


Due to the COVID-19 crisis, the information below is subject to change, in particular that concerning the teaching mode (presential, distance or in a comodal or hybrid format).

5 credits	15.0 h	Q1
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Language :	French
Place of the course	Louvain-la-Neuve
Main themes	Each year, this cross-institutional seminar is organized for two entire days and highlights a specific corpus of texts belonging to Arabic literature, mostly of the Classical period. Texts to be studied derive from Muslim, Christian, Jewish and confessionally neutral environments, and concern one of the relevant genres: geography or travel accounts, historiography, scientific and religious texts, poetry, texts for entertainment, etc. The seminar is organised in turns by the participating universities (UCL, ULg, ULB) and each time deals with the recent or current research carried out by a visiting scholar (usually from abroad), who will define the corpus of texts, in collaboration with the local organizers. Students are expected to actively engage in group discussions with the visiting scholar. Please note: for UCL students, the texts in question may (partly) coincide with texts studied in other courses, notably Classical Arabic II (GLOR 2661-2662) and Middle Arabic (GLOR 2721-2722).
Aims	<p>At the end of the course, the student should have acquired :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - thorough familiarity with a specific aspect of Arabic literature, particularly of the Classical period, and its historical, religious and cultural settings; - advanced knowledge of modern scholarly approaches to various aspects of Arabic literature; - the communication skills required to actively contribute to a discussion on a relevant topic. <p>-----</p> <p><i>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".</i></p>
Evaluation methods	Due to the COVID-19 crisis, the information in this section is particularly likely to change. Certification of participation.
Teaching methods	Due to the COVID-19 crisis, the information in this section is particularly likely to change. /
Content	This cross-institutional seminar highlights a specific corpus of texts belonging to Arabic literature, mostly of the Classical period. The seminar is organised in turns by the participating universities (UCL, ULg, ULB) and each time deals with the recent or current research carried out by a visiting scholar. Students are expected to actively engage in group discussions.
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Other infos	Support : texts will be distributed partly prior to the seminar, in digital format (for UCL, on the iCampus digital environment), and partly during the seminar.
Faculty or entity in charge	GLOR

Programmes containing this learning unit (UE)				
Program title	Acronym	Credits	Prerequisite	Aims
Master [60] in Ancient Languages and Literatures : Oriental Studies	HORI2M1	5		
Master [120] in Ancient Languages and Literatures: Oriental Studies	HORI2M	5		