

## R102 French Studies

### Programme structure(s) and requirements, levels and modules

#### Overall requirements for students entering in Year 1 of this programme in or after September 2015

You must take 120 credits in each year of study, meeting all programme and pathway requirements, and will only be able to progress to the next developmental year if you have met the progression requirements. To be eligible for the award of your degree you must have passed a minimum of 315 credits, including 90 credits at level 6.

The period of study at the University of London in Paris (ULiP) in Year 2 is a compulsory and integral part of the degree programme; this includes Semester 2, the assessment period in Term 3, and the summer vacation period during which you will be required to complete the ULiP Summer Research Project.

You must take a minimum of 255 credits in French modules over the period of your studies, excluding the ULiP research project, but including accredited modules taken at ULiP in Year 2.

Some of these credits will be from core or compulsory modules. You must pass core modules to progress to the next year of study. You must take compulsory modules, but may be able to progress with a fail mark. Some of your credits will be from optional modules within your subject area which you can choose each year. You may also take up to 105 credits outside your subject area in the course of your degree.

Students entering Year 1 in 2017-18 will be required to study at least one QMUL Model module in each year of study. In Year 1, the QMUL Model module(s) will be one or more of the core or compulsory modules associated with your degree. In subsequent years, you will be able to choose from a range of options.

The regulations below outline the requirements for which modules you have to take in each year of study, and what you have to achieve to progress to the next year.

#### Year 1 – Level 4

You must take the following **120 credits**:

- 30 credits French I (**core** module and QMUL Model module)
- 30 credits French Foundations (compulsory module and QMUL Model module)
- 15 credits Translation into French (compulsory module)
- 15 credits Paris in Art (compulsory module)
- 30 credits from the following – EITHER
  - 30 credits European Literature and its Contexts OR
  - 30 credits level 4 language module in any other language offered by the School of Languages, Linguistics and Film, including the Language Centre, according to your previous knowledge in the relevant language
- 0 credits Critical Thinking and Writing for Modern Foreign Languages (compulsory non-credit bearing module)

Registration is subject to space available on modules, and with the guidance of your adviser. These modules must be at level 4.

### **Progression Requirements to Year 2**

To successfully progress from Year 1 to Year 2 you must pass a minimum of 90 credits, including any core modules, and achieve an average mark of 40.0 or higher across all the credits you have taken.

### **Year 2 – Level 5**

#### **Semester 1 at QMUL**

You must take the following **30 credits**:

- 15 credits French II A (**core** module)
- 15 credits optional modules to be chosen from FRE-coded modules at level 5. Interdisciplinary SML-coded modules may be counted towards this requirement.

You will choose a further **30 credits** from:

- optional modules offered in French
- all modules offered in the School of Languages, Linguistics and Film
- all modules offered in the Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences

Registration is subject to space available on modules, and with the guidance of your adviser. These modules may be at level 5, or at level 4 or level 6 with the agreement of your adviser.

#### **Semester 2 at ULiP**

You must take the following **60 credits**:

- 15 credits French II (R102) (**core** module)
- 15 credits French in a Professional Context (compulsory module)
- 30 credits optional modules to be chosen from ULiP content modules at level 5.

#### **Term 3 and summer vacation at ULiP**

- 0 credits ULiP Summer Research Project (compulsory non-credit bearing module to be undertaken in Term 3 and the summer vacation and submitted to Queen Mary by the start of Final Year)

### **Progression Requirements to Final Year**

To successfully progress from Year 2 to the Final Year, you must pass a minimum of 90 credits in Year 2 including any core modules, and have passed a minimum of 195 credits in total from Year 1 and Year 2, and achieve an average mark of 40.0 or higher across all the credits you have taken. You must also submit the ULiP Summer Research Project to progress to the final year of the programme.

## **Final Year – Level 6**

You must take the following **75 credits**:

- 30 credits French III (**core** module)
- 15 credits Advanced Oral Competence in French (compulsory module)
- 30 credits optional modules to be chosen from FRE-coded modules at level 6. Interdisciplinary SML-coded modules may be counted towards this requirement.

You will choose the remaining **45 credits** from:

- optional modules offered in French
- all modules offered in the School of Languages, Linguistics and Film
- all modules offered in the Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences

Registration is subject to space available on modules, and with the guidance of your adviser. At least 15 credits of these modules must be at level 6. You may choose up to 30 credits at level 5. You are not allowed to take level 4 modules in your final year. Note that the programme structure only requires you to take a minimum of 90 credits at level 6; you must also pass a minimum of 90 credits at level 6 to be eligible for your degree and may wish to bear this in mind when making module choices.

## **Requirements for Award**

To be eligible for award, you must pass a minimum of 315 credits in total including any core modules, and including a minimum of 90 credits at level 6.