

Course Number

Latin 400

Course Title

Medieval Latin

Quarter/Year

Spring 2022

Day/Time

TR 11-12:20

Instructor

Barbara  
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Distro Fulfillment

Classics after Antiquity  
Language and Verbal Arts



### Course Description

This class aims to teach proficiency in reading medieval Latin texts in prose and verse, from a variety of periods and genres. Tuesdays will be devoted to a thoroughgoing review and consolidation of grammar, using Richard Upsher Smith's Ecclesiastical, Medieval, and Neo-Latin Sentences. On Thursdays we will read and translate selected texts from an anthology—chosen, when possible, to align with the participants' research interests. Students should aim to acquire two complementary skills, sight-reading for comprehension and translation for fluency and accuracy. Ideally, students should have had at least a year of prior Latin experience, or the equivalent in intensive summer Latin.

### Required Textbooks

Purchase the book(s) Online

### Assessments

Attendance, Class Participation, Homework, Readings

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