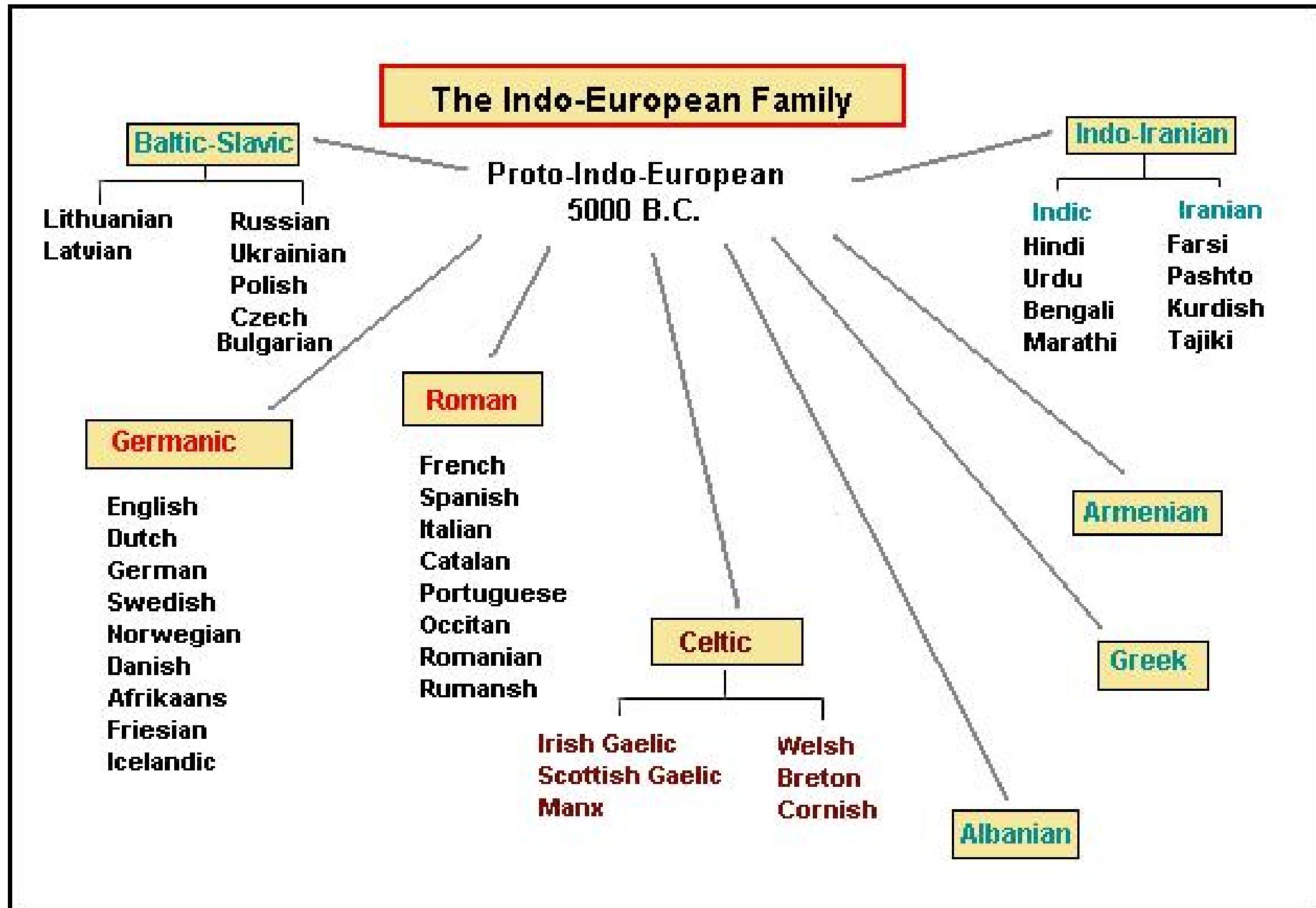
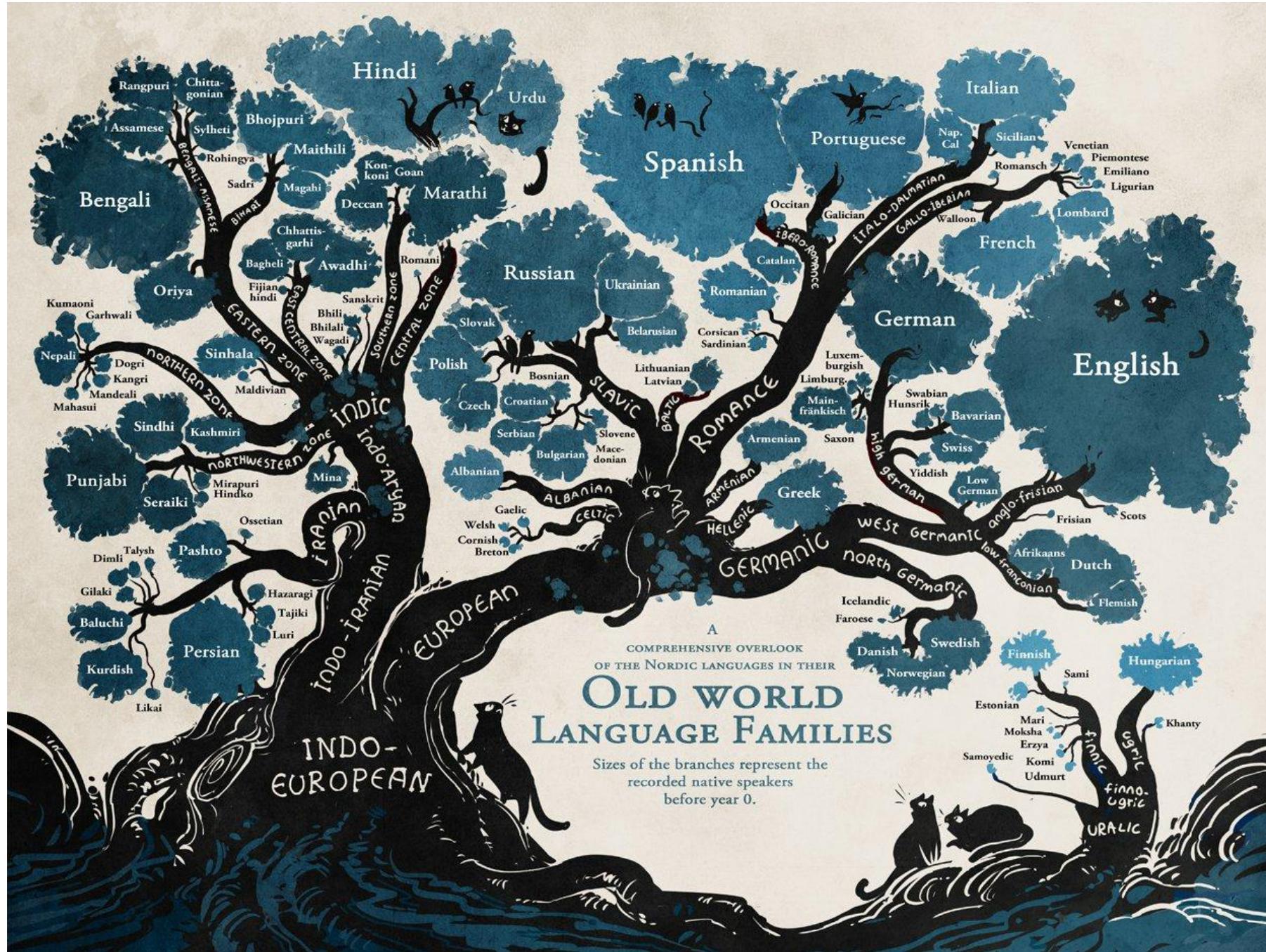


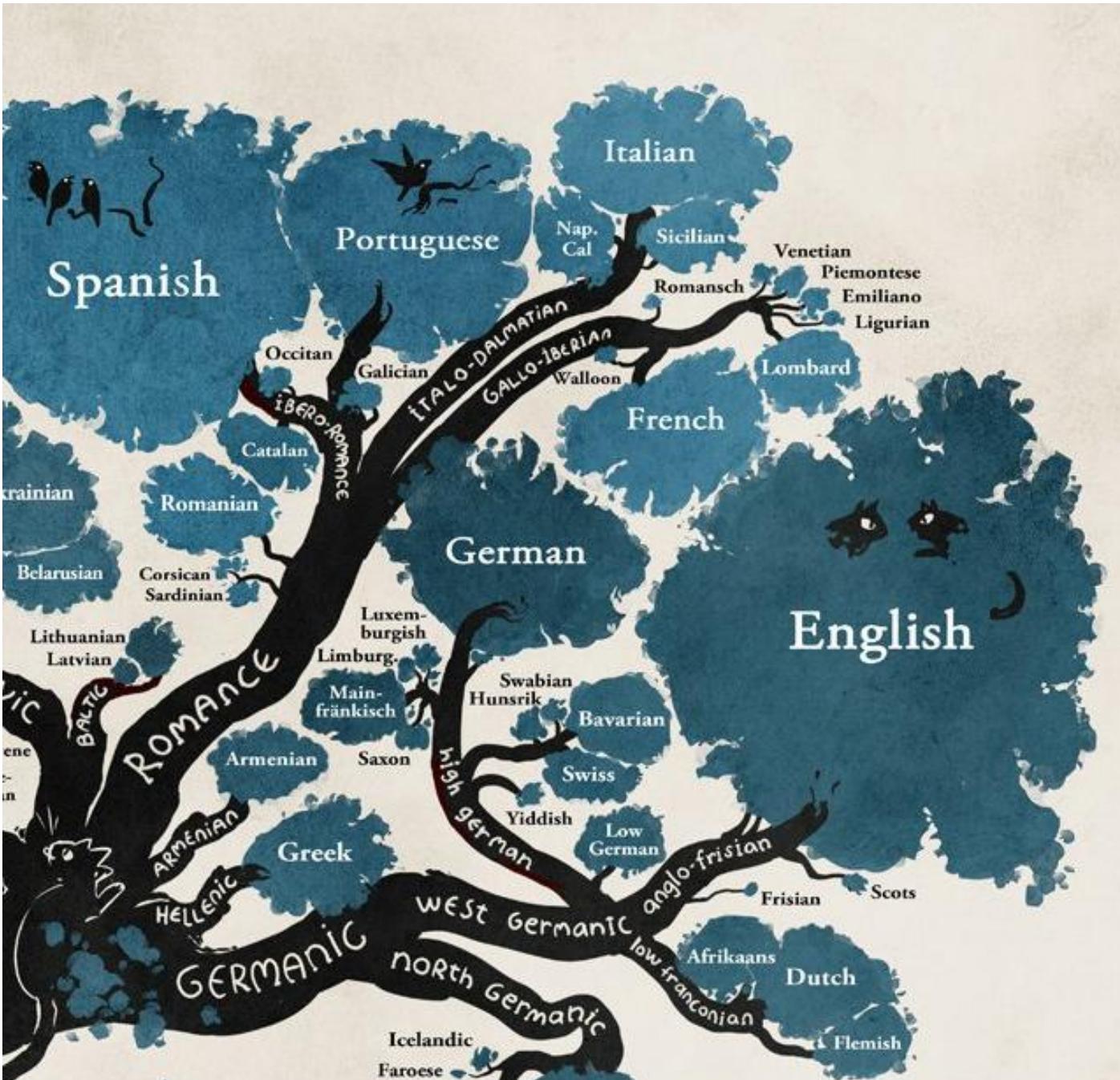
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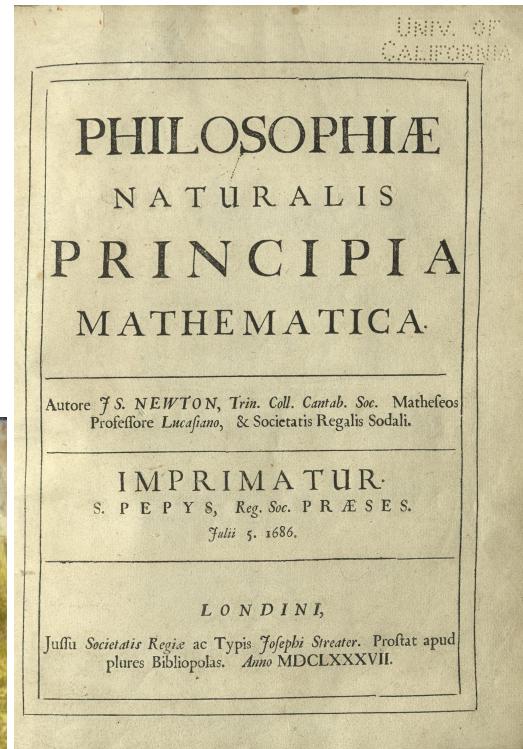
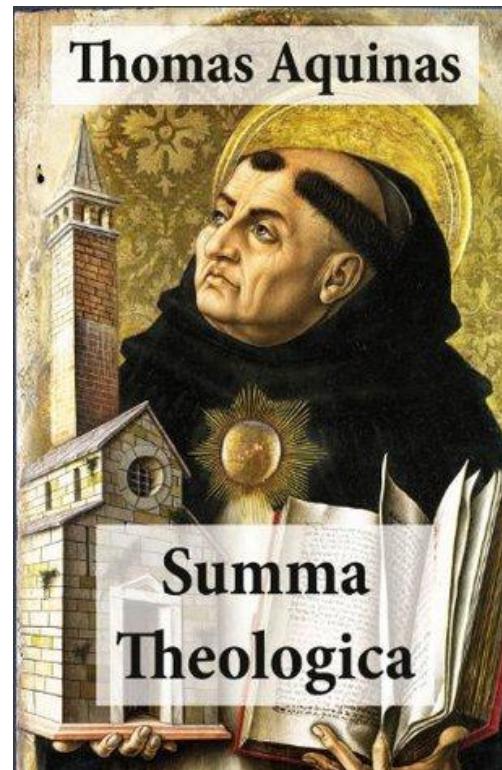
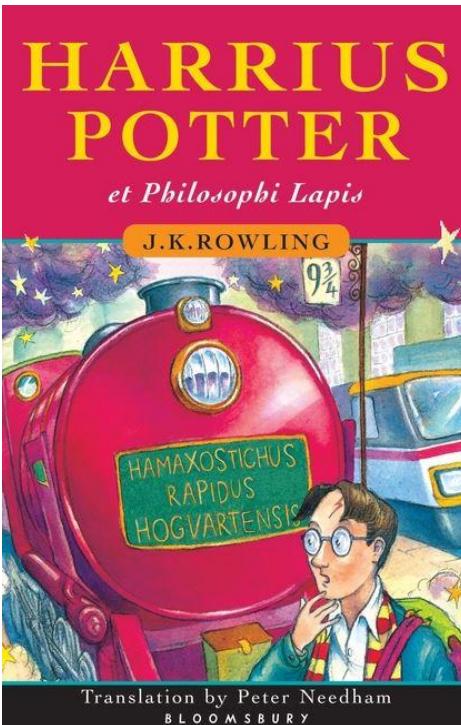
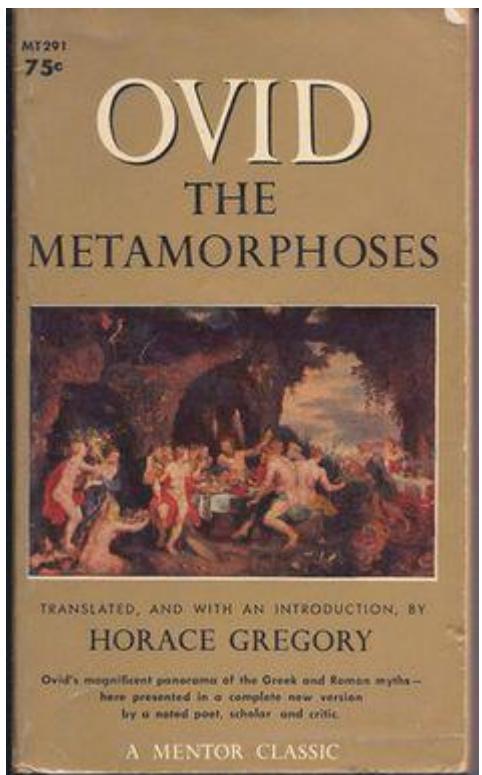
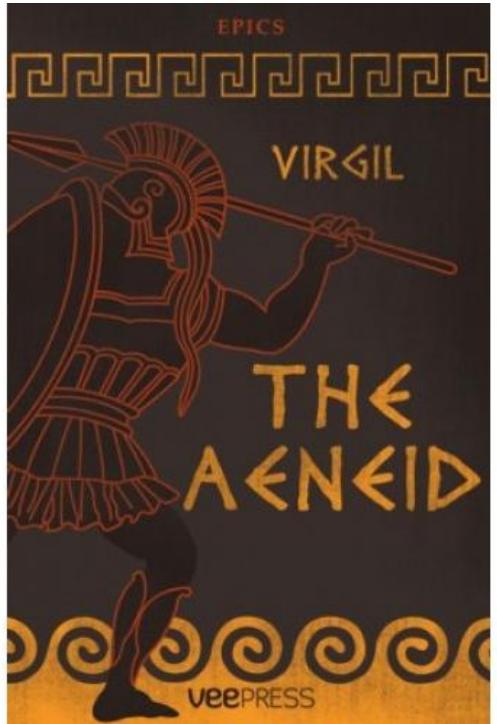
"Semper ubi sub ubi."







# 2,300 years and counting...



# VORSPIEL AUF DEM THEATER

Direktor, Theaterdichter, Lustige Person.

35 DIREKTOR:  
Ihr beiden, die ihr mir so oft,  
In Not und Trübsal, beigestanden,  
Sagt, was ihr wohl in deutschen Landen  
Von unsrer Unternehmung hofft?  
Ich wiünschte sehr, der Menge zu behagen,  
Besonders weil sie lebt und leben läßt.  
40 Die Pfosten sind, die Bretter aufgeschlagen,  
Und jedermann erwartet sich ein Fest.  
Sie sitzen schon, mit hohen Augenbrauen,  
Gelassen da und möchten gern erstaunen.  
Ich weiß, wie man den Geist des Volks versöhnt;  
Doch so verlegen bin ich nie gewesen:  
45 Zwar sind sie an das Beste nicht gewöhnt,  
Allein sie haben schrecklich viel gelesen.  
Wie machen wir's, daß alles frisch und neu  
Und mit Bedeutung auch gefällt?  
Denn freilich mag ich gern die  
50 Wenn sich der Strom nach uns  
Und mit gewaltig wiederholten  
Sich durch die enge Gnadenpor  
Bei hellem Tage, schon vor Vier

# PRELUDE IN THE THEATRE

Director, Dramatic Poet, Clown.

DIRECTOR:  
You two, that often stood by me  
In former times of trouble, say:  
What are the chances for our play,  
If we perform in Germany?  
To please crowds is what I desire most,  
For they not only live, but let live, too.  
The boards are up, and one sees post by post,  
And everyone expects a feast from you.  
I see them sit there with wide open eyes,  
Relaxed and hoping for a great surprise.  
I know quite well how people are impressed,  
But I have never been in such a spot:  
While they are not accustomed to the best,  
They certainly have read a lot.  
How go about it, so it will seem new,  
Significant, and pleasing to them, too?  
Of course, I like to see the crowded lanes  
When streams of people rush to our place  
And, with tremor and recurrent pains,  
Press, eager, that arrow gate of grace;  
When it is day, our,

# The Strange Case of Translating Finnegans Wake into Polish



Mikołaj Gliński  
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FINNEGANÓW  
TREN  
L  
JAMES  
JOYCE

**'The beast is slain', announced Krzysztof Bartnicki, the Polish translator of James Joyce's Finnegans Wake after his ten years long project finally came to a finish. It turns out however that the beast is still breathing**

For **Bartnicki** the task of translating Joyce's most difficult work, the 628-page novel that employs a panoply of languages to tell a story of mankind, started out as a kind of happy-go-lucky enterprise of an ambitious young man who had just finished his studies. Bartnicki, back then a young translator, who had just graduated from the University of Wrocław and was uncomfortable with translating pulp

fiction samples, decided he needed something substantial in his CV to impress the hypothetical future clients. This decision turned out the beginning of a ten year long

Finnegans Wake, by James Joyce

riverrun, past Eve and Adam's, from swerve of shore to bend of bay, brings us by a commodius vicus of recirculation back to Howth Castle and Environs.

Sir Tristram, violer d'amores, fr'over the short sea, had passen-core rearrived from North Armorica on this side the scraggy isthmus of Europe Minor to wielderfight his penisolate war: nor had topsawyer's rocks by the stream Oconee exaggerated themselfe to Laurens County's gorgios while they went doublin their mumper all the time: nor avoice from afire bellowsed mishe mishe to tauftauf thuartpeatrict not yet, though venissoon after, had a kidscad buttended a bland old isaac: not yet, though all's fair in vanessy, were sosie sesthers wroth with twone nathandjoe. Rot a peck of pa's malt had Jhem or Shen brewed by arclight and rory end to the regginbow was to be seen ringsome on the aquaface.

The fall (bababadalgharaghakamminarronnkonnbronntonne-ronntuonnnthunntrovarrhounawnskawntooohoordenenthur — nuk!) of a once wallstrait oldparr is retaled early in bed and later on life down through all christian minstrelsy. The great fall of the offwall entailed at such short notice the pftjschute of Finnegan, erse solid man, that the humptyhillhead of himself promptly sends an unquiring one well to the west in quest of his tumptytumtoes: and their upturnpikepointandplace is at the knock out in the park where oranges have been laid to rust upon the green since dev-linsfirst loved livvy.

## Latin

Paedicabo ego vos et irrumabo,  
Aureli pathice et cinaede Furi,  
qui me ex versiculis meis putastis,  
quod sunt molliculi, parum pudicum.  
Nam castum esse decet pium poetam  
ipsum, versiculos nihil necesse est,  
qui tum denique habent salem ac leporem,  
si sunt molliculi ac parum pudici  
et quod pruriat  
incitare possunt,  
non dico pueris, sed his pilosis,  
qui duros nequeunt movere lumbos.  
Vos quod milia multa basiorum  
legistis, male me marem putatis?  
Paedicabo ego vos et irrumabo.

## Catullus 16 (Gaius Valerius Catullus, 84 BC – 54 BC)

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English

I will sodomize you and face-fuck you,  
bottom Aurelius and catamite Furius,  
you who think, because my poems  
are sensitive, that I have no shame.  
For it's proper for a devoted poet to be moral  
himself, [but] in no way is it necessary for his poems.  
In point of fact, these have wit and charm,  
if they are sensitive and a little shameless,  
and can arouse an itch,  
and I don't mean in boys, but in those hairy old men  
who can't get it up.  
Because you've read my countless kisses,  
you think less of me as a man?  
I will sodomize you and face-fuck you.

# Is Latin "Dead"?

- in media res
- summa cum laude
- non sequitur
- carpe diem
- ipso facto
- semper fidelis
- in utero
- in absentia
- pro bono
- quid pro quo
- ad hominem
- amicus curiae



## IMPERIVM ROMANVM

Rōma in Italiā est. Italia in Eurōpā est. Graecia in Eurōpā est. Italia et Graecia in Eurōpā sunt. Hispānia quoque in Eurōpā est. Hispānia et Italia et Graecia in Eurōpā sunt.

Rōma in Italiā est.

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Italiā et Graecia in Eurōpā sunt.

Rōma in Italiā **est.**

Italiā et Graecia in Eurōpā **sunt.**

Rōma in Italiā **est**.

Italiā et Graecia in Eurōpā **sunt**.

## to be - esse

I am	sum	We are	sumus
You are	es	You (pl) are	estis
He/she/it is	est	They are	sunt

Puella in silva ambulat.

Puellae in silva ambulant.

Puella in silva ambulat.

Puellae in silva ambulant.

## ambulare - 1st conjugation

1st singular	ambulo	1st plural	ambulamus
2nd s.	ambulas	2nd pl.	ambulatis
3rd s.	ambulat	3rd pl.	ambulant

Puer et puella in silva ambulant.

(puer = boy)

Puer et puella amicum habent.

(amicus = friend)

Puer et puella amicum **habent**.

## habere - 2nd conjugation

1st singular	habeo	1st plural	habemus
2nd s.	habes	2nd pl.	habetis
3rd s.	habet	3rd pl.	habent

Puer et puella amicum **habent**.

habere - 2nd conjugation

(habeo, habere, habui, habitum)

1st singular	habeo	1st plural	habemus
2nd s.	habes	2nd pl.	habetis
3rd s.	habet	3rd pl.	habent

Rōma in Italiā est.

Puellae in silva ambulant.

Puer et puella amicum habent.

Rōma **in Italiā** est.

Puell**ae** **in silva** ambulant.

Puer et puella **amicum** habent.

<i>Case</i>	<i>Latin</i>	<i>Part of sentence</i>
Nominative	Italia <b>a</b>	subject
Genitive	Itali <b>ae</b>	Possessive
Dative	Itali <b>ae</b>	indirect object
Accusative	Itali <b>am</b>	direct object
Ablative	Itali <b>ā</b>	means/manner

Rōma **in Italiā** est.

Puell**ae** in silva ambulant.

Puer et puella **amicum** habent.

### Italia - 1st declension

<i>Case</i>	<i>Singular</i>	<i>Plural</i>
Nom.	Itali <b>a</b>	Itali <b>ae</b>
Gen.	Itali <b>ae</b>	Itali <b>arum</b>
Dat.	Itali <b>ae</b>	Itali <b>is</b>
Acc.	Itali <b>am</b>	Itali <b>as</b>
Abl.	Itali <b>ā</b>	Itali <b>is</b>

Rōma **in Italiā** est.

Puell**ae** **in silva** ambulant.

Puer et puella **amicum** habent.

## Puella - 1st declension

<i>Case</i>	<i>Singular</i>	<i>Plural</i>
Nom.	Puella	Puellae
Gen.	Puellae	Puellarum
Dat.	Puellae	Puellis
Acc.	Puellam	Puellas
Abl.	Puellā	Puellis

Rōma **in Italiā** est.

Puell**ae** in silva ambulant.

Puer et puella **amicum** habent.

## amicus - 2nd declension

<i>Case</i>	<i>Singular</i>	<i>Plural</i>
Nom.	amic <b>us</b>	amici
Gen.	amici	amicorum
Dat.	amico	amicis
Acc.	amic <b>um</b>	amicos
Abl.	amico	amicis

Quiz:

Puella in Romā habitat.

Quiz:

Puella in Romā habitat.

In viā ambulant.

Quiz:

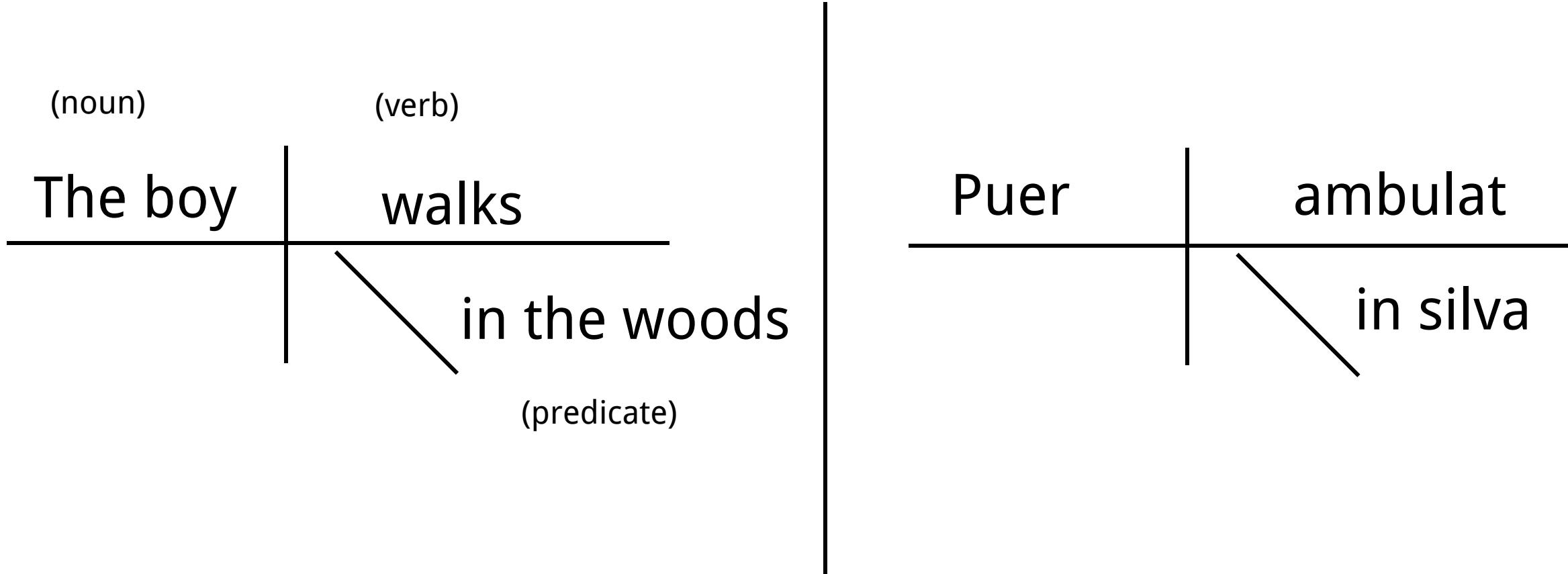
Puella in Romā habitat.

In viā ambulant.

Amicus puellae ad villam ambulat.

Quiz:

Friends live in Rome.



The boy | walks  
|  
in the woods

Walks in the woods the boy.

Puer | ambulat  
|  
in silva

Ambulat in silva puer.

The boy and the girl have a friend.

A friend the boy and the girl have.

Puer et puella amicum habent.

Amicum puer et puella habent.

Quiz:

Roma magnus oppidus est.

(oppidus = city)

# Quiz:

Roma magnus oppidus est.

The girl walks into the woods.

# Quiz:

Roma magnus oppidus est.

The girl walks into the woods.

Venimus, vidimus, vicimus.

# Brief review of topics introduced

- Justification for learning Latin (and other languages)
- Inflection
- Verb conjugations
- Noun declensions
- Latin sentence structure
- Sentence diagramming

# Further Study

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LINGVA  
LATINA  
PER SE ILLVSTRATA

PARS I  
FAMILIA  
ROMANA

