

Faculty of Arts and Philosophy

Bachelor of Arts in Oriental Languages and Cultures -- Arabic and Islamic Studies

Language of instruction: Dutch

Programme version 13

1 General Courses 62 credits

1.1 Faculty-specific Educational Requirements 15 credits

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	A001082 History of Philosophy Johan Braeckman -- Department of Philosophy and Moral Sciences	3		1	A:1	90
2	A000186 Historical Criticism Jan Dumolyn -- Department of History	3		1	A:1	90
3	A000455 Introduction to World History Eric Vanhaute -- Department of History	3		1	A:2	90
4	A000677 Introduction to Anthropology Hugo DeBlock -- Department of Languages and Cultures	3		1	A:2	90
5	A002714 Introduction to Text-Linguistics Klaas Willems -- Department of Linguistics	3		1	A:2	90

1.2 Programme Specific Courses 47 credits

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	A005467 Introduction to Islam and Being Muslim [en] Lisa Franke -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5		1	A:1	150
2	A005455 Introduction to the History of Islamic West Asia (600-1800) Jo Van Steenberghe -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5		1	A:2	150
3	K001368 History of International Politics Dries Lesage -- Department of Political Sciences	5		1	A:2	150
4	A005471 History of South Asia Tine Vekemans -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5		1	A:1	150
5	A004201 Methodology of Qualitative Research Peter Stevens -- Department of Sociology	5		2	A:1	150
6	A005576 Introduction to the Structures of Arabic (Language and Texts) Jo Van Steenberghe -- Department of Languages and Cultures	7		2	A:1	210
7	A003218 Politics of the Contemporary Middle East [en, nl] Faculteit Politieke en Sociale Wetenschappen, Lisa Franke -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5		2	A:2	150
8	K001336 Politics of Islam [en] Sami Zemni -- Department of Conflict and Development Studies	5		3	A:2	150
9	A005233 Bachelor's Essay Bart Desein -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5		3	A:J	150

2 Courses Related to the Main Subject 93 credits

2.1 Languages: Standard Arabic - Egyptian Arabic - Classical Arabic 67 credits

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	A005210 Introduction to Arabic Language Acquisition: Modern Standard Arabic and Egyptian Colloquial I [ar, nl] Jo Van Steenberghe -- Department of Languages and Cultures	10		1	A:1	300
2	A005211 Introduction to Arabic Language Acquisition: Modern Standard Arabic and Egyptian Colloquial II [ar, nl]	10		1	A:2	300

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3	A005575	Structures of Arabic (Language and Texts): Historical Thinking [en, nl] Jo Van Steenberg -- Department of Languages and Cultures	8		2	A:2	240
4	A005475	Arabic Language Acquisition: Media and Egyptian I [ar, nl] Jo Van Steenberg -- Department of Languages and Cultures	8		2	A:1	240
5	A005476	Arabic Language Acquisition: Media and Egyptian II [ar] Jo Van Steenberg -- Department of Languages and Cultures	7		2	A:2	210
6	A005477	Structures of Arabic (Language and Texts): Social and Political Thinking Jo Van Steenberg -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5		3	A:1	150
7	A005478	Structures of Arabic (Language and Texts): Religious Thinking Islam Dayeh -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5		3	A:2	150
8	A005479	Arabic Language Acquisition: Media and Egyptian III [ar] Lisa Franke -- Department of Languages and Cultures	9		3	A:1	270
9	A005219	Arabic Language Acquisition: Media and Egyptian IV [ar] Aymon Kreil -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5		3	A:2	150

2.2 Theory, Methods and Research

10 credits

Subscribe to no less than 10 credit units from the following list, with

- 5 credit units from the courses with reference *
- no less than 5 credit units from the courses with reference k.

References:

* = mandatory course

k = optional courses; students must subscribe to 5 (or 6) credits from this list

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	A005480 Introduction to the Anthropology of the Middle East and North Africa [en] Aymon Kreil -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5	*	1	A:2	150
2	K000890 Theories of International Relations Dries Lesage -- Department of Political Sciences	6	k	3	A:1	180
3	K001065 Social and Political Systems Sami Zemni -- Department of Conflict and Development Studies	5	k	3	A:1	150
4	A001601 Tendencies in Historiography Frederik Buylaert -- Department of History	5	k	3	A:1	150
5	A005548 Comparative Study of Religions [nl, en] Jakob De Roover -- Dean's Office of the Faculty of Arts and Philosophy	5	k	3	A:1, B:1	150
6	A001045 Theory of Literature Koen De Temmerman -- Department of Literary Studies	5	k	3	A:1	150
7	A000359 General Linguistics: Theories and Methods Klaas Willems -- Department of Linguistics	5	k	3	A:1	150

2.3 Historical, Political and Socio-Cultural Contextualization of Islamic Western Asia

16 credits

Subscribe to 16 credit units from the following list, with

- 6 credit units from the courses with reference *
- 10 credit units from the courses with reference k, distributed over the first standard learning path as follows:
- 11 credit units in year 2,
- 5 credit units in year 3.

References:

* = mandatory course

k = optional courses; students must subscribe to 5 credits from this list

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	K000984 Structure and Conflict in the Global South Koenraad Bogaert -- Department of Conflict and Development Studies	6	*	2	A:2	150
2	A002896 Arabic Literary Texts I Caroline Janssen -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5	k		A:2	150
3	A002897 Arabic Literary Texts II Caroline Janssen -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5	k		A:1	150
4	K001369 Politics and Society in a Global World [en] Christopher Parker -- Department of Conflict and Development Studies	5	k		A:2	150
5	A005505 Society and Current Affairs: South Asia [en, nl] Tine Vekemans -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5	k		(B:2) ^d	150
6	A005267 Judaism Benjamin De Vos -- Department of Philosophy and Moral Sciences	5	k		A:1	150

7	A002907	Christianity Danny Praet -- Department of Philosophy and Moral Sciences	5	k	A:1	150
8	A005311	Introduction to the History of Africa [en] Gillian Mathys -- Department of History	5	k	A:1	150
9	A002197	History of South East Europe Pieter Troch -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5	k	A:1	150
10	A005470	History of Central Asia Bruno De Cordier -- Department of Conflict and Development Studies	5	k	A:1	150
11	A005649	Art and Archaeology of South Asia [en] Daniela De Simone -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5	k	A:2	150

3 Elective Courses

25 credits

Subscribe to 25 credit units from 2 modules from the following list. 10 credit units must be taken in year 2 and 15 credit units in year 3.

3.1 Minors

15 credits

Subscribe to 15 credit units from 1 minor from the following list.

- The students divide the subjects as equally as possible between the second and third year.
- Courses for which the competencies are already (largely) achieved by another course in the curriculum can no longer be included as part of the minor.

3.1.1 Archaeology

The courses with references +, ++, +++, ++++ may only be taken in combination with a basic course 'B' with the same reference (+, ++, +++ or ++++). They are taken after or simultaneously with the basic course.

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	A003304 General Introduction to Archaeology Philippe Crombé -- Department of Archaeology	5			A:1	150
2	A003305 Introduction to World Archaeology Joachim Bretschneider -- Department of Archaeology	5			A:1	150
3	A003307 Introduction to the Natural Sciences in Archaeology Peter Vandenebeeke -- Department of Archaeology	6			A:2	180
4	A003306 Introduction to Prospection and Excavation Techniques Frank Vermeulen -- Department of Archaeology	6			A:2	180
5	A005315 Introduction to the Geography and Archeology of Africa [en, nl] Rudi Goossens -- Department of Geography	5			A:1	150
6	A005649 Art and Archaeology of South Asia [en] Daniela De Simone -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5			A:2	150
7	A003300 Pre- and Protohistory Guy De Mulder -- Department of Archaeology	5	B+		A:1	150
8	A003303 Archaeology of the Near East Joachim Bretschneider -- Department of Archaeology	5	B++		A:2	150
9	A003302 Introduction to the Archaeology and Art of Greece and the Roman World Frank Vermeulen -- Department of Archaeology	5	B+++		A:1	150
10	A003301 Archaeology of the Historical Periods Wim De Clercq -- Department of Archaeology	5	B++++		A:2	150
11	A003319 Protohistory of Northwestern Europe Guy De Mulder -- Department of Archaeology	5	+		(A:1) ^d	150
12	A003318 Prehistory of Northwestern Europe Hans Vandendriessche -- Department of Archaeology	5	+		A:1 ^a	150
13	A003325 Archaeology of the Ancient Near East: from the Proto-Neolithic to the Bronze Age Joachim Bretschneider -- Department of Archaeology	5	++		A:1 ^a	150
14	A005581 Phoenician and Punic Archaeology Vanessa Boschloos -- Department of Archaeology	5	++/+++		(A:1) ^d	150
15	A003323 Archaeology of Greece Roald Docter -- Department of Archaeology	5	+++		A:1 ^a	150
16	A003324 Roman Archaeology: The Mediterranean World Frank Vermeulen -- Department of Archaeology	5	+++		(A:1) ^d	150
17	A003321 Archaeology of the Roman Provinces Michiel Dekoninck -- Department of Archaeology	5	++++		A:2 ^a	150

18 A003322 Archaeology of the Middle Ages and the Early Modern Age 5 ++++ (A:2)^d 150
Wim De Clercq -- Department of Archaeology

3.1.2 Culture and Society

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	A001452 Philosophical Ethics: Systematics Sigrid Sterckx -- Department of Philosophy and Moral Sciences	5			A:1	150
2	A002717 Cultural Anthropology Koenraad Stroeken -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5			A:2	150
3	A005530 Gender and Diversity Studies Carine Plancke -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5			A:1	150
4	A002320 Sexuality and Globalisation Tom Claes -- Department of Philosophy and Moral Sciences	5			A:2	150
5	A005467 Introduction to Islam and Being Muslim [en] Lisa Franke -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5			A:1	150
6	A005267 Judaism Benjamin De Vos -- Department of Philosophy and Moral Sciences	5			A:1	150
7	A002927 Buddhism [en] Christoph Anderl -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5			(A:2) ^d	150
8	A002924 Religious Traditions of India [en] Eva De Clercq -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5			A:2 ^a	150
9	A003043 East Asian Ideologies [en] Christoph Anderl -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5			A:2 ^a	150
10	A005364 Ancient Near Eastern Society and Religion Anne Goddeeris -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5			A:1 ^a	150
11	A002907 Christianity Danny Praet -- Department of Philosophy and Moral Sciences	5			A:1	150
12	A005480 Introduction to the Anthropology of the Middle East and North Africa [en] Aymon Kreil -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5			A:2	150
13	A003042 Society and Current Affairs: China [en] Bart Dessen -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5			A:2	150
14	A005505 Society and Current Affairs: South Asia [en, nl] Tine Vekemans -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5			(B:2) ^d	150
15	A002931 Society and Current Affairs: Japan [en] Andreas Niehaus -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5			A:1	150
16	A005371 Ancient Near Eastern Languages and Civilizations Katrien De Graef -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5			(A:1) ^d	150
17	A005313 Anthropology and Ethnography in Africa Koenraad Stroeken -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5			A:2	150
18	A005324 Anthropology of Visual and Material Cultures in Africa Hugo DeBlock -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5			(A:2) ^d	150
19	A005455 Introduction to the History of Islamic West Asia (600-1800) Jo Van Steenberghe -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5			A:2	150
20	A002925 History of China Ann Heirman -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5			A:1	150
21	A002930 History of Japan Christian Uhl -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5			A:1	150
22	A005471 History of South Asia Tine Vekemans -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5			A:1	150
23	A005470 History of Central Asia Bruno De Cordier -- Department of Conflict and Development Studies	5			A:1	150
24	A005311 Introduction to the History of Africa [en] Gillian Mathys -- Department of History	5			A:1	150
25	A002197 History of South East Europe Pieter Troch -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5			A:1	150
26	A005155 History of Russia Ben Dhooge -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5			A:1	150

27	A005327	Africa: Current Affairs, Discourse and Representation Inge Brinkman -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5			A:2 ^a	150
28	A005325	Language, Culture and Society in Africa Michael Meeuwis -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5				150
29	A000883	History and Culture of German Speaking Countries [de, nl, en] Torsten Leuschner -- Department of Linguistics	5			B:2	150
30	A001871	History and Culture of Scandinavia Kicki Ingridsson -- Department of Linguistics	5			A:2	150
31	A002261	History and Culture of Anglo-Saxon Countries [en] Gert Buelens -- Department of Literary Studies	5			A:2	150
32	A005448	Introduction to Eastern Europe [en, nl] Aleksy Yudin -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5			A:2	150
33	A005649	Art and Archaeology of South Asia [en] Daniela De Simone -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5			A:2	150

3.1.3 The Classical Tradition

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	A001887 Ancient Rhetoric [en, nl] Julie Van Pelt -- Department of Literary Studies	5			A:1	150
2	A000619 Classical Mythology Nadia Sels -- Department of Literary Studies	5			A:2	150
3	A000492 Classics in Translation Evelien Bracke -- Department of Literary Studies	5			A:1	150
4	A002345 The Classical Tradition in Western History Marco Formisano -- Department of Literary Studies	5			A:2	150
5	A001021 History of the Classical Antiquity Andries Johan Zuiderhoek -- Department of History	5			A:2	150
6	A003406 History of Ancient Philosophy Benjamin De Vos -- Department of Philosophy and Moral Sciences	5			A:1	150
7	A005372 History of Science, Antiquity to the Renaissance Steven Vanden Broecke -- Department of History	5			A:1	150
8	A000292 History of Religions: Classical Antiquity and Early Christianity Danny Praet -- Department of Philosophy and Moral Sciences	5			A:1	150
9	A005058 Ancient Greek: Language Acquisition I Floris Bernard -- Department of Literary Studies	5			A:1	150
10	A000779 Latin: Language Proficiency I Giovannibattista Galdi -- Department of Linguistics	5			A:1	150
11	A003302 Introduction to the Archaeology and Art of Greece and the Roman World Frank Vermeulen -- Department of Archaeology	5			A:1	150
12	A005349 Latin Tradition in Europe Wim Verbaal -- Department of Literary Studies	5			A:2	150
13	A004004 Introduction to Greek and Latin Epigraphy: Inscriptions as a Historical Source Andries Johan Zuiderhoek -- Department of History	5			A:2	150

3.1.4 Economics and Business Management

Courses with reference 'vbp' are part of the following Preparatory Courses: Master of Science in Complementary Studies in Economics ('vbp1'); Master of Science in Complementary Studies in Business Economics ('vbp2'); Master of Science in Public Administration and Management ('vbp3').

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	F000758 Economics Bruno Merlevede -- Department of Economics	5	vbp1		A:1	150
2	F000596 Business Cycles and Growth Freddy Heylen -- Department of Economics	6	vbp1		A:1	180
3	F000446 Markets and Prices Dirk Van de gaer -- Department of Economics	6	vbp1		A:1	180
4	F000750 Labour and Employment Stijn Baert -- Department of Economics	6			A:1	180
5	F000845 Business Administration Mirjam Knockaert -- Department of Marketing, Innovation and Organisation	4			A:2	120

6	F000551	Business Skills [en] Mieke Audenaert -- Department of Marketing, Innovation and Organisation	4		C:2	120
7	F000751	Economic Globalisation [en] Samuel Standaert -- Department of Economics	6		A:2	180
8	F000798	Introduction to Global Economic History [en] Frank Caestecker -- Department of Economics	5		A:2	150
9	F000855	Organization Theory [en] Gosia Kozusznik -- Department of Marketing, Innovation and Organisation	4		A:2	120
10	F000768	Marketing Management Maggie Geuens -- Department of Marketing, Innovation and Organisation	6	vbp2	A:1	180
11	F710361	Socio-Economic Policy Luc Van Ootegem -- Department of Economics	5		A:1	150
12	F000934	Development of Economic Thought Glenn Rayp -- Department of Economics	5		A:2	150
13	F710340	Public Administration. An Introduction Bram Verschuere -- Department of Public Governance and Management	6	vbp3	A:1	180
14	F700002	Public Policy [en] Bishop Zaki -- Department of Public Governance and Management	6	vbp3	B:1	180
15	F710348	Introduction to Accounting in the Not-for-Profit and Public Sector Johan Christiaens -- Department of Accounting, Corporate Finance and Taxation	5	vbp3	B:2	150
16	F710350	Public Management [en] Ben Suykens -- Department of Public Governance and Management	5	vbp3	A:2	150
17	F000494	Economics (A) Koen Schoors -- Department of Economics	4	vbp2	A:1	120
18	F000471	Economics (B) Koen Schoors -- Department of Economics	5	vbp2	A:2	150

3.1.5 History

- [Students who intend to take the course 'Teaching Methodology: History' in the Master of Science in Teaching in Arts and Humanities, preferably choose courses with reference °.](#)
- [Courses with reference 'vbp' are part of the Preparatory Course Master of Arts in History.](#)

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	A001021 History of the Classical Antiquity Andries Johan Zuiderhoek -- Department of History	5	vbp		A:2	150
2	A000977 History of the Middle Ages Jeroen Deploige -- Department of History	5	vbp		A:2	150
3	A002680 Early Modern History René Vermeir -- Department of History	5	°/vbp		A:1	150
4	A002698 Modern and Contemporary History Antoon Vrints -- Department of History	5	°/vbp		A:2	150
5	A000256 History of Belgium Margo De Koster -- Department of History	5	°/vbp		A:2	150
6	A001901 History and Culture of the Netherlands Anne-Laure Van Bruaene -- Department of History	5			A:2	150
7	A003374 History of the Ancient Near East Anne Goddeeris -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5	vbp		A:1	150
8	A001601 Tendencies in Historiography Frederik Buylaert -- Department of History	5	vbp		A:1	150
9	A001009 Methodology of History: Palaeography with Close Reading Els De Paermentier -- Department of History	5	vbp		A:J	150
10	A002871 Data Management and Statistics for Historians Isabelle Devos -- Department of History	5	vbp		A:1	150
11	A002630 Global Developments in Historical Perspective [en, nl] Michael Limberger -- Department of History	5	vbp		B:2	150
12	A002959 Historical Economics Eric Vanhaute -- Department of History	5	vbp		A:1	150
13	A004069 Environmental History Christophe Verbruggen -- Department of History	5	vbp		A:2	150

14	A004068	Sociopolitical History Antoon Vrints -- Department of History	5		A:1	150
15	A004000	Visual Materials as Historical Sources Anne-Laure Van Bruaene -- Department of History	5	vbp	A:2	150
16	A004007	Comparative Rural History Thijs Lambrecht -- Department of History	5		A:1	150
17	A005353	Historical Culture and Society Berber Bevernage -- Department of History	5	°/vbp	A:1	150
18	A004031	History of Religion and Culture in Western Europe [en] Paul Michael Kurtz -- Department of History	5		A:2	150
19	A005311	Introduction to the History of Africa [en] Gillian Mathys -- Department of History	5		A:1	150
20	A002925	History of China Ann Heirman -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5		A:1	150
21	A002930	History of Japan Christian Uhl -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5		A:1	150
22	A005471	History of South Asia Tine Vekemans -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5		A:1	150
23	A005470	History of Central Asia Bruno De Cordier -- Department of Conflict and Development Studies	5		A:1	150
24	A005455	Introduction to the History of Islamic West Asia (600-1800) Jo Van Steenberghe -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5		A:2	150
25	A002197	History of South East Europe Pieter Troch -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5		A:1	150
26	A005155	History of Russia Ben Dhooge -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5		A:1	150
27	A005531	History of the Americas [nl, en] Eva Willems -- Department of History	5		A:2	150
28	A000455	Introduction to World History Eric Vanhaute -- Department of History	3		A:2	90

3.1.6 Art Studies

The courses with references +, ++, +++, ++++ may only be taken in combination with a basic course 'B' with the same reference (+, ++, +++ or ++++). They are taken after or simultaneously with the basic course.

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	A005279 Historiography of Art: Introduction Francis Maes -- Department of Art, Music and Theatre Sciences	5			A:2	150
2	A005283 History of Architecture 1 Dirk De Meyer -- Department of Architecture and Urban Planning	6			A:2	180
3	A001974 Aesthetics I Bart Vandenabeele -- Department of Philosophy and Moral Sciences	5			A:2	150
4	A005636 Fashion and Textiles [en] Maude Bass-Krueger -- Department of Art, Music and Theatre Sciences	5			A:1	150
5	A005319 Survey of the Visual Arts: 1300-1789 Maximiliaan Martens -- Department of Art, Music and Theatre Sciences	6			A:1	180
6	A005320 Survey of the Visual Arts: 1789 until today Marjan Sterckx -- Department of Art, Music and Theatre Sciences	6	B+		A:2	180
7	A000541 History of Visual Arts in the Low Countries I Maximiliaan Martens -- Department of Art, Music and Theatre Sciences	5			(D:1) ^d	150
8	A000438 History of Visual Arts in the Low Countries II [en, nl] Koenraad Jonckheere -- Department of Art, Music and Theatre Sciences	5			C:1 ^a	150
9	A005291 Historic Interior and Design Marjan Sterckx -- Department of Art, Music and Theatre Sciences	5	+		A:2 ^a	150
10	A005292 19th-Century Art: Capita Selecta Marjan Sterckx -- Department of Art, Music and Theatre Sciences	5	+		(A:2) ^d	150
11	A005293 Modern and Contemporary Art: Capita Selecta Wouter Davidts -- Department of Art, Music and Theatre Sciences	5	+		A:1 ^a	150
12	A005288 Avant-garde Film and Video Steven Jacobs -- Department of Art, Music and Theatre Sciences	5	+		(A:1) ^d	150

13	A005331	History of Music: Until 1750 Francis Maes -- Department of Art, Music and Theatre Sciences	6	B++	A:2	180
14	A005332	History of Music: 1750-1900 Francis Maes -- Department of Art, Music and Theatre Sciences	5	++	A:2 ^a	150
15	A005287	Music History of the Twentieth Century Francis Maes -- Department of Art, Music and Theatre Sciences	5		(A:2) ^d	150
16	A005638	History of Western Theater from Antiquity until 1850 Bram Van Oostveldt -- Department of Art, Music and Theatre Sciences	5		A:2	150
17	A005282	History of Modern Theatre Jasper Delbecke -- Department of Art, Music and Theatre Sciences	6	B+++	A:1	180
18	A001490	Repertoire Study of Theatre [en, nl] Christel Stalpaert -- Department of Art, Music and Theatre Sciences	5	+++	(C:1) ^d	150
19	A005286	Cultural and Historical Aspects of Dance Theatre [en, nl] Annelies Van Assche -- Department of Art, Music and Theatre Sciences	5	+++	A:1 ^a	150
20	A005324	Anthropology of Visual and Material Cultures in Africa Hugo DeBlock -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5		(A:2) ^d	150

3.1.7 Literature

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	A003031 European Languages in Contact: History and Methodology Alexandra Simonenko -- Department of Linguistics	5			A:2	150
2	A001045 Theory of Literature Koen De Temmerman -- Department of Literary Studies	5			A:1	150
3	A005343 Theory of Literature II Jurgen Pieters -- Department of Literary Studies	5			A:1	150
4	A000060 Comparative Literature Bart Keunen -- Department of Literary Studies	5			A:2	150
5	A000389 Poetics Jurgen Pieters -- Department of Literary Studies	5			A:1	150
6	A000619 Classical Mythology Nadia Sels -- Department of Literary Studies	5			A:2	150
7	A001887 Ancient Rhetoric [en, nl] Julie Van Pelt -- Department of Literary Studies	5			A:1	150
8	A002345 The Classical Tradition in Western History Marco Formisano -- Department of Literary Studies	5			A:2	150
9	A000492 Classics in Translation Evelien Bracke -- Department of Literary Studies	5			A:1	150
10	A005203 Oriental Literature: South Asia Eva De Clercq -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5			A:2	150
11	A005171 Oriental Literature: China Bart Dessein -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5			A:2	150
12	A005172 Oriental Literature: Japan Luc Van Haute -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5			A:2	150
13	A005326 Introduction to the Literatures of Africa Inge Brinkman -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5			A:1	150
14	A005450 Overview of Russian Literature Ben Dhooge -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5			A:2	150
15	A005053 English Literature I [en] Andrew Bricker -- Department of Literary Studies	5			A:J	150
16	A001406 Dutch Literature I Lars Bernaerts -- Department of Literary Studies	5			A:1	150
17	A005282 History of Modern Theatre Jasper Delbecke -- Department of Art, Music and Theatre Sciences	6			A:1	180
18	A004001 Narratology and Discourse Analysis Berber Bevernage -- Department of History	5			A:2	150

3.1.8 Political Sciences

Courses with reference 'vbp', are part of the Preparatory Courses Master of Science in Political Science (National Politics) ('vbp1'); Master of Science in Political Science (International Politics) ('vbp2'); Master of Science in EU-Studies ('vbp3') or Master of Conflict and

Development Studies ('vbp4').

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	K000095 Introduction to Political Sciences Carl Devos -- Department of Political Sciences	6	vbp1/2/		A:1	180
2	K000441 Statistics John Lievens -- Department of Sociology	6	vbp1/2/		A:1	180
3	K000325 Research Methods in the Social Sciences Henk Roose -- Department of Sociology	6			A:2	180
4	K000984 Structure and Conflict in the Global South Koenraad Bogaert -- Department of Conflict and Development Studies	6	vbp2/3		A:2	180
5	K001368 History of International Politics Dries Lesage -- Department of Political Sciences	6	vbp2/3		A:2	180
6	K000890 Theories of International Relations Dries Lesage -- Department of Political Sciences	6	vbp2/3		A:1	180
7	K001404 Conflictstudies [en] Koen Vlassenroot -- Department of Conflict and Development Studies	6	vbp4		A:2	180
8	K001065 Social and Political Systems Sami Zemni -- Department of Conflict and Development Studies	5			A:1	150
9	K001408 Comparative Political Economy Mattias Vermeiren -- Department of Political Sciences	6	vbp2/3		A:2	180
10	K000054 European Political Integration Hendrik Vos -- Department of Political Sciences	6	vbp2/3		A:1	180
11	A003401 Political Philosophy Patrick Loobuyck -- Department of Philosophy and Moral Sciences	5			A:2	150
12	K001344 Political History of Belgium Faculteit Letteren en Wijsbegeerte, Margo De Koster -- Department of History	5	vbp1		A:2	150
13	A003218 Politics of the Contemporary Middle East [en, nl] Faculteit Politieke en Sociale Wetenschappen, Lisa Franke -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5			A:2	150
14	K001233 European and Regional Integration Theories Jan Orbie -- Department of Political Sciences	6	vbp3		A:1	180
15	K000316 The Policies of the European Union Hendrik Vos -- Department of Political Sciences	6	vbp3		A:1	180
16	K001369 Politics and Society in a Global World [en] Christopher Parker -- Department of Conflict and Development Studies	5	vbp4		A:2	150
17	K001401 Comparative Politics Kristof Steyvers -- Department of Political Sciences	5	vbp1		A:2	150
18	K000132 Local Politics Herwig Reynaert -- Department of Political Sciences	6	vbp1		A:1	180

3.1.9 Law

Courses with reference 'vbp' are part of the Preparatory Course Master of Laws in Laws.

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	B001308 Basic Concepts of Law Gerd Verschelden -- Department of Interdisciplinary Study of Law, Private Law and Business Law	5	vbp		A:1	150
2	B001311 History of Public Law and Politics Georges Martyn -- Department of Interdisciplinary Study of Law, Private Law and Business Law	6			A:1	180
3	B000309 Public Law of Belgium Jürgen Vanpraet -- Department of European, Public and International Law	5			A:1	150
4	B001326 Introduction to European and Public International Law Peter Van Elswege -- Department of European, Public and International Law	4				120
5	K001259 International Public Law An Cliquet -- Department of European, Public and International Law	5	vbp		A:1	150
6	B001661 Administrative Law and Environmental Law Jürgen Vanpraet -- Department of European, Public and International Law	8	vbp		A:1	240
7	B001670 Family Law Gerd Verschelden -- Department of Interdisciplinary Study of Law, Private Law and Business Law	5	vbp		A:1	150
8	B001332 Law of Obligations and Contracts Ignace Claeys -- Department of Interdisciplinary Study of Law, Private Law and Business Law	6	vbp		A:2	180

9	B001331	Fundamental Rights Yves Haeck -- Department of European, Public and International Law	6		B:1	180
10	B001424	Criminal Law Tom Vander Beken -- Department of Criminology, Criminal Law and Social Law	6	vbp	B:1	180
11	B000930	Criminology Marc Cools -- Department of Criminology, Criminal Law and Social Law	3		A:2	90
12	B001672	Law and Society Ellen Desmet -- Department of European, Public and International Law	3		A:2	90
13	B001312	Moral Philosophy and Philosophy of Law Jan Verplaetse -- Department of Interdisciplinary Study of Law, Private Law and Business Law	5		A:1, B:2	150
14	B001339	Law and Economics Ben Depoorter -- Department of Interdisciplinary Study of Law, Private Law and Business Law	3		A:2	90
15	B001658	Legal Theory Frederik Peeraer -- Department of Interdisciplinary Study of Law, Private Law and Business Law	4	vbp	B:1	120
16	B001660	Jurisprudence Frederik Peeraer -- Department of Interdisciplinary Study of Law, Private Law and Business Law	3	vbp	A:1	90
17	B001334	Criminal Procedure Philip Traest -- Department of Criminology, Criminal Law and Social Law	5	vbp	A:1	150
18	B001664	Economic Law and intellectual Property Rights Reinhard Steennot -- Department of Interdisciplinary Study of Law, Private Law and Business Law	7	vbp	A:2	210
19	B001317	Property Law Joke Baeck -- Department of Interdisciplinary Study of Law, Private Law and Business Law	4	vbp	B:2	120
20	B001495	Constitutional Law Mathieu Leloup -- Department of European, Public and International Law	7	vbp	B:2	210
21	B001690	Introduction to International and European Law Peter Van Elsuwege -- Department of European, Public and International Law	4		A:2	120

3.1.10 Religion Studies

[Subscribe to 5 credit units with reference *](#).

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	A005628 Introduction to Religious Studies Annelies Lannoy -- Department of Philosophy and Moral Sciences	5	*		A:1	150
2	A004031 History of Religion and Culture in Western Europe [en] Paul Michael Kurtz -- Department of History	5			A:2	150
3	A005548 Comparative Study of Religions [nl, en] Jakob De Roover -- Dean's Office of the Faculty of Arts and Philosophy	5			A:1, B:1	150
4	A002717 Cultural Anthropology Koenraad Stroeken -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5			A:2	150
5	A005267 Judaism Benjamin De Vos -- Department of Philosophy and Moral Sciences	5			A:1	150
6	A002907 Christianity Danny Praet -- Department of Philosophy and Moral Sciences	5			A:1	150
7	A000292 History of Religions: Classical Antiquity and Early Christianity Danny Praet -- Department of Philosophy and Moral Sciences	5			A:1	150
8	A005467 Introduction to Islam and Being Muslim [en] Lisa Franke -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5			A:1	150
9	A005455 Introduction to the History of Islamic West Asia (600-1800) Jo Van Steenbergen -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5			A:2	150
10	A003043 East Asian Ideologies [en] Christoph Anderl -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5			A:2 ^a	150
11	A002927 Buddhism [en] Christoph Anderl -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5			(A:2) ^d	150
12	A002924 Religious Traditions of India [en] Eva De Clercq -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5			A:2 ^a	150
13	A000619 Classical Mythology Nadia Sels -- Department of Literary Studies	5			A:2	150
14	A005364 Ancient Near Eastern Society and Religion Anne Goddeeris -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5			A:1 ^a	150

3.1.11 Sociology and Communication Studies

Courses with reference 'vbp' are part of the Preparatory Courses Master of Sociology ('vbp1') or Master of Science in Communication Science ('vbp2').

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	K000459 Sociology Bart Van de Putte -- Department of Sociology	6	vbp1		A:1	180
2	K000441 Statistics John Lievens -- Department of Sociology	6	vbp1/2		A:1	180
3	K000325 Research Methods in the Social Sciences Henk Roose -- Department of Sociology	6	vbp1		A:2	180
4	K000595 Sociology of Modernity Raf Vanderstraeten -- Department of Sociology	5			A:1	150
5	K000983 Historical Sociology Bart Van de Putte -- Department of Sociology	5			A:2	150
6	K001039 Social Inequality Raf Vanderstraeten -- Department of Sociology	6	vbp1		A:1	180
7	K001065 Social and Political Systems Sami Zemni -- Department of Conflict and Development Studies	5			A:1	150
8	K001361 Sociological Perspectives Mieke Van Houtte -- Department of Sociology	6	vbp1		A:2	180
9	K001036 Contemporary Sociological Theories Raf Vanderstraeten -- Department of Sociology	6	vbp1		A:1	180
10	K000027 Communication Science Stijn Joye -- Department of Communication Sciences	6	vbp2		A:1	180
11	K001175 Media Economy and Media Structures Tom Evens -- Department of Communication Sciences	5	vbp2		A:2	150
12	K001386 Journalism in Perspective	5	vbp2		A:2	150
13	K001173 Marketing Communication Liselot Hudders -- Department of Communication Sciences	5	vbp2			150
14	K001174 Media History Liesbet Depauw -- Department of Communication Sciences	5	vbp2		A:2	150
15	K001384 Media Technology and Innovation Lieven De Marez -- Department of Communication Sciences	5	vbp2		A:2	150
16	K001385 Popular Media Culture and Diversity	6	vbp2			180

3.1.12 Linguistics

Students who intend to take the course 'Teaching Methodology: Dutch as a Foreign Language' in the Master of Science in Teaching in Languages, preferably choose courses with reference °.

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	A002714 Introduction to Text-Linguistics Klaas Willems -- Department of Linguistics	3			A:2	90
2	A000359 General Linguistics: Theories and Methods Klaas Willems -- Department of Linguistics	5			A:1	150
3	A003031 European Languages in Contact: History and Methodology Alexandra Simonenko -- Department of Linguistics	5			A:2	150
4	A000491 Evolutionary Linguistics	5				150
5	A004200 Quantitative Research Methods in Linguistics Klaas Willems -- Department of Linguistics	5			B:2	150
6	A004201 Methodology of Qualitative Research Peter Stevens -- Department of Sociology	5			A:1	150
7	A704052 Introduction to Translation Studies Gert De Sutter -- Department of Translation, Interpreting and Communication	3			A:2	90
8	A704153 Introduction to Digital Text Analysis Els Lefever -- Department of Translation, Interpreting and Communication	3			A:2	90
9	A703006 Introduction to Translation Technology Lieve Macken -- Department of Translation, Interpreting and Communication	3			A:1	90
10	A704051 Second Language Acquisition and Second Language Learning June Eyckmans -- Department of Translation, Interpreting and Communication	3			A:1	90

11	A005296	Introduction to African Linguistics [en, nl] Minah Nabirye -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5			A:1	150
12	A003810	Language Documentation and Description in Africa [en, nl] Gilles-Maurice de Schryver -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5			A:1	150
13	A005309	African Historical Linguistics [en, nl] Sara Pacchiarotti -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5			A:2 ^a	150
14	A004210	Dutch Linguistics I: Language System Timothy Coleman -- Department of Linguistics	5	°		A:2	150
15	A004211	Dutch Linguistics I: The Use of Language Ulrike Vogl -- Department of Linguistics	5	°		A:1	150
16	A001884	Introduction to Flemish Sign Language Beatrijs Wille -- Department of Linguistics	5			A:1	150
17	A000454	English Linguistics I [en] Ellen Simon -- Department of Linguistics	5			B:1	150

3.1.13 Languages of Asia, the Middle East and Eastern Europe

- [Subscribe to minimum 5 credit units with reference *](#) or a language acquisition course in line with the student's initial competences.
- Languages may not be combined.

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	A005210 Introduction to Arabic Language Acquisition: Modern Standard Arabic and Egyptian Colloquial I [ar, nl] Jo Van Steenberghe -- Department of Languages and Cultures	10	*		A:1	300
2	A005211 Introduction to Arabic Language Acquisition: Modern Standard Arabic and Egyptian Colloquial II [ar, nl] Jo Van Steenberghe -- Department of Languages and Cultures	10	*		A:2	300
3	A005168 Modern Chinese I [zh, nl] Bart Dessein -- Department of Languages and Cultures	10	*		A:1	300
4	A005169 Modern Chinese II [zh, nl] Bart Dessein -- Department of Languages and Cultures	10	*		A:2	300
5	A003207 Classical Chinese I Ann Heirman -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5	*		A:1	150
6	A003208 Classical Chinese II Ann Heirman -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5	*		A:2	150
7	A005164 Hindi I [hi, nl] Daniela De Simone -- Department of Languages and Cultures	10	*		A:1	250
8	A005165 Hindi II [hi, nl] Daniela De Simone -- Department of Languages and Cultures	10	*		A:2	250
9	A002908 Sanskrit I Eva De Clercq -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5	*		A:1	150
10	A002909 Sanskrit II Eva De Clercq -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5	*		A:2	150
11	A005166 Modern Japanese I [ja, en, nl] Andreas Niehaus -- Department of Languages and Cultures	10	*		A:1	300
12	A005167 Modern Japanese II [ja, en, nl] Andreas Niehaus -- Department of Languages and Cultures	10	*		A:2	300
13	A005334 Bungo I Christian Uhl -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5	*		A:1	150
14	A005335 Bungo II Christian Uhl -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5	*		A:2	150
15	A003233 Korean Language and Culture I [en, ko] Andreas Niehaus -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5	*		A:1	150
16	A003234 Korean Language and Culture II [en, ko] Andreas Niehaus -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5	*		A:2	150
17	A005033 Russian I Ben Dhooge -- Department of Languages and Cultures	8	*		B:1	240
18	A005034 Russian II Ben Dhooge -- Department of Languages and Cultures	9	*		B:2	270
19	A703100 Turkish: Language Practice A [tr, nl] Johan Vandewalle -- Department of Translation, Interpreting and Communication	4	*		A:1	120

20	A703097	Turkish: Grammar A Johan Vandewalle -- Department of Translation, Interpreting and Communication	4	*		120
21	A005455	Introduction to the History of Islamic West Asia (600-1800) Jo Van Steenberghe -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5		A:2	150
22	A002925	History of China Ann Heirman -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5		A:1	150
23	A005471	History of South Asia Tine Vekemans -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5		A:1	150
24	A005470	History of Central Asia Bruno De Cordier -- Department of Conflict and Development Studies	5		A:1	150
25	A002930	History of Japan Christian Uhl -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5		A:1	150
26	A005155	History of Russia Ben Dhooge -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5		A:1	150
27	A003218	Politics of the Contemporary Middle East [en, nl] Faculteit Politieke en Sociale Wetenschappen, Lisa Franke -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5		A:2	150
28	A003042	Society and Current Affairs: China [en] Bart Dessein -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5		A:2	150
29	A005505	Society and Current Affairs: South Asia [en, nl] Tine Vekemans -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5		(B:2) ^d	150
30	A002931	Society and Current Affairs: Japan [en] Andreas Niehaus -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5		A:1	150
31	A005448	Introduction to Eastern Europe [en, nl] Aleksy Yudin -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5		A:2	150
32	A005171	Oriental Literature: China Bart Dessein -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5		A:2	150
33	A005203	Oriental Literature: South Asia Eva De Clercq -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5		A:2	150
34	A005172	Oriental Literature: Japan Luc Van Haute -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5		A:2	150
35	A005450	Overview of Russian Literature Ben Dhooge -- Department of Languages and Cultures	5		A:2	150

3.1.14 Education

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	H002169 Powerful Learning Environments Bram De Wever -- Department of Educational Studies	6			A:1	180
2	H002177 Teaching Methodology: Cultural Sciences Koen Aerts -- Department of History	6			A:J	180
3	H002171 Reference Internship: Cultural Sciences Koen Aerts -- Department of History	3			A:J	90

3.2 Free Choice

10 credits

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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.

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	e: tri-annually, from 2024-2025	h: tri-annually, from 2025-2026	k: tri-annually, from 2026-2027