Qualifying Exam Reading List in Secondary Literature

The reading lists in Greek, Latin and secondary literature are intended to provide an enabling foundation for teaching and research. They encourage broad competence across the core primary materials of classical scholarship, as well as acquaintance with the traditions and conversations that inform contemporary research. They are intended also to inform the ability of students to step into the broad range of teaching that scholars in the field are called upon to do. The exam will be administered in two parts: first, as a take-home essay exam, which the student will have 72 hours to complete; second, a ninety-minute oral exam will be held with the exam committee soon after the written part has been completed. Students will be graded as having either passed, failed, or high passed this exam.

If either the comprehensive or special field exam is not completed on schedule (viz., the end of autumn and winter quarter of year 3) we expect them to be done, or redone, by the end of the summer of year 3. Failure to complete the exams by this time is grounds for termination from the program.

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