

## VQ12 History and Comparative Literature

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

#### Overall requirements for students who joined Year 1 of this programme before 2015, or who join this cohort in 2015

You must take 120 credits in each year of study. You must pass at least 270 credits overall in total to be eligible for your degree.

You must take a minimum of 180 credits in History modules and 135 credits in Comparative Literature modules over the period of your studies.

Some of these credits will be from compulsory modules. Some of your credits will be from optional modules within your subject areas which you can choose each year. You may also take up to 45 credits outside your subject areas in the course of your degree.

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 (2014-15)

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

- 15 credits HST4602 History in Practice (compulsory module)
- 30 credits from the following: - EITHER
  - 30 credits HST4308 Unravelling Britain: 1800 to present OR
  - 30 credits HST4309 Europe in a Global Context: 1800 to the present
- 15 credits optional module to be chosen from HST-coded modules at level 4
- 15 credits Introduction to Literature: Texts and Contexts (compulsory module)
- 15 credits Introduction to Comparison (compulsory module)
- 15 credits The Scene of Teaching (compulsory module)
- 15 credits Understanding Culture (compulsory 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 students must pass a minimum of 90 credits

#### Year 2 – Level 5 (2015-16)

You must take the following **90 credits**:

- 60 credits optional modules to be chosen from HST-coded modules at level 5 or at level 6. HST5607 History Workshop is recommended in preparation for the final year Special Subjects.
- 15 credits The Scene of Reading (compulsory module)

- 15 credits optional modules to be chosen from COM- / SML-coded modules at level 5

You will choose the remaining **30 credits** from:

- optional modules offered in History
- optional modules offered in Comparative Literature
- 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 6 with the agreement of your adviser. You are not allowed to take modules at level 4 in Year 2.

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

To successfully progress to the Final Year students must pass a minimum of 180 credits from Year 1 and Year 2.

### **Final Year – Level 6 (2015-16 / 2016-17)**

You must take the following **105 credits**:

- 60 credits History Special Subject (either offered by the School of History or by another college within the University)
- 15 credits The Scene of Writing (compulsory module)
- 30 credits optional modules to be chosen from COM-/SML- coded modules at level 6

You will choose the remaining **15 credits** from:

- optional modules offered in Comparative Literature
- optional modules offered in History
- 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. You may choose these credits at level 5 or at level 6. You are not allowed to take level 4 modules in your final year.

### **Requirements for Award**

Students must pass a minimum of 270 credits.