UCL Université catholique de Louvain

LGLOR2502

2010-2011

History of Medieval Latin literature

5.0 credits30.0 h2qThis biannualcourse is taught on
years 2010-2011,
2012-2013, ...2012-2013, ...

Teacher(s) :	Deproost Paul ;
Language :	Français
Place of the course	Louvain-la-Neuve
Main themes :	The major moments of Medieval literature, emphasizing the styles and their specificity: the ancient origin of certain styles and the metamorphosis these underwent with the advent of Christianity. The relationship this literature bears to previous literature in Latin. Literary creations: human beings, works, areas. The plurality and the extension of the very concept of literature in this period: the problem of encyclopedic classification, of bestiary fables, of lapidaries, of sermons, of geography, etc Examine how this body of medieval literature influenced the vernacular literatures of the time and beyond. The repercussions this literature had on certain themes and works of European literature.
Aims :	To give the students an overview of Medieval Latin literature and underline its place in European cultural history. The contribution of this Teaching Unit to the development and command of the skills and learning outcomes of the programme(s) can be accessed at the end of this sheet, in the section entitled "Programmes/courses offering this Teaching Unit".
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Other infos :	Evaluation : oral exam.
Cycle and year of study :	 Master [60] in History Master [120] in History Master [60] in Ancient Languages and Literatures: Classics Certificat universitaire en langue, littérature et civilisation latines Certificat universitaire en littérature Master [120] in French and Romance Languages and Literatures : General Master [120] in Ancient and Modern Languages and Literatures Master [60] in Ancient and Modern Languages and Literatures Master [120] in Ancient and Modern Languages and Literatures Master [120] in Ancient and Modern Languages and Literatures Master [120] in Ancient Languages and Literatures
Faculty or entity in charge:	GLOR