

MA in English Studies: Literature and Culture



Department of English
Language & Literature

Postgraduate Programme

English Studies:
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The Department of English Language & Literature welcomes applications for the MA Programme “English Studies: Literature and Culture,” specializing in “**Nineteenth- and Twentieth-Century Anglophone Literature and Culture.**” Starting in October 2023, the programme lasts three semesters (18 months) and consists of six taught modules evenly spread over the first two semesters and one final dissertation written in the third semester. The overall theme for this cycle is “**Representations of Marginality and Exclusion.**”

The programme fosters the interdisciplinary critical study of Anglophone literature from the nineteenth to the twentieth century as

well as of contemporary culture, with a strong emphasis on recent developments in critical, literary, and cultural theory.

Who can apply: graduates of English language and literature programmes or other related programmes in the humanities. Please look out for the official announcement and the requirements on the [webpage of the Department of English](#): Application period: 1-8 September 2023.

Admission: all candidates have to take a written and an oral entrance examination in September. Places are limited to 15. There are no tuition fees for this programme.

What our graduates say about the programme:

“I can only say that it has been a privilege indeed to have worked with and learned from some of the most brilliant, erudite, caring, and thoughtful professors I have met to this day, whose experience, academic professionalism, and friendship prepared me for my next academic step.” **Anthie Georgiadi, PhD researcher, Princeton University**

“The MA programme undoubtedly succeeded in meeting the highest of standards, and to be honest, far exceeded any expectations I might have had when I applied for it. In my opinion, this success is predominantly owed to the insightful, attentive, and up-to-date structuring of the programme--in sync with the most rigorous, demanding and rewarding respective MA programs of the globe, as far as I can guess--and, more significantly, to the moving level of commitment, talent, and expertise of the instructors.”

“I honestly feel that all courses contributed in shaping my socio-political views and enabled me to improve my thinking and writing skills, in a way that I can incorporate this knowledge in both academic and non-academic environments.”

“We had the chance to attend extremely interesting conferences, symposia, and webinars, and we met amazing professors and inspiring artists from all over the world.”