

HIST1PM

2014 - 2015

Preparatory year for Master in History

At Louvain-la-Neuve - 60 credits - 1 year - Day schedule - In frenchDissertation/Graduation Project : **NO** - Internship : **NO**Activities in English: **NO** - Activities in other languages : **NO**Activities on other sites : **NO**Organized by: **Faculté de philosophie, arts et lettres (FIAL)**Programme code: **hist1pm****Table of contents**

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HIST1PM - Introduction

Introduction

Your programme

Depending on the student's previous academic record, the programme (of a maximum of 60 credits) will be made up of a group of courses selected in consultation with the study adviser and the secretary of the examination board. These courses are to be chosen from the Bachelor's degree programme in History.

HIST1PM - Teaching profile

Learning outcomes

The preparatory year aims to introduce students to fundamental research techniques in history and to put these theoretical techniques into practice during two seminars. The preparatory year also aims to help students acquire or increase their language skills (one ancient and one modern language) to help them successfully follow the (unknown URL) or the [Master \[120\] in History](#).

HIST1PM Detailed programme

Programme by subject

The programme will be made up according to the student's previous studies (minimum 16 credits and maximum 60 credits).

o Getting to know history (3 credits)

o LHIST1411	Historiography	Geneviève Warland	22.5h	3 Credits	2q
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o Making History - Theory and Application of Theory (29 credits)

o LFIAL1430	Historical Criticism	Laurence Van Ypersele	30h+10h	4 Credits	2q
o LHIST1430	General heuristics	Paul Bertrand	15h+15h	3 Credits	1q
o LHIST1431	Specialized heuristics and exercises on questions of history : antiquity	Françoise Van Haepereen	15h+15h	4 Credits	1q
o LHIST1432	Specialized heuristics and exercises on questions of history : the Middle Ages	Eric Delaissé (compensates Jean-Marie Yante), Jean-Marie Yante	15h+15h	4 Credits	1q
o LHIST1433	Specialized heuristics and exercises on questions of history : modern times	Silvia Mostaccio	15h+15h	4 Credits	2q
o LHIST1434	Specialized heuristics and exercises on questions of history : the contemporary period	Vincent Dujardin	15h+15h	4 Credits	2q
o LFIAL1291	Computer Applications in the Humanities	Aurore François	15h+15h	3 Credits	1q
o LHIST1320	Quantitative methods in studying history	Aurore François	22.5h	3 Credits	2q

o Seminars (14 credits)

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o LHIST1391	Seminar : Antiquity	Françoise Van Haepereen	22.5h	7 Credits	1q
o LHIST1392	Seminar : the Middle Ages	Paul Bertrand, Jean-Marie Yante	22.5h	7 Credits	1q
o LHIST1393	Seminar : Early modern times	Silvia Mostaccio, Paul Servais	22.5h	7 Credits	1q
o LHIST1394	Seminar : the contemporary period	Laurence Van Ypersele	22.5h	7 Credits	1q

o General course (4 credits)

o LESPO2100	Political economy	Alain De Crombrugge de Picquendaële	30h+15h	4 Credits	1q
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o Languages (10 credits)

Students must take one course of Ancient Languages (5 credits) and one course of Modern Languages (5 credits).
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LFLTR1770, LFLTR1780 and LFLTR1781 are open to students who have either studied Latin for four hours per week during the last four years of secondary education or pass an assessment test at the beginning of the year. Students who do not fulfil these conditions must take LFLTR1760.

⊗ LFIAL1760	Beginning Latin	Alain Meurant	30h+30h	5 Credits	1q
⊗ LFIAL1770	Beginning Greek	Sébastien Moureau (compensates Claude Obsomer), Claude Obsomer	30h+30h	5 Credits	1q
⊗ LFIAL1780	Latin language and literature : poetry <i>15 hours of exercises , choice between classical and medieval latin.</i>	Paul Deproost, Jean-Marie Yante	30h+15h	5 Credits	1q ⊕
⊗ LFIAL1781	Latin language and literature I : prose <i>15 hours of exercises , choice between classical and medieval latin.</i>	Paul Deproost, Jean-Marie Yante	30h+15h	5 Credits	1q ⊕

o Modern languages (5 credits)

⊗ LANGL1720	English language	Estelle Dagneaux (coord.), Philippe Denis, Céline Gouverneur, Claudine Grommersch, Brigitte Loosen	60h	5 Credits	1q
⊗ LANGL1810	English for Arts Students - An intermediate course	Stéphanie Brabant, Jean-Luc Delghust (coord.)	60h	5 Credits	1 + 2q
⊗ LANGL1811	English: Language and Culture	Estelle Dagneaux (coord.), Céline Gouverneur, Claudine Grommersch, Brigitte Loosen	60h	5 Credits	1 + 2q
⊗ LNEER1250	Dutch: language and culture	Hilde Bosmans (coord.), Katrien De Rycke, Lutgarde Schrijvers	30h+30h	5 Credits	1 + 2q
⊗ LFIAL1730	Dutch language	Philippe Hiligsmann	30h+30h	5 Credits	1q
⊗ LFIAL1710	German language	Henri Bouillon	30h+30h	5 Credits	1q

HIST1PM - Information

Admission

(Decree of March 31st 2004 defining higher education, favoring its integration in the European framework of higher education and refinancing universities)

The admission requirements must be met prior to enrolment in the university.

The mentioned information may of modification for 2014-2015

In the event of the divergence between the different linguistic versions of the present conditions, the French version shall prevail

General conditions

Access to the preparatory year on the basis of a bridging programme: see <https://uclouvain.be/fr/etudier/passerelles/recherchez-vos-passerelles.html>

students may be required to take extra courses representing a maximum of 60 additional credits. Where the extra workload exceeds 15 credits, this training is considered to be a preparatory year of study. Access to the preparatory year on the basis of **accreditation of prior learning and skills acquired through personal or professional experience** :

Article 53 of the Decree of 30 March 2004 stipulates that: "Notwithstanding article 51, without prejudice to article 60, and in accordance with a decision by the academic authorities, for the purpose of granting access to Master's studies, the competent Examination Board may accredit prior learning and skills acquired by students through their personal or professional experience. This useful experience must correspond to at least five years of activities, excluding years of higher education study that were not passed. At the end of an assessment procedure organized by the academic authorities, the Examination Board will decide whether a student has sufficient knowledge and skills to successfully pursue Master's studies."

Access to the preparatory year on the basis of accreditation of 180 ECTS credits by the Admissions Board (personalized admission based on application) for students who have a degree from a Belgian university or qualifications obtained abroad (which do not give access to this particular year on the basis of the abovementioned general conditions).

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Specific Admission Requirements

This year of study targets :

- Students who satisfy the conditions of the decree regarding the bridging programme ;
- Graduates of a Belgian or foreign university deemed by the admission committee for [Master \[120\] in History](#) or [Master \[60\] in History](#) not to have the prerequisite knowledge (see Admission requirements) ;
- Students who do not hold a degree allowing direct access to a master but who can demonstrate a level of knowledge and skills acquired through their professional or personal experiences (accreditation of prior learning).

Specific Admission and Enrolment Procedures for General Registration

For Belgian students satisfying the decree's bridging programme conditions : applications must be addressed to the administrative manager : Collège Erasme, Place Blaise Pascal, 1 1348 Louvain-La-Neuve : [Béregère Bonduelle](#). The application must include a CV and a detailed list of results obtained during all the previous years of study at third-level institutions.

Foreign students : applications are examined by a Master's committee. Details concerning applications by international students may be found on <https://www.uclouvain.be/14041.html>.

For VAE students (accreditation of prior learning) : applications must be submitted to the Studies Adviser (Collège Erasme, Place Blaise Pascal, 1 1348 Louvain-La Neuve : [Fiorella Flamini](#)).

Teaching method

The programme of courses for each student is made up in the light of their previous academic record and is designed to equip them with the necessary prerequisites to gain access to a Master's degree.

The courses make use of a variety of teaching techniques and strategies (lectures, group work, individual work, seminars, reading etc.) which help students to acquire the necessary skills. Certain courses also use e-learning techniques (provision of resources and exercises, teaching devices, collective sharing and assessment of work).

Evaluation

The evaluation methods comply with the [regulations concerning studies and exams](#). More detailed explanation of the modalities specific to each learning unit are available on their description sheets under the heading "Learning outcomes evaluation method".

Depending on the nature of the course and the teaching methods, the evaluation will take different forms. Some courses will involve oral and/or written evaluations (held during one of the three exam sessions: January – June – August/September), whilst the evaluation of seminars will involve more substantial student participation as well as assessment of individual course work. Evaluation methods will be explained at the beginning of each course.

Teaching methods are evaluated in accordance with the current University regulations (see [General regulations concerning examinations](#)). Students may also find additional information regarding the evaluation of courses in the course description.

Possible trainings at the end of the programme

The foundation year does not lead to a diploma, but successful completion of the year does give access to the [Master \[60\] in History](#) as well as to the [Master \[120\] in History](#). Only students who have completed the year satisfactorily will be awarded a certificate.

Contacts

Curriculum Management

Entite de la structure FIAL

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	Bérengère Bonduelle	Directeur administratif de faculté

Commissions de programme	Commission de programme en histoire de l'art et archéologie (ARKE)
	Ecole de philosophie (EFIL)
	Commission de programme en langues et lettres anciennes (GLOR)
	Commission de programme en histoire (HIST)
	Commission de programme en langues et lettres anciennes et modernes (LAFR)
	Commission de programme en linguistique (LING)
	Commission de programme en langues et lettres modernes (LMOD)
	Louvain School of Translation and Interpreting (anc. Marie Haps) (LSTI)
	Commission de programme en communication multilingue (MULT)
	Commission de programme en langues et lettres françaises et romanes (ROM)
Commission de programme en sciences et technologies de l'information et de la communication (STIC)	
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