

QQ21 Comparative Literature and Linguistics

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 135 credits in Comparative Literature modules and a minimum of 150 credits in Linguistics modules over the period of your studies.

Some of these credits will be from compulsory modules, and some will be from optional modules within your subject areas which you can choose each year. You may also take up to 75 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 Introduction to Literature (compulsory module)
- 15 credits Introduction to Comparison (compulsory module)
- 15 credits The Scene of Teaching (compulsory module)
- 15 credits Understanding Culture (compulsory module)
- 30 credits Foundations of Linguistics (compulsory module)
- 30 credits optional modules to be chosen from LIN-coded modules at level 4

Requirements for progression 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 **75 credits**:

- 15 credits The Scene of Reading (compulsory module)
- 15 credits optional modules in COM-/SML- coded modules at level 5
- 45 credits optional modules to be chosen from LIN-coded modules at level 5

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

- optional modules offered in Comparative Literature
- optional modules offered in Linguistics
- 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 5. You may choose up to 30 credits at level 4 or level 6 with the agreement of your adviser.

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 **90 credits**:

- 15 credits The Scene of Writing (compulsory module)
- 30 credits optional modules to be chosen from COM-/SML- coded modules at level 6
- 45 credits optional modules to be chosen from LIN-coded modules at level 6

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

- optional modules offered in Comparative Literature
- optional modules offered in Linguistics
- 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 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 to be awarded their degree.