



## DEPARTMENT OF LANGUAGES AND LITERATURES

### **LAT116 The Latin of church music, 7.5 credits**

Kyrkomusikens latin, 7,5 högskolepoäng

*First Cycle*

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#### **Confirmation**

This course syllabus was confirmed by Department of Languages and Literatures on 2019-04-06 to be valid from 2020-01-20, spring semester of 2020.

*Field of education:* Arts 100%

*Department:* Department of Languages and Literatures

#### **Position in the educational system**

The course is offered as a freestanding course.

*Main field of studies*

Latin

*Specialization*

G1N, First cycle, has only upper-secondary level entry requirements

#### **Entry requirements**

General entrance requirements

#### **Learning outcomes**

After completing the course the student should be able to:

*Knowledge and understanding*

- demonstrate a basic vocabulary consisting of the most frequent words in the studied texts;
- at a general level describe the importance of Latin morphology for the syntactic contexts of the texts;
- show a basic understanding of frequent texts in church music;

*Competence and skills*

- be able to apply different pronunciation principles and make conscious choices of pronunciation;
- at a general level account for the structure and content of a Latin text with the help of its Swedish translation;

*Judgement and approach*

- demonstrate an ability to identify his or her need for further knowledge and take responsibility for own knowledge development.

**Course content**

The aim of the course is to make the student familiar with some of the most frequent Latin texts in church music, e g the Latin mass and medieval hymns. The course thus contains a survey of different pronunciation models and of a basic vocabulary as well as an orientation in the grammatical structure of the texts. The original texts are studied in parallel with the Swedish translations.

**Form of teaching**

This is an online course.

**Assessment**

The student is assessed through a written take-home examination.

A student who has failed a course item is eligible for a retake exam/assignment. A student who has completed an exam/assignment with a passing grade is not eligible for a retake for the purpose of receiving a higher grade. Nor may a student withdraw a test/assignment once it has been submitted for the purpose of avoiding receiving a grade for the work.

A student who has failed a test twice has the right to change examiner, if it is possible. A written request must then be submitted to the Department. (HF chapter 6, section 22).

If the course has been discontinued or substantially revised, a student should be guaranteed to sit the examination on at least three occasions (including the ordinary examination occasion) during a period of at least one year based on the previous course structure. As regards internships/placement the same as above applies, with the

exception that examination is offered on only one occasion.

**Grades**

The grading scale comprises: Pass with Distinction (VG), Pass (G) and Fail (U).

**Course evaluation**

The students are given the opportunity to make a written evaluation of the course. The results of the evaluation are published digitally.

**Additional information**

The course may not be included in a Bachelor's Degree in Latin as the main field of study. Equality aspects should be taken into consideration in content, literature, teaching and evaluation.