

**NLTRW 2010**  
**What Have YOU Done to Promote Latin Teaching?**

Since it was founded in 2004, NLTRW has awarded twenty six mini-grants to support promotional events encouraging the teaching of Latin. The application process is very simple. You can obtain an application form at <http://www.promotelatin.org/MinigrantApl.pdf>. Below is a list of grants which have been funded along with follow-up reports for some of the most recent grants. Please consider having one of these at your school soon.

**Reports on NLTRW Funded Events**

**2009-2010**

University of Mississippi

We plan to invite a specialist in ancient language pedagogy and moderate a panel discussion for UM faculty, Mississippi language teachers, and prospective language teachers from the ranks of our Classics majors and other students on campus. The event is planned to coincide with NLTRW. We will also be hosting a returning student later in the spring who is now teaching Latin in Georgia to discuss her experiences in her first year of Latin teaching.

Monmouth College

An alumna teaching Latin in Chicago spoke to Latin and Education classes followed by a "Teach Latin" pizza party for Latin students.

University of Alberta

We will be hosting a coffee 'n cookies reception (Thursday, March 5) for our majors and potential majors. We have invited teachers from the 2 local schools that teach Latin (Tempo Private School and Archbishop MacDonald High School) and the instructors from Grant MacEwan Community College (also in Edmonton). We have a large class of first year Latin students, and this event will help us to encourage them to continue on in upper year Latin, with an eye towards teaching Latin. By involving the local schools and college, we can put students in touch with people who have been successful in their careers in Latin, and can also foster greater ties among the educational institutions here.

**2008-2009**

University of Alberta

student reception marketing materials for the event

University of Michigan

student information session and marketing materials for the event.

Monmouth College

Visit by alumna who teaches Latin.

Pizza party with local high school Latin class  
marketing materials for the event.

University of Illinois

NLTRW pizza lunch for the 130 students in the LAT 101-104 sequence, with presentations by two high school Latin teachers as well as the Latin Coordinator.

University of California Davis

“Becoming a Latin Teacher Panel” and dinner (3rd annual)

University of North Carolina-Ashville

“Chalking” the campus sidewalks during NLTRW with quotes and other messages proclaiming the importance of teaching Latin and putting up flyers and posters all around campus, and in the public libraries in Asheville

Hosting area high Latin students for a practice Certamen followed by pizza and drinks.

## **2007-2008**

Concordia College

dinner and lecture

University of California Davis:

“Becoming a Latin Teacher Panel” and dinner (2nd annual)

Concordia College:

dinner and reception for Latin teacher ed majors; lecture and reception for beginning Latin students

University of Alberta

afternoon reception for 1st year Latin students with faculty and local Latin teachers

Hunter College

reception for current and past MAT students

University of Michigan

an informational meeting for potential Latin teachers

University of North Carolina—Asheville

“Laurel Forum” an information sharing session with local teachers, principals and students (both high school and university)

## **2006-2007**

St. Joseph’s University

Opportunities in Classics Program

University of California Davis

Latin Teaching Panel

University of Mississippi

informational panel

University of Illinois  
Pizza Lunch for Beginning Latin students

University of Arizona  
Latin Day for high school students to explore careers in Classics

**2005-2006**

Marshall University  
program for high school Latin students to visit college Latin classes and to talk about the rewards of teaching Latin

Brittany Woods Middle School  
meetings with high school and university students about teaching Latin

Miami University  
information session for college Latin students with local high school teacher

**2004-2005**

Hunter College  
informal reception for college students in NYC area considering careers as Latin teachers

Tazwell and Graham High Schools  
to take high school students to visit Hollins College and discuss teaching Latin)

University of North Carolina Asheville

Marshall University  
program for high school Latin students to visit college Latin classes and to talk about the rewards of teaching Latin

University of Illinois  
Latin Teacher Recruitment Lunch