Course Number

CLS-121-01

Course Description

Investigation of the circumstances that led to history's first democracy, the buildings on the Acropolis and the development of Greek literature from Homer to Sophocles and Plato; the invention of the Western way of war; the evolution of the Greek poleis and the confrontation with the emerging nation-state of Macedonia; the epochal wars of the Greek states with Persia and the disastrous conflict of Athens and Sparta in the Peloponnesian War; and Alexander's conquest of the world from the Mediterranean Sea to the rivers of India in a little over ten years. Readings include Homer's Odyssey, selected lives of Plutarch, and Thucydides.

Academic Term

21/FA

Instructor

Winters, Laura

Location & Meeting Time

Karp Hall-001+ T/TH 10:55AM-12:40PM LEC

Credits

1.00

Capacity

33

**Total Students** 

32

**Additional Information** 

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Common Curriculum

LCC Languages & Cultures

**HUM Arts & Humanities** 

**HUL Literature** 

Academic Department

Classics

Field Of Study

Classics (CLS)