Graduate Faculty in Classics

James A. Francis - Classical culture, later empire and Early Christianity, asceticism, visuality in literature
David G. Hunter - Cottrill-Rolfs Chair of Catholic Studies; Patristics and Early Christian Studies, Ambrosiaster and Augustine
Hubert M. Martin - Greek literature, Plutarch
Milena Minkova - Latin literature, 12th Century Renaissance, Latin Composition, Latin Pedagogy and Active Latin
Jane E. Phillips - Latin Literature, Renaissance Studies, Erasmus
Robert J. Rabel - Greek Literature and Philosophy, Homer, Classical Tradition
Jennifer M. Tunberg - Latin Fiction, the Neo-Latin Novel
Terence O. Tunberg - Latin Literature, Renaissance Studies, Latin Pedagogy and Active Latin

Cooperating Faculty

David Bradshaw - Ancient and Medieval Philosophy, Patristics
Alice Christ - Roman and Early Christian Art
Abigail Firey - Medieval Studies, Canon Law
Daniel J. Gargola - Roman History, Roman Law
David Olster - Ancient and Byzantine History
Eric Sanday - Greek Philosophy

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The Division of Classics in the Department of Modern & Classical Languages, Literatures, & Cultures offers various degrees and programs: an M.A. degree, with thesis or non-thesis option, focusing on classical languages and literature, an M.A.T. in Latin teaching through the MATWL program, and a Graduate Certificate in Latin Studies through the UK Institute for Latin Studies, which can be obtained in conjunction with a degree or separately. It is also possible to pursue both the M.A. and M.A.T. degrees simultaneously. Students in either program enjoy the full range of faculty, courses, and resources of the division.

**M.A. in Classics**

The M.A. program in Classics offers a degree with courses in Greek and Latin languages, literature and culture, as well as allied offerings in ancient and medieval history, ancient and medieval philosophy, archaeology, Greek and Roman art, and Renaissance studies. The Classics program also has a record of instruction and research in Early Christian and Renaissance Studies. A distinctive feature of the Classics program at the University of Kentucky is the Institute for Latin Studies, a Graduate Certificate Curriculum, in which Latin is taught in its continuity from the ancient world through the Middle Ages and the Renaissance up to modern times, and in which Latin is the language of communication used in the classroom.

Consider the Graduate program at the University of Kentucky, if you want to enter into direct dialogue with Greek and Latin authors, if you would like to be a part of a vibrant Latin Studies community, if you would like become a confident and committed teacher of Latin and Classics in schools, if you are interested in building a solid linguistic base for doctoral studies as a classicist, or in pursuing other disciplines which study the ancient world or have valuable sources in Latin and Greek, such as History, Philosophy, Religious Studies, and the History of Science.

For further information, see: mcl.as.uky.edu/classics

**M.A.T. in Latin Teaching**

The goal of the Master's of Arts in Teaching World Languages (MATWL) program is to prepare the highest quality language educators for the state of Kentucky and beyond. The MATWL program is designed to produce teachers who will possess a high level of content knowledge, excel in pedagogy, and perform as skilled professionals. The program is offered in the Department of Modern and Classical Languages, Literatures, and Cultures in cooperation with the Department of Hispanic Studies and the Department of Curriculum and Instruction in the College of Education.

Typical applicants include anyone with a B.A. from a US institution or the equivalent, teachers who are employed with an emergency certification and second-career professionals, as well as teachers seeking professional development.

The MATWL program offers a number of advantages for applicants since it can either be completed in one year, or can be extended to multiple years for those who are unable to take the required courses as full-time.

For further information, see: web.as.edu/matwl

**U.K. Institute for Latin Studies**

The UK Institute for Latin Studies is a series of graduate courses in Latin studies designed to provide anyone with a special interest in Latin with a thorough command of the Latin language in reading, writing, and speaking, along with a wide exposure to the cultural riches of the Latin tradition in its totality. This means a deep immersion in classical Latin texts as well as the Latin of the church fathers, the Middle Ages, the Renaissance and even more recent times. This curriculum provides an unusually solid preparation for any profession or discipline in which skill in Latin is highly important, such as Classics, Theology, Philosophy, History, etc. We recommend this curriculum not only for those who aspire to enter a doctoral program, but also for anyone who is interested in teaching Latin in the secondary schools and would like to acquire an active command of the language along with a wide-ranging knowledge of Latin literature.

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**Admission**

General requirements for admission to the Graduate School can be found in the Graduate School Bulletin or at classics@lsv.uky.edu. The requirements for admission to the program in Classics are (A) a combined score of 1000 on any two of the three parts of the Graduate Record Examination, (B) an undergraduate grade point average of 3.0 or above on a 4.0 scale, and (C) competence in one of the Classical languages (Latin or Greek) and at least a basic knowledge of the other. The Director of Graduate Studies may admit students with lower GRE scores or an undergraduate grade point average below 3.0 if the Director believes the student capable of successful graduate work. The division also requires from each applicant a two- or three-paragraph personal statement and three letters of reference from former professors or teachers.

For further information, contact the Director of Graduate Studies at: classics@lsv.uky.edu or via mail at the address given in this brochure.