

- Time and place: TTh, 8:00–9:15, Arter 212.
- Instructor and office hours: Judson Herrman, <jherrman@allegheny.edu>; office hours in Arter 202A, Tue. 10:45–12:15, Wed. 9:00–12:00, Thu. 10:45–12:15.
- Description: this course will develop Latin reading skills with a focus on Cicero's *Pro M. Caelio*, a courtroom-speech that highlights late Republican Roman society and is a model of argumentative forensic oratory; we will read it in its entirety and supplement it with relevant contemporary sight readings in poetry and prose. We will focus on increasing Latin reading speed and comprehension. We will pay special attention to the Latin prose style and the rhetorical content of the work. 215 students undertake a comprehensive grammar review; for 315 students grammar review is occasional and as needed.
- Website: <http://www.jherrman.net/lat-315-2018s.html>
- Requirements: attendance of all meetings is expected and any absences should be pre-arranged. Course grade will be based on the following:
  - Daily preparation and participation (20%). Students are expected to have completed the assigned reading before class; at every meeting each student will take a turn leading the discussion and translation. Students receive full credit for coming to class and participating each day, no credit if they do not.
  - Regular quizzes on translation (45%; 8 Feb, 8 Mar, 12 Apr). 215 students will be responsible for less prepared material than 315 students. Specific passages to review will be posted on the webpage.
  - For 215 only: regular grammar review reading and written homework assignments (15%).
  - For 315 only: essay of three to four pages, incorporating a close reading of (parts of) the text and reacting to secondary scholarship (15%; due 17 Apr).
  - Final exam on sight and prepared translation (20%; 4 May).
- Required books:
  - C. Lewis, *An Elementary Latin Dictionary* (Oxford, 1981). ISBN: 0199102058. Ebook version available here: <http://perseus.uchicago.edu/Reference/lewis.html>
  - (For 215): W. Englert, *Cicero, Pro Caelio* (Bryn Mawr Latin Commentaries, 1990). ISBN: 9780929524658.
  - (For 215:) J. Morwood, *A Latin Grammar* (Oxford: Oxford UP, 2000). ISBN: 0198602774.
  - (For 315) A. R. Dyck, *Cicero, Pro Marco Caelio* (Cambridge, 2013). ISBN: 9781107643482.
- Provisional schedule:
 

Tue 16 Jan	Course intro.; read (sight) Cicero, <i>Pro Caelio</i> §1.
Thu 18 Jan	Read Cicero, <i>Pro Caelio</i> §§1–2.
Tue 23 Jan	215 grammar (synopsis). Read Cicero, <i>Pro Caelio</i> §§3–5.
Thu 25 Jan	Read Cicero, <i>Pro Caelio</i> §§6–8.
Tue 30 Jan	215 grammar (verb IDs). Read Cicero, <i>Pro Caelio</i> §§9–11.
Thu 1 Feb	Read Cicero, <i>Pro Caelio</i> §§12–14.
Tue 6 Feb	Read Cicero, <i>Pro Caelio</i> §§15–17.
Thu 8 Feb	Quiz and sight reading.
Tue 13 Feb	215 grammar (indirect statement: Morwood 82–85, sentences 1–7 and 9). Read Cicero, <i>Pro Caelio</i> §§18–20.
Thu 15 Feb	Read Cicero, <i>Pro Caelio</i> §§21–24.
Tue 20 Feb	215 grammar (indirect command and questions: Morwood 86–87, 89–91 and sentences 3–5 and 7–8, Morwood 94–95 and sentences 4–5 and 8). Read Cicero, <i>Pro Caelio</i> §§25–27.

Thu 22 Feb	Read Cicero, <i>Pro Caelio</i> §§28–31.
Tue 27 Feb	215 grammar (participles and conditions: Morwood 76–81 with sentences 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 11–12, and Morwood 114–117 with sentences 2, 4, 6, 12). Read Cicero, <i>Pro Caelio</i> §§32–34.
Thu 1 Mar	Read Cicero, <i>Pro Caelio</i> §§35–38.
Tue 6 Mar	Read Cicero, <i>Pro Caelio</i> §§39–41.
Thu 8 Mar	Quiz and sight reading.
Tue 13 Mar	215 grammar (clauses of purpose, result, fear: Morwood 96–98 with sentences 2, 4, 6, 11, Morwood 99–101 with sentences 2, 4, 6, 7, Morwood 102–103 with sentences 2, 4, 7). Read Cicero, <i>Pro Caelio</i> §§42–44.
Thu 15 Mar	Read Cicero, <i>Pro Caelio</i> §§45–48.
Tue 27 Mar	215 grammar (cum and dum clauses: Morwood 122–125 with sentences 1–6). Read Cicero, <i>Pro Caelio</i> §§49–51.
Thu 29 Mar	Read Cicero, <i>Pro Caelio</i> §§52–55.
Tue 3 Apr	215 grammar (gerunds and gerundives: Morwood 108–113 with sentences 1–7). Read Cicero, <i>Pro Caelio</i> §§56–58.
Thu 5 Apr	Read Cicero, <i>Pro Caelio</i> §§59–62.
Tue 10 Apr	Read Cicero, <i>Pro Caelio</i> §§63–65.
Thu 12 Apr	Quiz.
Tue 17 Apr	315 paper due. Read Cicero, <i>Pro Caelio</i> §§66–68.
Thu 19 Apr	Read Cicero, <i>Pro Caelio</i> §§69–72.
Tue 24 Apr	Read Cicero, <i>Pro Caelio</i> §§73–76.
Thu 26 Apr	Read Cicero, <i>Pro Caelio</i> §§77–80.
Fri 4 May	Final exam (2:00pm).

- Distribution requirements and learning outcomes: this course satisfies the requirements in the areas of Human Experience and Modes of Expression. In this course students learn to read literature in the original in one of the classical languages of the Greco-Roman world; they develop the skill of interpreting human experience as conveyed in ancient texts; by paying close attention to the detail of linguistic expression in Latin they gain understanding of the production of meaning through language, and they refine that understanding through direct engagement as they write their own analyses of that language.
- Policy statements
  - Late work is penalized one grade per scheduled class day.
  - Academic integrity: students at Allegheny College have agreed to uphold an Honor Code; they are expected to abide by that code in all work for this class.  
See <https://sites.allegheny.edu/deanofstudents/student-conduct-system/academic-conduct/>
  - Disability concerns: students with disabilities who believe they may need accommodations in this class are encouraged to contact Disability Services. Please do this as soon as possible to ensure that such accommodations are implemented in a timely fashion. No accommodations can be extended without a written statement from Disability Services.  
See <https://sites.allegheny.edu/disabilityservices/>
  - Religious accommodation: if you need to miss class due to a religious observance, please make arrangements with the instructor in advance.  
See <https://sites.allegheny.edu/religiouslife/religious-holy-days/>