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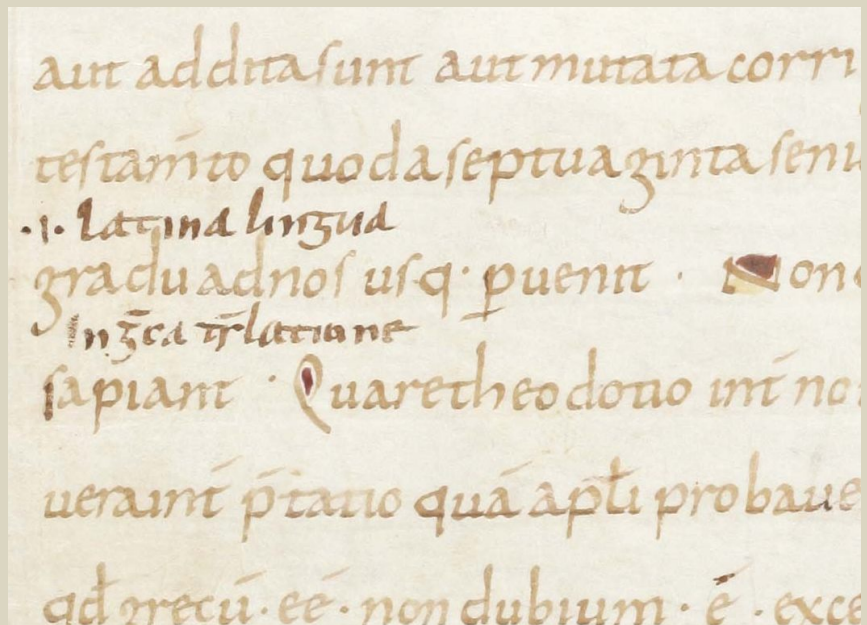
Using, Misusing, and Abusing Latin in the Early Modern Period

at the **University of Warwick**, Friday & Saturday 25–26 April 2014

Registration is now open until 4th April: <http://warwick.ac.uk/earlymodernlatin>

Key-note speaker: Dr Andrew Taylor, Churchill College, University of Cambridge

Latin is the necessary working language for many early modern scholars. However, the very fact that (and the ways in which) Latin is used in the early modern period often has its own significance. Our aim is to reflect on a variety of aspects of the usage of Latin, addressing the technical and the theoretical issues of translating, appropriating, adapting, and rewriting Latin texts in early modernity and in present day early modern studies.



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- Why and how do early moderns use Latin and the classics?
- In what ways does using Latin and the classics relate to questions of authority (then and now)?
- How do we as scholars deal with completely or partially Latin texts?
- Can early modern *latinitas* be understood in terms of the emerging idea of World Literatures, or vice versa?
- Can translation from the vernacular into Latin and from Latin to the vernacular in early modernity be seen as a parallel to translation to/from peripheral languages to/from English today?

Please visit the conference website **for further details, abstracts and registration.**

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