# **ROMAN CIVILIZATION (01:190:206) TUESDAY & THURSDAY 1.10-2.30pm**, Spring 2016 FH-A6 (CAC). **Index = 09875**

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## Required texts (all in RU Bookstore):

- 1. KNAPP, R.C. *Invisible Romans* (2011). ISBN 9780674061996
- 2. SHELTON, J. As the Romans Did (2<sup>nd</sup> ed., Oxford 1998). ISBN 9780195089745 **Also:** short articles and occasional supplementary materials to be posted on SAKAI.

**Requirements**: paper (suggested length 5 pages = 1250 words); plus **midterm** and non-cumulative **final** (multiple choice). **Grade** = paper (30%), midterm (30%) and final (40%). **Paper**: open topic on any aspect of Roman civilization, including relevance to the modern era. **Grading equivalents**: 59 or below=F; 60-69=D; 70-74=C; 75-79=C+; 80-84=B; 85-89=B+; 90 or above=A.

TUE 19 JAN	SHELTON INTRO (pp. 2-3)
THU 21 JAN	SHELTON I STRUCTURE (pp. 4-15)
TUE 26 JAN	SHELTON II FAMILIES (pp. 16-36)
THU 28 JAN	SHELTON III MARRIAGE (pp. 37-58)
TUE 2 FEB	SHELTON IV HOUSING AND CITY LIFE (pp. 59-78)
THU 4 FEB	SHELTON V DOMESTIC AND PERSONAL CONCERNS (pp. 79-99)
TUE 9 FEB	KNAPP I ORDINARY MEN (pp. 5-52)
THU 11 FEB	KNAPP I ORDINARY MEN (pp. 5-52) [continued]
TUE 16 FEB	SHELTON VI EDUCATION (pp. 100-122)
THU 18 FEB	SHELTON VII OCCUPATIONS (pp. 123-162)
TUE 23 FEB	KNAPP III THE POOR (pp. 97-124)
THU 25 FEB	SHELTON VIII SLAVES (pp. 163-185)
TUE 1 MAR	KNAPP IV SLAVES (pp. 125-169)
THU 3 MAR	SHELTON IX FREEDMEN AND FREEDWOMEN (pp. 186-202)
TUE 8 MAR	MIDTERM [in our usual classroom, FH-A6]
THU 10 MAR	KNAPP V FREEDMEN (pp. 170-195)
TUE 22 MAR	KNAPP IX BANDITS AND PIRATES (pp. 290-314)
THU 24 MAR	SHELTON X GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS (pp. 203-242)
TUE 29 MAR	SHELTON XI THE ROMAN ARMY (pp. 243-267)
THU 31 MAR	KNAPP VI SOLDIERS (pp. 196-235)
TUE 5 APR	SHELTON XII THE PROVINCES (pp. 268-287)
THU 7 APR	SHELTON XIII WOMEN IN ROMAN SOCIETY (pp. 288-306)
TUE 12 APR	KNAPP II ORDINARY WOMEN (pp. 53-96)
THU 14 APR	KNAPP VII PROSTITUTES (pp. 236-264)
TUE 19 APR	SHELTON XIV LEISURE AND ENTERTAINMENT (pp. 307-358)
THU 21 APR	KNAPP VIII GLADIATORS (pp. 265-289)
TUE 26 APR	SHELTON XV RELIGION AND PHILOSOPHY (pp. 359-430)
THU 28 APR	REVIEW; PAPER DUE
FRI 6 MAY	8.00am ROMAN CIV FINAL [in our usual classroom, FH-A6]

#### Core curriculum

This course is certified for Core learning goals HST, AHo, AHp

# **Areas of inquiry: Historical Analysis (HST)**

- Explain the development of some aspect of a society or culture over time, including the history of ideas or history of science.
- Employ historical reasoning to study human endeavors.

## Areas of Inquiry: Arts and Humanities [AH]

- Examine critically philosophical and other theoretical issues concerning the nature of reality, human experience, knowledge, value, and/or cultural production. [AHo]
- Analyze arts and/or literatures in themselves and in relation to specific histories, values, languages, cultures, and technologies. [AHp]

## **Current Academic Integrity Policy**

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Violations include: cheating, fabrication, plagiarism, denying others access to information or material, and facilitating violations of academic integrity.

# Exam makeup policy

One makeup for midterm (strongly discouraged) is offered by prior arrangement, and takes short and long essay form.