

## LGLOR2912

2010-2011

## Seminar :Written Sources from the Near East and Egypt

5.0 credits	30.0 h	This biannual
		course is taught on
		years 2010-2011,
		2012-2013,

Teacher(s):	Lebrun René ; Obsomer Claude ;
Language :	Français
Place of the course	Louvain-la-Neuve
Main themes :	As for the Near East, the seminar will focus on issues of Hittite historiography. With regard to Egypt, the focus will be on questions of historical geography or royal succession.
Aims :	Provide the student with a sound approach to the written sources (context, typology etc.) and their perusal within the framework of scholarly debate.  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".
Content :	The sessions organized in the first quadrimester aim at providing the student with the proper methodology for the scholarly exploitation of written sources: each tutor will deal with a specific corpus that may serve as an example. The exercise sessions, in the second quadrimester, will enable the student to present the corpus on which he will have worked individually or in a group setting. As for the Near East, particular attention will be given to the Annals of Mursili II and the autobiography of Hattusili III. With regard to Egypt, texts to be considered may be the Travels of Hirkhouf, the Punt files, the succession of the kings Amenemhat I, Sesostris III, Akhenaton and Sethi I.
Other infos :	Prerequisite : A good knowledge of Hittite and/or Egyptian.
Cycle and year of study:	➤ Master [60] in Ancient Languages and Literatures: Oriental Studies     ➤ Master [120] in Ancient Languages and Literatures: Oriental Studies     ➤ Master [120] in History of Art and Archaeology: General
Faculty or entity in charge:	GLOR