

MWF noon, 105 Center Hall
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HUM 2

spring 2018
office hrs Wed 3-4 or by appt.

Rome

April 2: intro, and a brief history of Rome

April 4 Vergil Aeneid I

April 6 “ “ II

April 9 Aeneid III-IV

11 “ VI -VII

13 “ from VIII:411-end, X:501-702, XII:674-end

April 16 Ovid Ars amatoria I [packet] *first paper due*

Early Christianity

18 Intro to New Testament: Gospel according to Matthew [this is long, so you have 2 lecture days

20 Gospel according to Matthew to get through it)

April 23 Paul: Galatians (whole), Romans chapters 3 & 13, I Corinthians 7; Acts 9-11 [n: Saul =Paul]

25 Augustine Confessions Bks I, II, III

27 “ “ Bks IV,V,VI

April 30 Augustine Confessions Bks VII; VIII: 1, 5-12; IX: 2,5-12; X:30-35

Early Islam

May 2 Islam: Koran selections [packet]

4 arguments within Islam (catch up on Koran readings)

May 7 al-Ghazali from “That Which Delivers from Error”; brief bits from Averroes & Aquinas [packet]

9 1001 Nights : “Sinbad the Sailor” voyages 1-4,7 [packet] *second paper due*

Medieval Europe

11 Song of Roland pp.29-106 (sections 1-178)

May 14 “ “ pp.106-156 (sections 178-298)

16 Marie de France Lais: “Lanval,” “Yonec,” “Bisclavret” [packet]

18 Dante Inferno cantos 1-4

May 21 Dante Inferno cantos 5-13

23 “ cantos 15- 19, 26-29

25 “ cantos 30-34

May 28 Memorial Day – no class

30 Dante Purgatory cantos 17-18, 26-31

June 1 “ Paradise cantos 30-33 *third paper due*

June 4 Boccaccio Decameron - Boccaccio and Dante: Preface, Introduction [*Boccaccio's* pref and intro, (pp.1-) *not* the translator's], Day I, tale1; Day III, tale 10-end of Day III; Day IV, tale 2; Day X,4.

June 6 Decameron - merchant adventurers: II,3 and 5; VIII,10; interclass relations: III,9; VI,2; VII,8.

8 “ - Christians, Jews and Muslims: I.2-3; II,9; V,2; VI, 10; X,9, Author's Conclusion.

Final exam: Wed. June 13, 11:30-2:30, in the lecture hall

Grading for this course: papers = 15%, 20%, 25%; exam = 30%; participation in discussions = 10%.