GHENT UNIVERSITY

Course Specifications

Valid as from the academic year 2026-2027

Introduction to Literary Studies (A005634)

Course size *(nominal values; actual values may depend on programme)*

Credits 3.0 **Study time 90 h**

Course offerings in academic year 2027-2028

A (semester 2)	Dutch	Gent

Lecturers in academic year 2027-2028

Pieters, Jurgen	LW07	lecturer-in-charge
Maes, Yanick	LW07	staff member

Offered in the following programmes in 2027-2028	**crdts**	**offering**
Micro-credential Reading Matters. Introduction to Literary Studies	3	A

Teaching languages

Dutch

Keywords

literary theory, literature, fiction, stories, poetry, authors, readers, narratology

Position of the course

This course offers an overview of the 9 languages of the programme in Linguistics and Literature. It pays attention to their history, mutual contacts and the role of literature in their development.

Contents

Initial competences

To have acquired the basic knowledge of secondary education

Final competences

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Conditions for credit contract

This course unit cannot be taken via a credit contract

Conditions for exam contract

This course unit cannot be taken via an exam contract

Teaching methods

Seminar, Lecture

Extra information on the teaching methods

Lecture recordings will be made available.

Study material

None

References

Jürgen Pieters, Leeskwesties, Owl Press, 2024 (2d edition!)

Course content-related study coaching

On appointment and electronically (e-mail)

Assessment moments

end-of-term assessment

Examination methods in case of periodic assessment during the first examination period

Written assessment

Examination methods in case of periodic assessment during the second examination period

Written assessment

Examination methods in case of permanent assessment

Possibilities of retake in case of permanent assessment

not applicable

Calculation of the examination mark

Facilities for Working Students

It is possible to take the exam at a different time within/outside the regular exam period
Possibility to receive feedback at another time: by appointment