L 167c: Latin Literature
Fall 2010
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Required Text

Ovid, *Ars amatoria: Book I*, ed. A. S. Hollis (Oxford University Press, 1989).

Requirements

We will read as much of *Ars amatoria I* as we can. The pace will be suited to your abilities; I expect you to spend two hours preparing for each one-hour class.

I recommend that you use the *Oxford Latin Dictionary*, which is in the reference collection in the Dabney reading room (PA2365.E5 O9 pts. 1–4 and 5–8). The next best dictionary is Lewis and Short's *Latin Dictionary*, a version of which is available as part of the Perseus Project: `http://www.perseus.tufts.edu/hopper/search` under "Dictionary Entry Lookup." Unfortunately, Perseus is often slow, so if you want to use Lewis and Short, you might consider downloading Diogenes (which requires perl): `http://sourceforge.net/projects/diogenes/files`.

A midterm exam is be due Friday, October 29, at 5 pm, and a final exam, Friday, December 10, at 5 pm. The exams are closed book. 30% of your grade will be based on the midterm, 30% on the final, and 40% on class participation.

The easiest way to communicate with me is by email (gwp@hss.caltech.edu), but I am happy to speak to you in person or on the phone. My office is 208 Dabney, and my extension, 3601.