

# Department of Languages, Literatures and Cultures

## About the department

Housed in the International Building, the Department of LLC offers degree courses involving French, Spanish, Italian, German, Comparative Literature and Culture, Liberal Arts, Translation Studies, International Film and the History of Art and Visual Cultures and our wide range of modules reflects our cultural and linguistic diversity.

## Entry requirements

The modules listed below are open to all Study Abroad, International and Erasmus students, subject to any required previous knowledge or qualifications.

Each course is either 7.5, 15 or 30 RHUL credits and starts in either the Autumn Term (September) or the Spring Term (January).

Visit <https://intranet.royalholloway.ac.uk/mlc/informationforcurrentstudents/home.aspx> to find short course descriptions. Reading lists for all our courses can be found here: <https://rhul.rl.talis.com/index.html>

*The information contained in the course outlines on the following pages is correct at the time of publication but may be subject to change as part of our policy of continuous improvement and development.*



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## Course options for visiting students

Course code	Course name	Credit value	Start date	Course description/pre-requisites
<b>French:</b>				
FR1701	French Advanced Written I	15 UK credits	September 2023	<i>Must be taken with FR1702; requires advanced French (A-level equivalent)</i>
FR1702	French Advanced Oral I	15 UK credits	September 2023	<i>Must be taken with FR1701; requires advanced French (A-level equivalent)</i>
FR1105	The Visual Image in French Culture and Society	15 UK credits	September 2023	<a href="#">Click here for the synopsis and learning outcomes.</a>
FR1112	The Individual and Society: Key Works in French Literature	15 UK credits	January 2024	<a href="#">Click here for the synopsis and learning outcomes.</a>
FR1400	French Language : Culture and Translation	15 UK credits	September 2023	<a href="#">Click here for the synopsis and learning outcomes.</a> <i>Requires advanced French (A-level equivalent)</i>
FR2009	Pratique du Français II	30 UK credits	September 2023	<a href="#">Click here for the synopsis and learning outcomes.</a> <i>Requires advanced French (A-level equivalent)</i>
FR2009V	Pratique du Français II	15 UK credits	September 2023	<a href="#">Click here for the synopsis and learning outcomes.</a> <i>Requires advanced French (A-level equivalent).</i> The V version of this course runs over one term only and covers a selection of the material mentioned in the course description.
FR2102	Writing Romance and Desire	15 UK credits	September 2023	<a href="#">Click here for the synopsis and learning outcomes.</a>
FR2106	Cinema in France: From Modernism to the Postmodern	15 UK credits	January 2024	<a href="#">Click here for the synopsis and learning outcomes.</a>
FR2410	Advanced French Translation	15 UK credits	September 2023	<a href="#">Click here for the synopsis and learning outcomes.</a> <i>requires advanced French (A-level equivalent)</i>
FR3113	Text and Image in France: from Cubism to the Present	15 UK credits	September 2023	<a href="#">Click here for the synopsis and learning outcomes.</a>



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FR3124	Blindness and Vision in French Culture	15 UK credits	January 2024	<a href="#">Click here for the synopsis and learning outcomes.</a>
FR3126	Redefining the Erotic in Contemporary French Literature and Film	15 UK credits	September 2023	<a href="#">Click here for the synopsis and learning outcomes.</a>

### German:

GM1701	German Advanced Written I	15 UK credits	September 2023	<a href="#">Click here for the synopsis and learning outcomes.</a> Must be taken with GM1702. Requires advanced German (A-level equivalent).
GM1702	German Advanced Oral I	15 UK credits	September 2023	<a href="#">Click here for the synopsis and learning outcomes.</a> Must be taken with GM1701. Requires advanced German (A-level equivalent).
GM1120	Introduction to German Studies	15 UK credits	September 2023	<a href="#">Click here for the synopsis and learning outcomes.</a>
GM1400	German Language: Culture and Translation	15 UK credits	September 2023	<a href="#">Click here for the synopsis and learning outcomes.</a> Requires advanced German (A-level equivalent). Subject to availability.
GM2009	German Language II	30 UK credits	September 2023	<a href="#">Click here for the synopsis and learning outcomes.</a> Requires advanced German (A-level equivalent)
GM2009V	German Language II	15 UK credits	September 2023	<a href="#">Click here for the synopsis and learning outcomes.</a> The V version of this course runs over one term only and covers a selection of the material mentioned in the course description. Requires advanced German (A-level equivalent)
GM2122	Death, Desire, Decline: Thomas Mann and Franz Kafka	15 UK credits	January 2024	<a href="#">Click here for the synopsis and learning outcomes.</a>
GM2124	Representations of Childhood and Youth in Modern German Culture	15 UK credits	September 2023	<a href="#">Click here for the synopsis and learning outcomes.</a>
GM3131	Narrative and Identity: The German Novel from the 18th to the 21st Century	15 UK credits	January 2024	<a href="#">Click here for the synopsis and learning outcomes.</a>



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<b>GM3134</b>	<b>National Socialism and the Third Reich in German film and visual culture from 1933 to the present</b>	15 UK credits	September 2023	<a href="#">Click here for the synopsis and learning outcomes.</a>
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### Hispanic:

<b>SN1701</b>	<b>Spanish Advanced Written I</b>	15 UK credits	September 2023	<a href="#">Click here for the synopsis and learning outcomes.</a> Must be taken with SN1702 requires advanced Spanish (A-level equivalent)
<b>SN1702</b>	<b>Spanish Advanced Oral I</b>	15 UK credits	September 2023	<a href="#">Click here for the synopsis and learning outcomes.</a> Must be taken with SN1701; requires advanced Spanish (A-level equivalent)
<b>SN1105</b>	<b>Journeys of Identity</b>	15 UK credits	September 2023	<a href="#">Click here for the synopsis and learning outcomes.</a>
<b>SN1109</b>	<b>Discovery, Subversion, and Destruction in the Hispanic Worlds</b>	15 UK credits	January 2024	<a href="#">Click here for the synopsis and learning outcomes.</a>
<b>SN1400</b>	<b>Spanish Language: Culture and Translation</b>	15 UK credits	September 2023	<a href="#">Click here for the synopsis and learning outcomes.</a> Requires advanced Spanish (A-level equivalent)
<b>SN2001</b>	<b>Spanish II</b>	30 UK credits	September 2023	<a href="#">Click here for the synopsis and learning outcomes.</a> Requires advanced Spanish (A-level equivalent)
<b>SN2001V</b>	<b>Spanish II</b>	15 UK credits	September 2023	<a href="#">Click here for the synopsis and learning outcomes.</a> Requires advanced Spanish (A-level equivalent). The V version of this course runs over one term only and covers a selection of the material mentioned in the course description.
<b>SN2400</b>	<b>Advanced Spanish Translation</b>	15 UK credits	September 2023	<a href="#">Click here for the synopsis and learning outcomes.</a> Requires advanced Spanish (A-level equivalent)
<b>SN2107</b>	<b>Deceit, Desire and the Self</b>	15 UK credits	September 2023	<a href="#">Click here for the synopsis and learning outcomes.</a>
<b>SN2118</b>	<b>Seducing The Nation: Spanish Cinema 1940s to 1980s</b>	15 UK credits	January 2024	<a href="#">To be validated</a>



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SN2119	Conflict in 20th-century Latin American Literature and Culture	15 UK credits	January 2024	<a href="#">To be validated</a>
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### Italian:

IT1701	Italian Advanced Written I	15 UK credits	September 2023	<a href="#">Click here for the synopsis and learning outcomes.</a> Must be taken with IT1702; <i>requires advanced Italian (A-level equivalent)</i>
IT1702	Italian Advanced Oral I	15 UK credits	September 2023	<a href="#">Click here for the synopsis and learning outcomes.</a> Must be taken with IT1701; <i>requires advanced Italian (A-level equivalent)</i>
IT1230	Politics, Religion and Love (Dante, Petrarch and Boccaccio)	15 UK credits	September 2023	<a href="#">Click here for the synopsis and learning outcomes.</a>
IT1400	Italian Language: Culture and Translation	15 UK credits	September 2023	<a href="#">Click here for the synopsis and learning outcomes.</a> <i>requires advanced Italian (A-level equivalent).</i> Subject to availability.
IT2050	Advanced Italian II	30 UK credits	September 2023	<a href="#">Click here for the synopsis and learning outcomes.</a> <i>requires advanced Italian (A-level equivalent)</i>
IT2050V	Advanced Italian II	15 UK credits	September 2023	<a href="#">Click here for the synopsis and learning outcomes.</a> Requires advanced Italian (A-level equivalent). The V version of this course runs over one term only and covers a selection of the material mentioned in the course description.
IT2340	Post-war Italian Cinema	15 UK credits	September 2023	<a href="#">Click here for the synopsis and learning outcomes.</a>
IT2400	Art and Literature in Renaissance Florence	15 UK credits	September 2023	<a href="#">Click here for the synopsis and learning outcomes.</a>
IT2600	Fake News, Gossip, and the Pursuit of Truth: from Renaissance Newsletters to Blogs	15 UK credits	January 2024	<a href="#">Click here for the synopsis and learning outcomes.</a>
IT2850	The Italian Novel in World Literature	15 UK credits	September 2023	<a href="#">To be validated.</a>



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### Comparative Literature and Culture / Translation Studies

<b>ML1102</b>	<b>The Birth of Film</b>	15 UK credits	<i>January 2024</i>	<a href="#">Click here for the synopsis and learning outcomes.</a>
<b>ML1204</b>	<b>Tales of the City: Introduction to Thematic Analysis</b>	15 UK credits	<i>January 2024</i>	<a href="#">Click here for the synopsis and learning outcomes.</a>
<b>ML1301</b>	<b>Visual Arts 1: An Introduction to Visual Media</b>	15 UK credits	<i>September 2023</i>	<a href="#">Click here for the synopsis and learning outcomes.</a>
<b>ML1400</b>	<b>Introduction to Translation: Professional Skills</b>	15 UK credits	<i>September 2023</i>	<a href="#">Click here for the synopsis and learning outcomes.</a>
<b>ML2302</b>	<b>Visual Arts II: Genres and Movements</b>	15 UK credits	<i>January 2024</i>	<a href="#">Click here for the synopsis and learning outcomes.</a>
<b>ML2400</b>	<b>Questions of Translation and Transcultural Communication</b>	15 UK credits	<i>September 2023</i>	<a href="#">Click here for the synopsis and learning outcomes.</a>
<b>ML2406</b>	<b>21st-century World Food Fictions: Feeding Interdisciplinary Understandings of Identity Constructs</b>	15 UK credits	<i>September 2023</i>	<a href="#">Click here for the synopsis and learning outcomes.</a>
<b>ML2407</b>	<b>Staging the Enlightenment: theatre in eighteenth-century France and Germany</b>	15 UK credits	<i>January 2024</i>	<a href="#">Click here for the synopsis and learning outcomes.</a>
<b>ML2408</b>	<b>World Literatures: Transmission and Translation</b>	15 UK credits	<i>September 2023</i>	<a href="#">Click here for the synopsis and learning outcomes.</a> (To be validated)
<b>ML3212</b>	<b>Humans and Other Animals in Twenty-First Century Fiction and Thought</b>	15 UK credits	<i>September 2023</i>	<a href="#">Click here for the synopsis and learning outcomes.</a>
<b>ML3215</b>	<b>Translingual Literature: Writing Across Borders and Identities</b>	15 UK credits	<i>January 2024</i>	<a href="#">Click here for the synopsis and learning outcomes.</a>



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