Study Programme

Academic year 2025-2026

Faculty of Arts and Philosophy

Master of Arts in Linguistics and Literature -- English - Latin

Language of instruction: Dutch

Programme version 4

1 Courses Related to the Main Subject	30 credits

Subscribe to 30 credit units from 2 language group modules from the following list. Subject to approval by the faculty.
Students must invariably take 15 credits from each language group module.

1.1 Language-Specific Courses: English   15 credits

Subscribe to 15 credit units from the following list, with
• no less than 5 credit units from the courses with reference k,
• no less than 5 credit units from the courses with reference k+.
Referenties:
k = eerste keuzeruimte (taalkunde)
k+ = tweede keuzeruimte (letterkunde)

Nr	Course		CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	A006660	English Linguistics: Accents of English: Historical and Contemporary Perspectives [en] *Ellen Simon -- Department of Linguistics*	5	k	1	A:2	150
2	A006741	English Linguistics: Functional Grammar [en] *Miriam Taverniers -- Department of Linguistics*	5	k	1	A:1	150
3	A006742	English Linguistics: Generative Grammar [en] *Alexandra Simonenko -- Department of Linguistics*	5	k	1	A:1	150
4	A006743	English Linguistics: Sociolinguistic Aspects [en] *Stef Slembrouck -- Department of Linguistics*	5	k	1	A:1	150
5	A006740	English Linguistics: Language and Literature [en] *Stef Slembrouck -- Department of Linguistics*	5	k	1	A:2	150
6	A006664	Literature in English: Creative Writing [en] *Gert Buelens -- Department of Literary Studies*	5	k+	1	A:1	150
7	A006667	Literature in English: Genre and Innovation [en] *Marianne Van Remoortel -- Department of Literary Studies*	5	k+	1	A:2	150
8	A006665	Literature in English: Interdisciplinary Approaches [en] *Stef Craps -- Department of Literary Studies*	5	k+	1	A:1	150
9	A006663	Literature in English: Literary Paradigms [en] *Roland Greene*	5	k+	1	A:2	150
10	A006666	Literature in English: Global Texts [en] *Stef Craps -- Department of Literary Studies*	5	k+	1	A:2	150
11	A006662	Literature in English: Text and Context [en] *Wibke Schniedermann -- Department of Literary Studies*	5	k+	1	A:1	150
12	A006661	Literature in English: Transhistorical Approaches [en] *Elly McCausland -- Department of Literary Studies*	5	k+	1	A:1	150

1.2 Language-specific courses: Latin

Subscribe to 15 credit units from the following list. Subject to approval by the faculty.

Nr	Course		CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	A006682	Latin Literature: Ancient Poetics *Marco Formisano -- Department of Literary Studies*	5		1	A:1	150
2	A006680	Latin Linguistics: The language of Non-literary Sources [en] *Giovanbattista Galdi -- Department of Linguistics*	5		1	A:1	150
3	A006683	Latin Literature: Medieval Poetics [en] *Wim Verbaal -- Department of Literary Studies*	5		1	A:2	150

4	A006681	Latin Linguistics: Linguistic Approaches to Diachrony	5	1	A:2	150
		Giovanbattista Galdi -- Department of Linguistics				

2 Elective Courses — 15 credits

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

2.1 Internship — 15 credits

Nr	Course		CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	A005577	Internship	10		1	A:J	300
		Marlies Jansegers -- Department of Linguistics					

2.1.1 Open Choice — 5 credits

Subscribe to 5 credit units from the academic programmes offered by Ghent University (including the Ghent University Elective Courses).
List of Ghent University Elective Courses

2.2 Research specialisation — 15 credits

Subscribe to 2 modules from the following list.
• Course with reference k is mandatory
• Choose 1 course from the module 'General Linguistics' or 'General Literary Theory' – depending on the discipline of the master's dissertation and the research project
• Choose 1 course in the module 'Open Choice' – the choice has to relate to the discipline of the master's dissertation and the research project

Nr	Course		CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	A005387	Research Project [en, nl]	5	k	1	A:J	150
		Klaas Willems -- Department of Linguistics					

2.2.1 General Linguistics

Nr	Course		CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	A006747	Semantics and Typology	5		1	A:1	150
		Klaas Willems -- Department of Linguistics					
2	A006748	Language and Cognition	5		1	A:2	150
		Klaas Willems -- Department of Linguistics					
3	A006749	Comparative Linguistics: Indo-European Languages [fr, nl]	5		1	A:1	150
		Leonid Kulikov -- Department of Linguistics					

2.2.2 General Literary Theory

Nr	Course		CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	A005366	Literature and Criticism	5		1	A:1	150
		Jurgen Pieters -- Department of Literary Studies					
2	A000895	Literature and Society	5		1	A:1	150
		Bart Keunen -- Department of Literary Studies					
3	A005377	Literature and Interdisciplinarity	5		1	A:2	150
		Bart Keunen -- Department of Literary Studies					
4	A005056	Theory of Literary Translation [en]	5		1	A:1	150
		Vrije Universiteit Brussel, Arvi Sepp					
5	A000271	Theory and Methods of the History of Literature	5		1	A:1	150
		Youri Desplenter -- Department of Literary Studies					

2.2.3 Open Choice — 5 credits

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2.3 Open Choice — 15 credits

Subscribe to 15 credit units from the study programmes offered by Ghent University.
Possibilities:
1 Courses from the modules General Linguistics and General Literary Theory
2 Additional language courses from the master's programme, i.e. the optional languages in the programme, and the related languages: Icelandic, New Greek: Language Proficiency I, New Greek: Language Proficiency II, Portuguese I
3 A continuation of the elective track chosen in the bachelor
4 Another elective track from the bachelor
5 Courses that reflect a social commitment:
  • Coaching and Diversity
  • Community Service Learning
  • Context and Nuance. A Critical Reflection on Current Topics
6 The course offer of Ghent University, including the Ghent University Elective Courses

Students cannot take any course units pertaining to the teaching component of the master's programme in teaching.

Nr	Course		CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	A005390	Master's Dissertation	15	1		A:J	450
		Torsten Leuschner -- Department of Linguistics					

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 cours name, using the following ISO codes:

bg: Bulgarian	de: German	es: Spanish	ja: Japanese	pl: Polish	sh: Kroatian/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 in 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 2026-2027	f: annually, from 2027-2028	i: annually, from 2028-2029
b: tri-annually	d: bi-annually, from 2026-2027	g: bi-annually, from 2027-2028	j: bi-annually, from 2028-2029
	e: tri-annually, from 2026-2027	h: tri-annually, from 2027-2028	k: tri-annually, from 2028-2029