

2013 TSJCL Certamen  
Intermediate Level, Round 2

TU # 1: Define the Latin noun unda. WAVE, SEA, RIVER, SPRING, WATER  
B1: Define the Latin adverb unde.  
WHENCE, FROM WHERE, FROM WHAT PLACE, FROM WHOM, FROM WHAT SOURCE  
B2: Define the Latin adverb undique.  
FROM ALL SIDES, FROM EVERY SIDE, IN ALL RESPECTS

TU # 2: Give the perfect active infinitive of the Latin verb docēre. DOCUISSE  
B1: Give the present passive infinitive of this verb. DOCERI  
B2: Give the perfect passive infinitive of this verb. DOCTUS (-A, -UM, ...) ESSE

TU # 3: What would a Roman want to buy if he went to the Forum Boarium? CATTLE/MEAT  
B1: . . . to the Forum Piscarium? FISH  
B2: . . . to the Forum Holitorium? VEGETABLES

TU # 4: The constellation Aquarius the Water-Bearer is said to have been what Trojan cupbearer of the gods? GANYMEDE  
B1: What animal took Ganymede to Mt. Olympus to become the cupbearer? EAGLE  
B2: Who visited Ganymede's father to console him on the abduction of his son? HERMES

TU # 5: Listen carefully to the following Latin passage, which I will read twice, and then answer in English the question that follows:

Est Athēnīs templum deae Athenae. Nōn licet virōs in templum illud intrāre. Mulierēs sacrificia illīc conficere solent. Diē quādam vir prāvō ingeniō in templum illud intrāre et ēripere signum antīquum ausus est. Ille vir poenam deōrum dedit. (repeat)

Question: Who were accustomed to make sacrifices in the temple? WOMEN  
B1: When did a man of evil character enter the temple? ON A CERTAIN DAY  
B2: What happened to the man as a result? THE GODS PUNISHED HIM

**(score check)**

TU # 6: What Roman emperor struck coins to commemorate the general Iulius Vindex, who had declared his allegiance to him over Nero? GALBA  
B1: Galba had earlier served as governor of the province of Tarraconensis, which was part of what peninsula? SPAIN / HISPANIA  
B2: Galba was assassinated by Otho, who had earlier served as governor of what region on the same peninsula? LUSITANIA / PORTUGAL

TU # 7: For whose seduction did Zeus extend the night to three times its proper length? ALCMENA / ALCMENE'S  
B1: How did Zeus disguise himself for this seduction? AS HER HUSBAND AMPHITRYON

B2: In due course Alcmena gives birth to twins. Name each twin and his respective father.  
HERACLES - ZEUS; IPHICLES - AMPHITRYON

TU #8: For the verb vereor, give the 2nd person singular, future indicative. VEREBERIS  
B1: Change vereberis to the imperfect tense. VEREBARIS  
B2: Change verebaris to the perfect tense. VERITUS ES

TU # 9: What type of person in the Roman world wore a hat known as a pilleus? FREEDMAN  
B1: What shape was a pilleus? CONE-SHAPED  
B2: What type of person would wear a hat called a petasus? TRAVELER, HUNTER, FARMER

TU #10: What king of Athens asked Poseidon to kill his son Hippolytus? THESEUS  
B1: Who lied and told Theseus that she had been raped by Hippolytus? PHAEDRA (HIS WIFE)  
B2: What goddess told Theseus, after he killed Hippolytus, that his son was innocent? ARTEMIS

**(score check)**

TU #11: Which of the following, if any, is not derived from the same Latin root as the others: asinine, easel, ass, jackass, and asperity? ASPERITY

B1: From what Latin adjective with what English meaning is "asperity" derived?  
ASPER = HARSH, ROUGH

B: From what Latin noun with what English meaning are asinine, easel, ass, and jackass derived?  
ASINUS = ASS/DONKEY

TU #12: What city did the future emperor Titus destroy in the year 70 AD? JERUSALEM  
B1: What lasting monument to this conquest still stands in Rome? ARCH OF TITUS  
B2: What postmortem honor was given to Titus and is mentioned on the inscription of the arch?  
HE WAS DEIFIED

TU #13: Who in the Trojan War killed Memnon, an ally of the Trojans? ACHILLES  
B1: Where was he from? ETHIOPIA  
B2: What goddess of the dawn cried over the death of Memnon? EOS/AURORA

TU #14: Define the Latin verb vincire. TO BIND, TIE UP, ENCIRCLE, BOND, LINK, FETTER  
B1: Define the Latin verb vincere. TO CONQUER, OVERCOME, DEFEAT, SUBDUE, WIN  
B2: Define the Latin verb vivere. TO LIVE, BE ALIVE, SURVIVE

TU #15: When recognized by the spotter, follow these directions: *sinistrā manū, scribe nōmen tuum in aere.*  
PLAYER SHOULD USE LEFT HAND TO WRITE HIS/HER NAME IN THE AIR  
B1: Follow these directions: *tangite capita simul inter sē.*  
PLAYERS SHOULD ALL TOUCH THEIR HEADS TOGETHER AT THE SAME TIME  
B2: Follow these directions: *omnēs date sociīs "altum quinque".*  
PLAYERS SHOULD GIVE "HIGH FIVES" TO EACH OTHER

**(score check)**

- TU #16: Translate into English: Brūtus sperāvit sē cōnsulem futūrum esse.  
BRUTUS HOPED HE WOULD BE CONSUL
- B1: Translate into English: Cassius negāvit sē homicīda fuisse.  
CASSIUS DENIED THAT HE WAS (HAD BEEN) A MURDERER
- B2: Translate into English: Caesar scīvit sē necātum īrī.  
CAESAR KNEW HE WOULD BE KILLED

- TU #17: What oldest grandson of the Severan woman Julia Maesa was made emperor in the year 218 AD?  
ELAGABALUS / HELIOGABALUS / MARCUS AURELIUS ANTONINUS AUGUSTUS
- B1: How did he acquire the name Elagabalus?  
(AS A BOY HE HAD) SERVED AS A PRIEST TO (THE SYRIAN GOD) ELAGABAL
- B2: What cousin replaced him as emperor, also at the instigation of Julia Maesa?  
ALEXANDER SEVERUS

- TU #18: What king of Thebes decreed that no one should bury the bodies of those who fought against Thebes?  
CREON
- B1: What girl defied the orders of Creon and buried her brother?  
ANTIGONE
- B2: What was her brother's name?  
POLYNEICES

- TU #19: Define the Latin noun lux.  
LIGHT, DAYLIGHT, DAY, SPLENDOR, EYESIGHT
- B1: Define the Latin noun nōx.  
NIGHT, DARKNESS, BLINDNESS
- B2: Define the Latin adverb mox.  
SOON, NEXT IN POSITION

**(score check)**

- TU #20: What derivative of the deponent verb oblivīscor is an English noun meaning 'the state of being completely forgotten about or unknown'?  
OBLIVION
- B1: What derivative of the deponent verb sequor is an English adjective meaning 'following one another in uninterrupted succession or order'?  
CONSECUTIVE
- B2: What derivative of the deponent verb loquor and the Latin word for 'stomach' is an English word naming a performer who seems to speak from his stomach?  
VENTRILOQUIST