

Faculty of Arts and Philosophy

Exchange Programme Oriental Languages and Cultures

Language of instruction: English

Programme version 6

1 Elective Courses

For the Dutch-language course units from this list, English-language facilities are granted. Students can make use of facilities with regard to teaching material, exams, assignments, tutorials, independent study of the scholarly literature with feedback, etc.

Contact the lecturer-in-charge of a course unit to discuss which facilities are available for the course unit in question.

1.1 Arabic and Islamic Studies

| Nr | Course | CRDT | Ref | MT1 | Session | Study |
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| 1 | A005455 Introduction to the History of Islamic West Asia (600-1800) [nl] <i>Jo Van Steenberghe -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 5 | | | A:2 | 150 |
| 2 | A005467 Introduction to Islam and Being Muslim <i>Ashraf Hassan -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 5 | | | A:1 | 150 |
| 3 | A005210 Introduction to Arabic Language Acquisition: Modern Standard Arabic and Egyptian Colloquial I [ar, nl] <i>Jo Van Steenberghe -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 10 | | | A:1 | 300 |
| 4 | A005211 Introduction to Arabic Language Acquisition: Modern Standard Arabic and Egyptian Colloquial II [ar, nl] <i>Jo Van Steenberghe -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 10 | | | A:2 | 300 |
| 5 | A005475 Arabic Language Acquisition: Media and Egyptian I [ar, nl] <i>Jo Van Steenberghe -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 8 | | | A:1 | 240 |
| 6 | A005476 Arabic Language Acquisition: Media and Egyptian II [ar] <i>Jo Van Steenberghe -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 7 | | | A:2 | 210 |
| 7 | A005479 Arabic Language Acquisition: Media and Egyptian III [ar] <i>Aymon Kreil -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 9 | | | A:1 | 270 |
| 8 | A005219 Arabic Language Acquisition: Media and Egyptian IV [ar] <i>Ashraf Hassan -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 5 | | | A:2 | 150 |
| 9 | A005212 Introduction to the Structures of Arabic (Language and Texts) [nl] <i>Jo Van Steenberghe -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 5 | | | A:1 | 150 |
| 10 | A005474 Structures of Arabic (Language and Texts): Historical Thinking [en, nl] <i>Jo Van Steenberghe -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 5 | | | A:2 | 150 |
| 11 | A005477 Structures of Arabic (Language and Texts): Social and Political Thinking [nl] <i>Ashraf Hassan -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 5 | | | A:1 | 150 |
| 12 | A005478 Structures of Arabic (Language and Texts): Religious Thinking [nl] <i>Ashraf Hassan -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 5 | | | A:2 | 150 |
| 13 | A002896 Arabic Literary Texts I [nl] <i>Caroline Janssen -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 5 | | | A:2 | 150 |
| 14 | A002897 Arabic Literary Texts II [nl] <i>Caroline Janssen -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 5 | | | A:1 | 150 |
| 15 | A005132 Politics of the Modern Middle East: Language, Text and Context [ar] <i>Aymon Kreil -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 6 | | | A:1 | 180 |
| 16 | A005135 Culture and Society of the Modern Middle East: Language, Text and Context [ar] <i>Aymon Kreil -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 6 | | | A:2 | 180 |
| 17 | A005137 Islam and the Global World: Text and Context <i>Ashraf Hassan -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 6 | | | A:1 | 180 |

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| 18 | A005138 | Islam, Power and History: Text and Context <i>Jo Van Steenberghe -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 6 | | A:2 | 180 |
| 19 | A005152 | Culture in Perspective: the Near East and the Islamic World <i>Caroline Janssen -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 6 | | A:2 | 180 |
| 20 | A005143 | Research Seminar Oriental Languages and Cultures <i>Christoph Anderl -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 13 | | D:J | 390 |
| 21 | A005480 | Introduction to the Anthropology of the Middle East and North Africa <i>Aymon Kreil -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 5 | | A:2 | 150 |
| 22 | K001055 | Sociology of Globalization <i>Christopher Parker -- Department of Conflict and Development Studies</i> | 5 | | A:2 | 150 |
| 23 | K001333 | Popular politics and Technopolitics in the making of the Middle East <i>Brecht De Smet -- Department of Conflict and Development Studies</i> | 5 | | A:1 | 150 |
| 24 | K001295 | Rural Sociology <i>Maarten Crivits -- Department of Conflict and Development Studies</i> | 5 | | A:2 | 150 |
| 25 | B001581 | Human Rights: Multidisciplinary Perspectives <i>Eva Brems -- Department of European, Public and International Law</i> | 5 | UKV | A:2 | 150 |
| 26 | A005371 | Ancient Near Eastern Languages and Civilizations [nl] <i>Katrien De Graef -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 5 | | (A:1) ^d | 150 |

1.2 China

| Nr | Course | CRDT | Ref | MT1 | Session | Study |
|----|---|------|-----|-----|--------------------|-------|
| 1 | A005171 Oriental Literature: China [nl] <i>Bart Dessein -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 5 | | | A:2 | 150 |
| 2 | A002927 Buddhism <i>Christoph Anderl -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 5 | | | (A:2) ^d | 150 |
| 3 | A003042 Society and Current Affairs: China <i>Bart Dessein -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 5 | | | B:1 | 150 |
| 4 | A003043 East Asian Ideologies <i>Christoph Anderl -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 5 | | | A:2 ^a | 150 |
| 5 | A003209 Classical Chinese III [nl] <i>Ann Heirman -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 5 | | | A:1 | 150 |
| 6 | A003210 Classical Chinese IV [nl] <i>Ann Heirman -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 5 | | | A:2 | 150 |
| 7 | A003211 Classical Chinese V [nl, en] <i>Christoph Anderl -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 5 | | | A:1 | 150 |
| 8 | A003212 Classical Chinese VI [en, nl] <i>Christoph Anderl -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 5 | | | A:2 | 150 |
| 9 | A002943 Modern Chinese III [zh, nl] <i>Bart Dessein -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 8 | | | A:1 | 240 |
| 10 | A002944 Modern Chinese IV [zh, nl] <i>Bart Dessein -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 7 | | | A:2 | 210 |
| 11 | A002945 Modern Chinese V [zh, nl] <i>Bart Dessein -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 10 | | | A:1 | 300 |
| 12 | A005173 Modern Chinese VI [zh] <i>Bart Dessein -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 10 | | | A:2 | 250 |
| 13 | A005122 Modern Chinese: Contemporary Chinese Literature [zh] <i>Bart Dessein -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 6 | | | A:1 | 180 |
| 14 | A005123 Modern Chinese: China in the Media [zh] <i>Bart Dessein -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 6 | | | A:2 | 180 |
| 15 | A005124 Classical Chinese: Language, Text and Context <i>Ann Heirman -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 6 | | | A:1 | 180 |
| 16 | A005126 Buddhism: Text and Material Culture <i>Christoph Anderl -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 6 | | | A:2 | 180 |
| 17 | A003233 Korean Language and Culture I [en, ko] <i>Andreas Niehaus -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 5 | | | A:1 | 150 |
| 18 | A003234 Korean Language and Culture II [en, ko] <i>Andreas Niehaus -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 5 | | | A:2 | 150 |

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| 19 | A005200 | Method and research: South and East Asia 1 [en, nl] <i>Bart Dessein -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 5 | | B:1 | 150 |
| 20 | A005201 | Method and research: South and East Asia 2 [en, nl] <i>Christoph Anderl -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 5 | | B:2 | 150 |
| 21 | A002936 | Linguistic Research: East Asian Languages <i>Christoph Anderl -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 5 | | B:1 | 150 |
| 22 | A005127 | Culture in Perspective: South and East Asia <i>Ann Heirman -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 6 | | A:2 | 180 |
| 23 | A005143 | Research Seminar Oriental Languages and Cultures <i>Christoph Anderl -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 13 | | B:J | 390 |
| 24 | K001077 | EU-East Asia Relations <i>Bart Dessein -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 5 | | A:1 | 150 |
| 25 | K001334 | State and Society in Asia <i>Bert Suykens -- Department of Conflict and Development Studies</i> | 5 | | A:1 | 150 |
| 26 | K001295 | Rural Sociology <i>Maarten Crivits -- Department of Conflict and Development Studies</i> | 5 | | A:2 | 150 |
| 27 | B001581 | Human Rights: Multidisciplinary Perspectives <i>Eva Brems -- Department of European, Public and International Law</i> | 5 | UKV | A:2 | 150 |

1.3 India

| Nr | Course | CRDT | Ref | MT1 | Session | Study |
|----|--|------|-----|-----|------------------|-------|
| 1 | A002908 Sanskrit I [nl] <i>Eva De Clercq -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 5 | | | A:1 | 150 |
| 2 | A002909 Sanskrit II [nl] <i>Eva De Clercq -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 5 | | | A:2 | 150 |
| 3 | A002910 Sanskrit III [nl] <i>Eva De Clercq -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 5 | | | B:1 | 150 |
| 4 | A002911 Sanskrit IV [nl] <i>Eva De Clercq -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 5 | | | B:2 | 150 |
| 5 | A005164 Hindi I [hi, nl] <i>Saartje Verbeke -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 10 | | | A:1 | 250 |
| 6 | A005165 Hindi II [hi, nl] <i>Daniela De Simone -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 10 | | | A:2 | 250 |
| 7 | A002914 Hindi III [hi, nl] <i>Saartje Verbeke -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 8 | | | B:1 | 240 |
| 8 | A002915 Hindi IV [hi, nl] <i>Daniela De Simone -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 7 | | | B:2 | 210 |
| 9 | A002916 Hindi V [hi, nl] <i>Saartje Verbeke -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 10 | | | A:1 | 300 |
| 10 | A002917 Hindi VI [hi, nl] <i>Daniela De Simone -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 5 | | | A:2 | 150 |
| 11 | A005203 Oriental Literature: South Asia [nl] <i>Eva De Clercq -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 5 | | | A:2 | 150 |
| 12 | A005200 Method and research: South and East Asia 1 [nl, en] <i>Bart Dessein -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 5 | | | A:1 | 150 |
| 13 | A005201 Method and research: South and East Asia 2 [en, nl] <i>Christoph Anderl -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 5 | | | A:2 | 150 |
| 14 | A002924 Religious Traditions of India <i>Eva De Clercq -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 5 | | | A:1 ^a | 150 |
| 15 | A003050 Languages of India I [fr] <i>Leonid Kulikov -- Department of Linguistics</i> | 5 | | | A:1 | 150 |
| 16 | A003051 Languages of India II [fr] <i>Leonid Kulikov -- Department of Linguistics</i> | 5 | | | A:2 | 150 |
| 17 | A005131 Modern Languages of South Asia: Language, Text and Context 1 [hi, en] <i>Saartje Verbeke -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 6 | | | A:1 | 180 |
| 18 | A005133 Modern Languages of South Asia: Language, Text and Context 2 [hi, en] <i>Heleen De Jonckheere -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 6 | | | A:2 | 180 |

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| 19 | A005134 | Classical Languages of South Asia: Language, Text and Context 1 <i>Eva De Clercq -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 6 | | A:1 | 180 |
| 20 | A005136 | Classical Languages of South Asia: Language, Text and Context 2 <i>Eva De Clercq -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 6 | | A:2 | 180 |
| 21 | A005127 | Culture in Perspective: South and East Asia <i>Ann Heirman -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 6 | | A:2 | 180 |
| 22 | A005143 | Research Seminar Oriental Languages and Cultures <i>Christoph Anderl -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 13 | | A:J | 390 |
| 23 | A005505 | Society and Current Affairs: South Asia [en, nl] <i>Tine Vekemans -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 5 | | (A:1) ^d | 150 |
| 24 | K001334 | State and Society in Asia <i>Bert Suykens -- Department of Conflict and Development Studies</i> | 5 | | A:1 | 150 |
| 25 | K001295 | Rural Sociology <i>Maarten Crivits -- Department of Conflict and Development Studies</i> | 5 | | A:2 | 150 |
| 26 | B001581 | Human Rights: Multidisciplinary Perspectives <i>Eva Brems -- Department of European, Public and International Law</i> | 5 | UKV | A:2 | 150 |

1.4 Japan

| Nr | Course | CRDT | Ref | MT1 | Session | Study |
|----|---|------|-----|-----|---------|-------|
| 1 | A005172 Oriental Literature: Japan [nl] <i>Luc Van Haute -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 5 | | | A:2 | 150 |
| 2 | A005166 Modern Japanese I [ja, en, nl] <i>Andreas Niehaus -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 10 | | | A:1 | 250 |
| 3 | A005167 Modern Japanese II [ja, en, nl] <i>Andreas Niehaus -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 10 | | | A:2 | 250 |
| 4 | A003047 Modern Japanese III [ja, nl] <i>Andreas Niehaus -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 8 | | | B:1 | 240 |
| 5 | A003048 Modern Japanese IV [nl, ja] <i>Andreas Niehaus -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 7 | | | B:2 | 210 |
| 6 | A003214 Modern Japanese V [nl, ja] <i>Andreas Niehaus -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 7 | | | A:1 | 210 |
| 7 | A003213 Modern Japanese VI [nl, ja] <i>Andreas Niehaus -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 8 | | | A:2 | 240 |
| 8 | A005120 Modern Japanese: Advanced Language Proficiency 1 <i>Andreas Niehaus -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 6 | | | A:1 | 180 |
| 9 | A005121 Modern Japanese: Advanced Language Proficiency 2 [ja, en] <i>Andreas Niehaus -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 6 | | | A:2 | 180 |
| 10 | A005125 Classical Japanese: Language, Text and Context 1 <i>Anna Andreeva -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 6 | | | A:1 | 180 |
| 11 | A005128 Classical Japanese: Language, Text and Context 2 <i>Anna Andreeva -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 6 | | | A:2 | 180 |
| 12 | A002930 History of Japan [nl] <i>Christian Uhl -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 5 | | | A:1 | 150 |
| 13 | A002931 Society and Current Affairs: Japan <i>Andreas Niehaus -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 5 | | | A:1 | 150 |
| 14 | A005200 Method and research: South and East Asia 1 [en, nl] <i>Bart Dessein -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 5 | | | C:1 | 150 |
| 15 | A005201 Method and research: South and East Asia 2 [en, nl] <i>Christoph Anderl -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 5 | | | C:2 | 150 |
| 16 | A002936 Linguistic Research: East Asian Languages <i>Christoph Anderl -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 5 | | | B:1 | 150 |
| 17 | A003233 Korean Language and Culture I [en, ko] <i>Andreas Niehaus -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 5 | | | A:1 | 150 |
| 18 | A003234 Korean Language and Culture II [en, ko] <i>Andreas Niehaus -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 5 | | | A:2 | 150 |
| 19 | A005127 Culture in Perspective: South and East Asia <i>Ann Heirman -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 6 | | | A:2 | 180 |

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| 20 | A005143 | Research Seminar Oriental Languages and Cultures <i>Christoph Anderl -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 13 | C:J | 390 |
| 21 | A002927 | Buddhism <i>Christoph Anderl -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 5 | (A:2) ^d | 150 |
| 22 | A003043 | East Asian Ideologies <i>Christoph Anderl -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 5 | A:2 ^a | 150 |
| 23 | K001077 | EU-East Asia Relations <i>Bart Dessein -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> | 5 | A:1 | 150 |
| 24 | K001334 | State and Society in Asia <i>Bert Suykens -- Department of Conflict and Development Studies</i> | 5 | A:1 | 150 |
| 25 | K001295 | Rural Sociology <i>Maarten Crivits -- Department of Conflict and Development Studies</i> | 5 | A:2 | 150 |
| 26 | B001581 | Human Rights: Multidisciplinary Perspectives <i>Eva Brems -- Department of European, Public and International Law</i> | 5 | UKV | A:2 150 |

Teaching

When a course is not taught (solely) in the programme's language of instruction, the effectively used languages are indicated in square brackets following the course name, using the following ISO codes:

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|---------------|-------------|-------------|---------------|----------------|----------------------|-------------|
| bg: Bulgarian | de: German | es: Spanish | ja: Japanese | pl: Polish | sh: Croatian/Serbian | zh: Chinese |
| cs: Czech | el: Greek | fr: French | nl: Dutch | pt: Portuguese | sl: Slovene | |
| da: Danish | en: English | it: Italian | no: Norwegian | ru: Russian | sv: Swedish | |

Semester

Semesters are indicated by their number (1 or 2); semester 3 represents the summer period and J indicates a course spanning semesters 1 and 2. When a capital letter precedes a semester number, the course has multiple offerings. The letter indicates the offering concerned.

When a semester is shown in brackets, the course is not offered this year in the specific offering.

The offering frequency and first year of offering are indicated by the following codes:

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| a: bi-annually | c: annually, from 2022-2023 | f: annually, from 2023-2024 | i: annually, from 2024-2025 |
| b: tri-annually | d: bi-annually, from 2022-2023 | g: bi-annually, from 2023-2024 | j: bi-annually, from 2024-2025 |
| | e: tri-annually, from 2022-2023 | h: tri-annually, from 2023-2024 | k: tri-annually, from 2024-2025 |