

Faculty of Arts and Philosophy

Preparatory Course Master of Arts in Archaeology

Language of instruction: Dutch

Programme version 10

1 General Courses

78 credits

Subscribe to 78 credit units from 4 modules from the following list.

1.1 Domain-specific Knowledge: Chronological Overviews

20 credits

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	A003300 Pre- and Protohistory <i>Guy De Mulder -- Department of Archaeology</i>	5		1	A:1	150
2	A003301 Archaeology of the Historical Periods <i>Wim De Clercq -- Department of Archaeology</i>	5		1	A:2	150
3	A003302 Introduction to the Archaeology and Art of Greece and the Roman World <i>Frank Vermeulen -- Department of Archaeology</i>	5		1	A:1	150
4	A003303 Archaeology of the Near East <i>Joachim Bretschneider -- Department of Archaeology</i>	5		1	A:2	150

1.2 Methodology

42 credits

Subscribe to 42 credit units from the following list, with 10 credit units with reference *.

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	A003304 General Introduction to Archaeology <i>Philippe Crombé -- Department of Archaeology</i>	5		1	A:1	150
2	A003306 Introduction to Prospection and Excavation Techniques <i>Frank Vermeulen -- Department of Archaeology</i>	6		1	A:2	180
3	A003307 Introduction to the Natural Sciences in Archaeology <i>Peter Vandenabeele -- Department of Archaeology</i>	6		1	A:2	180
4	A005620 Non-invasive Prospection Techniques in Archaeology [en] <i>Philippe De Smedt -- Department of Archaeology</i>	5		2	A:2	150
5	A005432 Archaeometry and Physical anthropology <i>Peter Vandenabeele -- Department of Archaeology</i>	5		2	A:2	150
6	A005579 Introduction to Geomatics in Archaeology <i>Faculteit Wetenschappen, Alain De Wulf -- Department of Geography</i>	5		2	A:2	150
7	A003308 Ecological Archaeology <i>Faculteit Wetenschappen, Dirk Verschuren -- Department of Biology</i>	5	*	2	A:2	135
8	A003309 Introduction to Pedology <i>Peter Finke -- Department of Environment</i>	5	*	2	A:1	135
9	A003310 Introduction to Geology <i>Johan De Grave -- Department of Geology</i>	5	*	2	A:2	135

1.3 Practice

11 credits

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	A003316 Introduction to Material Studies <i>Philippe Crombé -- Department of Archaeology</i>	5		1	A:1	150
2	A003314 Fieldwork I <i>Wim De Clercq -- Department of Archaeology</i>	6		2	A:2	180

1.4 Project

5 credits

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
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1	A003379	Research Assignment <i>Joachim Bretschneider -- Department of Archaeology</i>	5	2	A:J	150
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2 Elective Courses

24 credits

Subscribe to 24 credit units from 2 modules from the following list.

Attention: courses in light grey in the online course catalogue are alternating courses and are not taught in this academic year.

Students who want to take the cluster 'Archaeology of Western Europe' in the master's programme, preferably take courses with an *.

Students who want to take the cluster 'Archaeology of the Mediterranean World and the Ancient Near East' in the master's programme, preferably take courses with an **.

2.1 Courses Domain-Specific Knowledge

15 credits

Subscribe to 15 credit units from the following list.

Attention: Courses in light grey in the study guide are alternating courses and are not taught in this academic year.

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	A003318 Prehistory of Northwestern Europe <i>Hans Vandendriessche -- Department of Archaeology</i>	5	*		A:1 ^a	150
2	A003319 Protohistory of Northwestern Europe <i>Guy De Mulder -- Department of Archaeology</i>	5	*		(A:1) ^d	150
3	A003321 Archaeology of the Roman Provinces <i>Michiel Dekoninck -- Department of Archaeology</i>	5	*		A:2 ^a	150
4	A003322 Archaeology of the Middle Ages and the Early Modern Age <i>Wim De Clercq -- Department of Archaeology</i>	5	*		(A:2) ^d	150
5	A003323 Archaeology of Greece <i>Roald Docter -- Department of Archaeology</i>	5	**		A:1 ^a	150
6	A003324 Roman Archaeology: The Mediterranean World <i>Frank Vermeulen -- Department of Archaeology</i>	5	**		(A:1) ^d	150
7	A003325 Archaeology of the Ancient Near East: from the Proto-Neolithic to the Bronze Age <i>Joachim Bretschneider -- Department of Archaeology</i>	5	**		A:1 ^a	150
8	A005581 Phoenician and Punic Archaeology <i>Vanessa Boschloos -- Department of Archaeology</i>	5	**		(A:1) ^d	150

2.2 Domain-Specific Practice

9 credits

Subscribe to 9 credit units from the following list.

Attention: Courses in light gray in the study guide are alternating courses and are not offered in this academic year.

The practical courses are linked to the knowledge courses. The practical courses can only be taken if you are taking the knowledge course at the same time or if you have successfully completed it.

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	A003327 Practicum: Material Culture of the Stone Age <i>Dimitri Teetaert -- Department of Archaeology</i>	3	*		A:2 ^a	90
2	A003331 Practicum: Material Culture of the Bronze and Iron Age <i>Guy De Mulder -- Department of Archaeology</i>	3	*		(A:2) ^d	90
3	A003332 Practicum: Material Culture of the Roman Provinces <i>Michiel Dekoninck -- Department of Archaeology</i>	3	*		A:2 ^a	90
4	A003333 Practicum: Material Culture of the Middle Ages and the Early Modern Age <i>Maxime Poulain -- Department of Archaeology</i>	3	*		(A:2) ^d	90
5	A003334 Practicum: Material Culture of Greek Antiquity <i>Roald Docter -- Department of Archaeology</i>	3	**		A:2 ^a	90
6	A003336 Practicum: Material Culture of Roman Antiquity <i>Frank Vermeulen -- Department of Archaeology</i>	3	**		(A:2) ^d	90
7	A003335 Practicum: Material Culture of the Ancient Near East <i>Joachim Bretschneider -- Department of Archaeology</i>	3	**		A:2 ^a	90
8	A005582 Practicum: Material Culture of the Phoenician and Punic World <i>Vanessa Boschloos -- Department of Archaeology</i>	3	**		(B:2) ^d	90

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:

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:

a: bi-annually	c: annually, from 2024-2025	f: annually, from 2025-2026	i: annually, from 2026-2027
b: tri-annually	d: bi-annually, from 2024-2025	g: bi-annually, from 2025-2026	j: bi-annually, from 2026-2027
	e: tri-annually, from 2024-2025	h: tri-annually, from 2025-2026	k: tri-annually, from 2026-2027