Course Specifications
Valid as from the academic year 2021-2022

Seminar: Theory of Literature (A000721)
Due to Covid-19, the education and evaluation methods may vary from the information displayed in the schedules and course details. Any changes will be communicated on Ufora.

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Course offerings and teaching methods in academic year 2022-2023

| A (year) | Dutch | Gent | seminar: coached exercises | 45.0 h |

Lecturers in academic year 2022-2023

Pieters, Jurgen
Lecturer-in-charge

Keunen, Bart
Co-lecturer

Offered in the following programmes in 2022-2023

| Bachelor of Arts in Linguistics and Literature (main subject Dutch - English) | 5 | A |
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(Contact hrs, Study time, Credits: 150 h, 5.0)

Course size: 45.0 h

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Teaching languages
Dutch

Keywords
Seminar, general literary theory

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Initial competences
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Final competences
1. To be familiar with literary-theoretical methods and their applications.
2. To be able to conduct literary-theoretical research autonomously.
3. To be able to give an oral and written report on conducted research.
4. To have a thorough scientific insight into the general characteristics of literary texts and the historical function of literature.

Conditions for credit contract
Access to this course unit via a credit contract is determined after successful competences assessment

Conditions for exam contract
This course unit cannot be taken via an exam contract

Teaching methods
Seminar: coached exercises

Extra information on the teaching methods
Seminar: practical exercise.

Learning materials and price
Online available

References
Course content-related study coaching
Collective and individual feedback.

Evaluation methods
continuous assessment

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

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

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Examination methods in case of permanent evaluation
  Participation, assignment

Possibilities of retake in case of permanent evaluation
  examination during the second examination period is possible

Extra information on the examination methods
  The evaluation is continuous and based on the intermediary steps students are expected to
take in the preparation of their bachelorpaper (abstract, bibliography, structure, first drafts of
chapters, ...). There will also be exercises in the formulation of peer-feedback.

Calculation of the examination mark
  non-periodical: continuous assessment (100 %)
  (If a student does not pass the non-periodical evaluation, a second chance is offered by means
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Assessment form

Facilities for Working Students
  1. Possible exemption from educational activities requiring student attendance.
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