

Mary Pendergraft is beginning her thirty-third year of teaching at Wake Forest University, and has been chair since 2015. A life-long North Carolinian, she earned her undergraduate and graduate degrees from UNC-Chapel Hill.

Professor Pendergraft's contributions to the discipline have emphasized education in Latin (and Greek) at every level. She has twenty years of experience with the A. P. Latin reader, serving as Chief Reader, co-chair of the 2008 Faculty

Colloquium, and a member of the Course Review Committee; she currently sits on the Latin Development Committee. In addition she chaired the SAT II Latin committee, and has been president of both the North Carolina Classical Association and the Southern Section of CAMWS. She has received awards for excellence in teaching and advising and for contributions to the discipline from several organizations. This summer her travel took her to Missoula MT for the American Classical League, whose presidency she assumed on July 1.

In addition to Greek and Latin literature, her favorite topics include her coonhound Summer and two remarkable grandchildren. She's very fond of her husband and three grown children, too.

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