



**Faculty of Arts and Philosophy
Master of Arts in African Studies**

Language of instruction: English
Programme version 6

1 General Courses 15 credits

Nr	Course		CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	A005111	Language, History and Identity in Central and Eastern Africa <i>Koen Bostoen -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i>	5		1	A:1	150
		Indicative price: € 0					
2	A005112	Literature, Media and the Arts in Central and Eastern Africa <i>Olorunshola Adenekan -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i>	5		1	A:1	150
		Indicative price: unknown					
3	K001337	Conflict and Society in Central and Eastern Africa <i>Jeroen Cuvelier -- Department of Conflict and Development Studies</i>	5		1	A:1	150
		Indicative price: unknown					

2 Elective Courses 30 credits

2.1 Limited Choice 20 credits

Subscribe to 20 credit units from the following list.

Nr	Course		CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	A005330	African Archaeology <i>Peter Coutros -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i>	5		1	A:1	150
		Indicative price: unknown					
2	A006650	Anthropology, Africa and the Anthropocene <i>Nick Rahier -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i>	5		1	A:1	150
		Indicative price: € 0					
3	A005117	Bantu Corpus Linguistics and Lexicography <i>Gilles-Maurice de Schryver -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i>	5		1	A:1	150
		Indicative price: € 0					
4	A005115	Poverty, Development and Inequality in Modern African History <i>Ivo Ngade -- Department of History</i>	5		1	A:1	150
		Indicative price: € 0					
5	A005381	Anthropology of Affect and Materiality <i>Koenraad Stroeken -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i>	5		1	A:2	150
		Indicative price: € 0					
6	A005573	Comparative Bantu Grammar <i>Sebastian Dom -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i>	5		1	A:2	150
		Indicative price: € 0					
7	A005114	Gender and Identity in African Literatures <i>Inge Brinkman -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i>	5		1	A:2	150
		Indicative price: € 0					
8	A006651	History and Theory of African Urbanism <i>Johan Lagae -- Department of Architecture and Urban Planning</i>	5		1	A:2	150
		Indicative price: € 0					

2.2 Free Choice 10 credits

Subscribe to 10 credit units

Students can choose 10 credits, either from the Africa-specific courses in 2.1, or from UGent's course offer (including the [Ghent University Elective Courses](#)), such as the courses Swahili, Lingála and Afrikaans, and Research Seminar: History of Africa.

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	A005119 Master's Dissertation <i>Gilles-Maurice de Schryver -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i> Indicative price: € 0	15	1	A:J	450	

Programme related study costs

Type: Laptop

Name: Basic laptop

Indicative price: € 800

Optional: No

Usability and Lifetime within the Study Programme : intensive

Additional information: There is no need to buy a new laptop if the student already bought a laptop during the previous study programme.

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 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

Learning materials

The prices stated are indicative and subject to fluctuations.

The list of learning materials per course unit can be found in the course sheets.