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| a. *required half-course*  
CL 9501 [Fun 1]  
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Note: The two parts of Fundamentals will be offered in alternate years. | a. *required half-course*  
CL 9503 [Propaedeutics]  
Pass/Fail  
Note: the final assignment in the course will be a brief prospectus for the Major Research Paper. | a. *required half-course*  
CL 9XXX: Directed Reading  
[assignment: Major Research Paper—approx. 40 pp.] |
| b. *half-course, topic optional*  
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| **DRAFT** prospectus for the Major Research Paper | **FIND** appropriate member of the CL core faculty to serve as Director of the Major Research Paper | **CONDUCT** research for the Major Research Paper [month #1] |
| **WRITE** first draft of the Major Research Paper [month #2] | **SUBMIT** first draft of Major Research Paper to Director [beginning of month #3: around July 1] | **REVISE** Major Research Paper in accordance with Director’s critical feedback [middle of month #3] |
| **SUBMIT** Major Research Paper to Grad Chair [beginning of month #4: around August 1]. The Major Research Paper will be graded by the Director and by one other core faculty member [as arranged by the Grad Chair]. The final mark for the Major Research Paper will be the average of the two submitted marks and will serve as the final grade for the Directed Reading course. |