

# MASTER OF ARTS IN ADVANCED STUDIES IN LINGUISTICS (NATURAL LANGUAGE PROCESSING: THEORY AND PRACTICE)

60 ECTS CREDITS - LANGUAGE: ENGLISH

## WHAT

## STRUCTURE

In the first term students choose five course units (of 6 credits each): two from the set of general course units and three specialisation course units (with at least two from one specific area of specialisation, which will also be the area of the Master's dissertation and of the intensive course work and/or work placement in the second term).

- Linguistics in a Comparative Perspective
- Natural Language Processing: Theory and Practice

In the second term students mainly focus on their Master's dissertation (18 credits) which should be in their area of specialisation. They are also expected to take part in intensive course work and/or an apprenticeship in their area of specialisation (12 credits).

### Master's Dissertation

Completing the Master's dissertation is a requirement for any student who wants to obtain their Master's degree. The Master's dissertation is an original piece of research. Its aim is to develop and strengthen the students' research skills. Students select a topic and receive guidance from a supervisor. The Master's dissertation consists of a literature review, practical research, and an original analysis of the chosen topic.

## LABOUR MARKET

This Master's programme is not labour market oriented; it is an excellent preparation for students who want to start a research project (PhD) in the field of linguistics.

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## TOELATINGSVOORWAARDEN VOOR HOUDERS VAN EEN VLAAMS DIPLOMA

### 1 Na onderzoek van de bekwaamheid van de student om de opleiding te volgen:

- Een diploma van een masteropleiding aansluitend op een bacheloropleiding

Additional Information on Admission (Flemish Degree)

Students must have a Master in Linguistics or in Linguistics and Literature, Translation studies, or another Master's degree (after file review), and have successfully submitted a master dissertation in the field of linguistics or translation.

## ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS FOR INTERNATIONAL DEGREE STUDENTS

Students must have a Master in Linguistics or in Linguistics and Literature, Translation studies, or another Master's degree (after file review), and have successfully submitted a master dissertation in the field of linguistics or translation.

Information on admission requirements and the administrative procedure for admission on the basis of a diploma obtained abroad, can be found on the following page: [www.ugent.be/prospect/en/administration/enrolment-or-registration](http://www.ugent.be/prospect/en/administration/enrolment-or-registration).

## LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS

Language requirements    Dutch: no language requirements  
                                      English: CEFR level B2

## PRACTICAL INFORMATION

### Study programme

[studiekiezer.ugent.be/master-of-arts-in-advanced-studies-in-linguistics-natural-language-processing-theory-and-practice-ANASLILP-en/programma](http://studiekiezer.ugent.be/master-of-arts-in-advanced-studies-in-linguistics-natural-language-processing-theory-and-practice-ANASLILP-en/programma)

### Information sessions

#### Graduation Fair

[afstudeerbeurs.gent/en/students/further-studies](http://afstudeerbeurs.gent/en/students/further-studies)

### Enrolling institution

Information on enrolment at Ghent University.

### Application Deadline (for International degree students)

For students who **need a visa**: before 1st of April

For students who **do not need a visa**: before 1st of June

[Read more](#)

### Tuition fee

More information is to be found on: [www.ugent.be/tuitionfee](http://www.ugent.be/tuitionfee)

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