UCL Université catholique de Louvain UDIVERSITÉ 2012-2013 LTHEO2621 2012-2013 History of theology in the Middel Ages. Specific questions

3.0 credits	30.0 h	2q	Ce cours bisannuel est
			dispensé en 2011-2012,
			2013-2014,

Teacher(s) :	Counet Jean-Michel ;
Language :	Français
Place of the course	Louvain-la-Neuve
Main themes :	These objectives will be achieved after a presentation of the caracteristic axes of monastic and scolastic theologies. The birth, the main theologians of the XII century and the important syntheses of the scolastic theology will be studied with some indications on the latse scolastic and the heterodox doctines.
Aims :	At the end of this activity, the student will be able to - make the difference between various types of theology practised in the Middel Ages (methods; sources; literary genres; historical, cultural, institutional contexts). - use the main tools in the field and deepen a specific question in a personal research. 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 :	2011-2012 The lectures of this year will deal with the theme of creation. That God is creator of heaven and earth is a essential feature of christian faith. How did the Middle Ages theologians understand it? Is the biblical narrative of Gen 1 to be taken litterally? How is the discrepancy between the biblical concept of creation and the doctrines of greek philosophers about world genesis to be considered? As a mark of the truth of christian faith either of the falsehood of philosophical pagan doctrines or as an opportunity to extent the theological understanding of divine creation by elucidating its content by means of philosophical categories? The course will take into account the diverse theological methods used in the Middle ages (monastic theology, scolastic theology, and the beginnings of positive theology) and consider their relevance with regards to the creation issue.
Other infos :	nihil
Cycle and year of study :	 Master [120] in Theology Master [120] in History Master [60] in Philosophy Master [120] in Philosophy Teacher Training Certificate (upper secondary education) - Philosophy Certificat universitaire en langue, littérature et civilisation latines
Faculty or entity in charge:	ТЕВІ