

**PhD Reading List for Philosophy Track of Joint Classics & Philosophy PhD Program
(effective July 2019)**

A: to be read in Greek

Parmenides B fragments

Heraclitus B fragments (in the edition of C.H. Kahn: *The Art and Thought of Heraclitus*)

Empedocles B fragments & new fragment (Martin & Primavesi)

Atomists: Leucippus and Democritus in the edition (with translation) of C. C.W. Taylor (*The Atomists: Leucippus and Democritus*)

Plato *Apology, Phaedo, Symposium, Phaedrus, Republic* I, II, IV, V 471c--480a, VI--VII, X, *Laws* X

Aristotle *Categories* 1-5, *De Interpretatione*, *Physics* I.5--8, II, III.1-3, IV, *De Anima* I.1, II.1-5, 12, III.1-5, *Nicomachean Ethics* I, II, III.1-5, X.6-8, *Metaphysics* I.1-2, XII.1, 6-7, 9-10

Gorgias *Helen*

Isocrates *Against the Sophists*

Diogenes Laertius VII.43-82 (on Stoic logic)

B: May be read in translation:

Presocratics – material in Barnes *Early Greek Philosophy* not on A list

Plato *Protagoras, Gorgias, Republic, Timaeus*

Epicurus the three letters (in e.g. Inwood & Gerson)

A: to be read in Latin

Lucretius *De Rerum Natura* 1-3

Cicero *De Finibus* I, III, V; *De Fato*

Seneca *De Ira; Letters* 120, 121, 124.

Augustine *Confessions* I.6(8)-20 & 8.6(14) -12(30) (Skutella)

B: May be read in translation:

Lucretius: the remainder of DRN not on A list

Cicero *Tusculan Disputations* 3-4

Seneca *De Tranquillitate Animi*