

# Ancient History and Mediterranean Archaeology (AHMA)

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## Courses

### AHMA R1B Reading and Composition on Topics in Ancient History and Mediterranean Archaeology 4 Units

Terms offered: Fall 2025, Spring 2025, Fall 2024

This seminar-style course introduces students to a problem or theme that is explored through ancient historical texts as well as archaeological evidence. Readings and studies of this material evidence provide the subject upon which a series of writing assignments will focus. AHMA R1B is the second seminar in the University's required R&C sequence; its aim is to introduce students to college-level research and writing by focusing on a problem or theme related to a specific department's field of inquiry.

#### Hours & Format

**Fall and/or spring:** 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

**Summer:** 6 weeks - 8 hours of lecture per week

#### Additional Details

**Subject/Course Level:** Ancient History and Med. Arch./Undergraduate

**Grading/Final exam status:** Alternative to final exam.

### AHMA 210 Ancient History and Mediterranean Archaeology Interdisciplinary Seminar 2 or 4 Units

Terms offered: Fall 2025, Spring 2025, Spring 2024

Team-taught by faculty from two different departments. The purpose is not only to expose students to a discipline other than their own, but to engage them directly in the application of that discipline to their own research interests. The topic and instructors will vary from year to year.

#### Rules & Requirements

**Prerequisites:** Graduate standing

**Repeat rules:** Course may be repeated for credit without restriction.

#### Hours & Format

**Fall and/or spring:** 15 weeks - 3 hours of seminar per week

#### Additional Details

**Subject/Course Level:** Ancient History and Med. Arch./Graduate

**Grading:** Letter grade.

### AHMA 298 Special Study 2 - 12 Units

Terms offered: Fall 2025, Spring 2025, Fall 2024

Normally reserved for students writing the doctoral dissertation.

#### Rules & Requirements

**Repeat rules:** Course may be repeated for credit without restriction.

#### Hours & Format

##### Fall and/or spring:

15 weeks - 6-36 hours of independent study per week

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**Summer:** 12 weeks - 7.5-45 hours of independent study per week

#### Additional Details

**Subject/Course Level:** Ancient History and Med. Arch./Graduate

**Grading:** Offered for satisfactory/unsatisfactory grade only.

### AHMA 299 Special Study 1 - 4 Units

Terms offered: Fall 2025, Summer 2025, Spring 2025

Topics and instructors will vary from year to year. Special individual study for qualified graduate students. Individual study and research, including archaeological fieldwork or laboratory projects, in consultation with instructor on subject matter not covered in scheduled course offerings.

#### Rules & Requirements

**Prerequisites:** Graduate standing or consent of instructor

**Repeat rules:** Course may be repeated for credit without restriction.

#### Hours & Format

**Fall and/or spring:** 15 weeks - 4-16 hours of independent study per week

**Summer:** 8 weeks - 7.5-30 hours of independent study per week

#### Additional Details

**Subject/Course Level:** Ancient History and Med. Arch./Graduate

**Grading:** Letter grade.

## **AHMA 601 Individual Study for Masters Candidates 1 - 12 Units**

Terms offered: Spring 2025, Spring 2024, Spring 2023

Individual study for the comprehensive or language requirements in consultation with the graduate adviser or personal adviser. Units may not be used to meet either unit or residence requirements for a master's degree.

### **Rules & Requirements**

**Repeat rules:** Course may be repeated for credit without restriction.

### **Hours & Format**

#### **Fall and/or spring:**

15 weeks - 3-36 hours of independent study per week

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**Summer:** 12 weeks - 3.7-45 hours of independent study per week

### **Additional Details**

**Subject/Course Level:** Ancient History and Med. Arch./Graduate examination preparation

**Grading:** Offered for satisfactory/unsatisfactory grade only.

## **AHMA 602 Individual Study for Doctoral Candidates 1 - 12 Units**

Terms offered: Fall 2025, Spring 2025, Fall 2024

Individual study in consultation with the graduate adviser or personal adviser, intended to provide an opportunity for qualified students to prepare themselves for the various examinations required of candidates for the Ph.D. May not be used for unit or residence requirements for the doctoral degree.

### **Rules & Requirements**

**Repeat rules:** Course may be repeated for credit without restriction.

### **Hours & Format**

#### **Fall and/or spring:**

15 weeks - 3-36 hours of independent study per week

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**Summer:** 12 weeks - 3.7-45 hours of independent study per week

### **Additional Details**

**Subject/Course Level:** Ancient History and Med. Arch./Graduate examination preparation

**Grading:** Offered for satisfactory/unsatisfactory grade only.