

Study Programme

Academic year 2025-2026

Programme jointly offered by Ghent University, Universiteit Antwerpen, Vrije Universiteit Brussel, KU Leuven

Master of Arts in Literary Studies

Language of instruction: Dutch

KU Leuven

Programme version 6								
1 General Courses 44 credits								
1.	1.1 Advanced Reference Framework					8 credits		
Nr	Course		CRDT	Ref MT1	Session	Study		
1	A006616	Atelier KU Leuven, Sascha Bru	4	1	A:1	120		
2	A006615	Literature from a Historical Perspective: Traditions, Concepts and Methods Koen De Temmerman Department of Literary Studies	4	1	A:2	120		
1.	2 Method	dological Courses			18	credits		
Stu		credit units from the following list. vish to replace a methodological course with the course 'Research Initiation' in nager.	must reque	est permission from the				
	Course		CRDT	Ref MT1	Session	Study		
1	A005244	History of the Book and Digital Humanities	6	1		150		
2	A005243	Genetic Literary Studies: Modern Manuscripts Universiteit Antwerpen, Olga Beloborodova	6	1	A:1	150		
3	A006617	Age and Literature Vanessa Joosen Universiteit Antwerpen	6	1	(A:1) ^d	180		
4	A005622	Literature and Decolonisation KU Leuven, Pieter Vermeulen	6	1	A:1	150		
5	A005239	Theory of Poetry: Capita Selecta KU Leuven, Yves T'Sjoen Department of Literary Studies	6	1	A:1	150		
6	A005238	Theory and Analysis of Narrative Texts: Recent Developments KU Leuven, Gunther Martens Department of Literary Studies	6	1	A:2	150		
1.3 International Obligatory Course 6 credits								
Nr	Course		CRDT	Ref MT1	Session	Study		
1	A006618	Mandatory International Module KU Leuven	6	1	A:J	180		
1.4 Corpus Courses 12 credits								
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	Course		CRDT	Ref MT1	Session	Study		
1	A006619	The Avant-Garde Archive KU Leuven, Sascha Bru	6	1	A:2	180		
2	A005536	Short Forms in Literature KU Leuven, Elke D'Hoker	6	1	A:2	150		
3	A005248	Literature of the Middle Ages KU Leuven, Geert Claassens	6	1	A:2	150		
4	A005535	Literature of the Enlightenment: Fact and Fiction from a Transcultural Perspective	6	1		150		

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1.5 Research Initiation

The 'Research Initiation' course can be included as a replacement for a methodological course or a corpus course. Students request permission for this from the programme manager.

Nr Course	CRDT Re	MT1	Session Study			
1 A005247 Research Initiation KU Leuven, Pieter Vermeulen	6	1	A:J 150			
2 Master's Dissertation 16 credits						
Nr Course	CRDT Re	MT1	Session Study			
1 A006620 Master's Dissertation KU Leuven	16	1	A:J 480			

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 h: tri-annually, from 2027-2028 k: tri-annually, from 2028-2029

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