credits
GRK 411	Readings in Greek and Latin	3 credits
GRK 493	Directed Independent Readings	2-4 credits

(Nine credits from the following:)

LAT 101	Beginning Latin I	3 credits
LAT 102	Beginning Latin II	3 credits
LAT 115	Intensive Beginning Latin	3 credits
LAT 201	Intermediate Latin	3 credits
LAT 301	Readings in Latin	3 credits
LAT 303	Latin Prose Composition	3 credits
LAT 400	Archaic Latin Authors	3 credits
LAT 401	Archaic Latin Themes and Genres	3 credits
LAT 402	Classical Latin Authors	3 credits
LAT 403	Classical Latin Themes and Genres	3 credits
LAT 404	Augustan Latin Authors	3 credits
LAT 405	Augustan Latin Themes and Genres	3 credits
LAT 406	Post-Augustan/late Latin Authors	3 credits
LAT 407	Post-Augustan/late Latin Themes and Genres	3 credits
LAT 408	Medieval Latin Authors	3 credits

LAT 409	Medieval Latin Themes and Genres	3 credits
LAT 410	Diachronic Readings in Latin	3 credits
LAT 411	Readings in Greek and Latin	3 credits
LAT 493	Directed Independent Readings	2-4 credits

*Three different courses must be used. Repeating these courses will not fulfill the requirement.

Note: Students pursuing the Greek Track may not minor in Latin.

Latin Track

(All of the following:)

LAT 300	Introduction to the Ancient Mediterranean World	3 credits
LAT 303	Latin Prose Composition	3 credits
LAT 498	Senior Seminar	3 credits

(Nine credits from the following):*

LAT 301	Readings in Latin	3 credits
LAT 400	Archaic Latin Authors	3 credits
LAT 401	Archaic Latin Themes and Genres	3 credits
LAT 402	Classical Latin Authors	3 credits
LAT 403	Classical Latin Themes and Genres	3 credits
LAT 404	Augustan Latin Authors	3 credits
LAT 405	Augustan Latin Themes and Genres	3 credits
LAT 406	Post-Augustan/late Latin Authors	3 credits
LAT 407	Post-Augustan/late Latin Themes and Genres	3 credits
LAT 408	Medieval Latin Authors	3 credits
LAT 409	Medieval Latin Themes and Genres	3 credits
LAT 410	Diachronic Readings in Latin	3 credits
LAT 411	Readings in Greek and Latin	3 credits
LAT 493	Directed Independent Readings	2-4 credits

(Nine credits from the following:)

GRK 101	Beginning Greek I	3 credits
GRK 102	Beginning Greek II	3 credits
GRK 115	Intensive Beginning Greek	3 credits
GRK 201	Intermediate Greek	3 credits
GRK 301	Readings in Greek	3 credits
GRK 303	Greek Prose Composition	3 credits
GRK 400	Archaic Greek Authors	3 credits
GRK 401	Archaic Greek Themes and Genres	3 credits
GRK 402	Classical Greek Authors	3 credits
GRK 403	Classical Greek Themes and Genres	3 credits
GRK 404	Post-classical Greek Authors	3 credits
GRK 405	Post-classical Greek Themes and Genres	3 credits
GRK 406	Late/koine Greek Authors	3 credits
GRK 407	Late/koine Greek Themes and Genres	3 credits
GRK 408	Byzantine Greek Authors	3 credits
GRK 409	Byzantine Greek Themes and Genres	3 credits
GRK 410	Diachronic readings in Greek	3 credits
GRK 411	Readings in Greek and Latin	3 credits
GRK 493	Directed Independent Readings	2-4 credits

*Three different courses must be used. Repeating these courses will not fulfill the requirement.

Note: Students pursuing the Latin Track may not minor in Ancient Greek.

B. A., Major in Classical and Near Eastern Civilizations: 30 Credits**(All of the following):**

CNE 300	Introduction to the Ancient Mediterranean World	3 credits
CNE 498	Senior Capstone Seminar	3 credits

Three credits from each of the following four areas*:*Literature*

CNE 306	Literature of Ancient Greece	3 credits
CNE 308	Literature of Ancient Rome	3 credits
CNE 311	Classical Mythology	3 credits
CNE 313	The Hero in Antiquity	3 credits
CNE 321	Epic Literature	3 credits
CNE 323	Classical Greek Drama	3 credits
CNE 421	Roman Social Satire	3 credits
CNE 423	Greek and Roman Comedy	3 credits
CNE 440	Selected Topics in Classical Literature	3 credits
CNE 520	The Dead Sea Scrolls	3 credits
CNE 529	Translations of the Bible	3 credits

History

CNE 316	Women in Ancient Greece and Hellenistic Egypt	3 credits
CNE 317	Women in Ancient Rome and Roman Egypt	3 credits
CNE 348	Muhammad and the Rise of Islam	3 credits
CNE 401	Greek History to the Peloponnesian War	3 credits
CNE 402	Hellenistic History	3 credits
CNE 403	The Roman Republic	3 credits
CNE 404	The Roman Empire	3 credits
CNE 418	Great Empires of the Near East	3 credits
CNE 419	Ancient Egypt: History, Society and Culture	3 credits
CNE 420	Selected Topics in Ancient History	3 credits
CNE 524	History of Ancient Israel	3 credits

Philosophy

CNE 370	History of Classical Greek Philosophy	3 credits
CNE 371	History of Hellenistic Philosophy	3 credits
CNE 372	History of Medieval Philosophy	3 credits
CNE 410	Stoicism	3 credits
CNE 460	Selected Topics in Ancient Philosophy	3 credits

Art/Archaeology

CNE 349	Egyptian Art and Archaeology	3 credits
CNE 350	Archaeology of Syria-Palestine	3 credits
CNE 354	Greek Art and Archaeology (campus)	3 credits
CNE 355	Greek Art and Archaeology (travel)	3 credits
CNE 357	Ancient Near Eastern Art and Archaeology	3 credits
CNE 362	Early Christian Art and Archaeology	3 credits
CNE 365	Greek Art	3 credits
CNE 366	Etruscan and Roman Art	3 credits
CNE 430	Selected Topics in Ancient Art and Archaeology	3 credits
CNE 461	The City of Rome	3 credits
CNE 525	Archaeological Fieldwork and Analysis	3 credits
CNE 526	Archaeology of Roman Palestine	3 credits

An additional 12 upper-division credits chosen with the major advisor. 12 credits

*Or one or more upper-division courses chosen with the approval of the major advisor.

With the consent of the Chair, as many as 3 related courses from other departments may be accepted toward this major.

The student must complete 3 semesters of one of the ancient languages, or demonstrate equivalent ability.

ANCIENT GREEK MINOR

Program Description: Students will study intermediate and advanced ancient Greek, along with elective courses from another ancient language or Classical and Near Eastern Studies offerings in translation.

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(Twelve credits from the following:)

GRK 201	Intermediate Greek	3 credits
GRK 301	Readings in Greek	3 credits
GRK 303	Greek Prose Composition	3 credits
GRK 400	Archaic Greek Authors	3 credits
GRK 401	Archaic Greek Themes and Genres	3 credits
GRK 402	Classical Greek Authors	3 credits
GRK 403	Classical Greek Themes and Genres	3 credits
GRK 404	Post-classical Greek Authors	3 credits
GRK 405	Post-classical Greek Themes and Genres	3 credits
GRK 406	Late/koine Greek Authors	3 credits
GRK 407	Late/koine Greek Themes and Genres	3 credits
GRK 408	Byzantine Greek Authors	3 credits
GRK 409	Byzantine Greek Themes and Genres	3 credits
GRK 410	Diachronic Readings in Greek	3 credits
GRK 411	Readings in Greek and Latin	3 credits
GRK 493	Directed Independent Readings*	2-4 credits

Six additional credits chosen from the list above or CNE courses numbered 300 or above, or six credits from Arabic, Hebrew or Latin courses. 6 credits

*No more than six credits in Directed Independent Readings will count toward the minor.

ANCIENT HISTORY MINOR

Program Description: Students will study a broad range of history of the Near Eastern, Greek, and Roman worlds, with exposure to literary, epigraphic, and material remains. Attention will be given to political and social institutions and cultural forms, as well as the dynamic changes in these societies and the interrelationships between them.

Contact: Chair, Department of Classical and Near Eastern Studies

(Four of the following:)

CNE 401	Greek History to the Peloponnesian War	3 credits
CNE 402	Hellenistic History	3 credits
CNE 403	The Roman Republic	3 credits
CNE 404	The Roman Empire	3 credits
CNE 418	Great Empires of the Near East	3 credits
CNE 419	Ancient Egypt: History, Society and Culture	3 credits

(Two additional courses chosen from the list below and the courses not taken above:)

CNE 316	Women in Ancient Greece and Hellenistic Egypt	3 credits
CNE 317	Women in Ancient Rome and Roman Egypt	3 credits
CNE 348	Muhammad and the Rise of Islam	3 credits
CNE 349	Egyptian Art and Archaeology	3 credits
CNE 350	Archaeology of Syria-Palestine	3 credits
CNE 354	Greek Art and Archaeology	3 credits
CNE 357	Ancient Near Eastern Art and Archaeology	3 credits
CNE 362	Early Christian Art and Archaeology	3 credits
CNE 420	Selected Topics in Ancient History	3 credits
CNE 430	Selected Topics in Ancient Art and Archaeology	3 credits
CNE 461	The City of Rome	3 credits
CNE 524	History of Ancient Israel	3 credits
CNE 526	Archaeology of Roman Palestine	3 credits

CLASSICAL AND NEAR EASTERN CIVILIZATIONS MINOR

Program Description: The Classical and Near Eastern Civilizations minor offers a broad range of courses in the literary, religious, philosophical, political, and material culture of the Near Eastern, Greek, and Roman worlds. Students will study the institutions of these cultural forms, as well as the dynamic changes in these institutions and the interrelationships between them.

Contact: Chair, Department of Classical and Near Eastern Studies

(All of the following:)

Eighteen credits of 300-, 400- or 500-level CNE courses.

18 credits

LATIN MINOR

Program Description: Students will study intermediate and advanced ancient Latin, along with elective courses from another ancient language or Classical and Near Eastern Studies offerings in translation.

Contact: Chair, Department of Classical and Near Eastern Studies

(Twelve credits from the following:)

LAT 201	Intermediate Latin	3 credits
LAT 301	Readings in Latin	3 credits
LAT 303	Latin Prose Composition	3 credits
LAT 400	Archaic Latin Authors	3 credits
LAT 401	Archaic Latin Themes and Genres	3 credits
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LAT 408	Medieval Latin Authors	3 credits
LAT 409	Medieval Latin Themes and Genres	3 credits
LAT 410	Diachronic Readings in Latin	3 credits
LAT 411	Readings in Greek and Latin	3 credits
LAT 493	Directed Independent Readings*	2-4 credits

Six additional credits chosen from the list above or in CNE courses numbered 300 or above, or in any Arabic, Hebrew or Greek courses.

6 credits

* No more than six hours in LAT 493 will be accepted toward the minor.

Certificate Programs in University College

This department does not offer a certificate program to students in University College.

For all ARA courses please refer to page 321; for CNE courses, page 349; For GRK courses, page 397; For HEB courses, page 401; For all LAT courses, page 423.