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Italian literature and civilization: the three crowns. From the Middle Ages to the early Renaissance

5.00 credits 22.5 n + 15.0 n Q1	5.00 credits	22.5 h + 15.0 h	Q1
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Teacher(s)	Cavagna Mattia ;					
Language :	Italian					
Place of the course	Louvain-la-Neuve					
Prerequisites	LFIAL1175, LROM1170 The prerequisite(s) for this Teaching Unit (Unité d'enseignement – UE) for the programmes/courses that offer this Teaching Ur are specified at the end of this sheet.					
Main themes	The course offers students an interdisciplinary presentation of Italian history and the history of Italian art in the Renaissance and the Baroque. From the linguistic point of view, students will gain deeper knowledge of the concepts of diachronic linguistics and broaden their own vocabulary.					
Learning outcomes						
Evaluation methods	During the first examination session, oral exam on the contents of the lessons and the exercice sessions. Linguistic tutoring will be evaluated at the end of the semester with a written exam. During the second examination session, oral examen on the contents of the lessons and the exercice sessions; written exam and the linguistic tutoring.					
Content	' Students will discover the literary and artistic masterpieces of the Middle Ages, of humanism and of the Early Renaissance, as well as the key historical moments of the period. The most important authors of these periods will be covered: Dante, Petrarch and Boccaccio. Artists such as Giotto, Masaccio, the Lorenzetti brothers and Antonella da Messina, ending with Raphael, will have an important place. Students will find out about the most important movements of this period, such as the Sicilian School, the Dolce Stilnovo and humanism. The growth of cities and the early forms of proto-democracy will also be presented as well as the most important political events that took place on the Italian peninsula. 'The practical sessionis will present elements of diachronic linguistics so as to understand the particular features of the volgari. Students will also make an effort to read scientific articles on diachronic linguistics. In the tutorial sessions, students will acquire a broader vocabulary.					
Bibliography	Syllabus L'étudiant est amené à utiliser les histoires de la littérature italienne et d'autres ouvrages de consultation qui se trouvent en bibliothèque et en ligne (Jstor, etc.). Histoire de la littérature italienne conseillée : Giulio FERRONI, Profilo storico della letteratura italiana, Einaudi Scuola, Torino, 1991, 2 vol. Giulio FERRONI, Storia della letteratura italiana, Mondadori Università, Milano, 2012, 4 vol.					
Faculty or entity in charge	ELAL					

Programmes containing this learning unit (UE)						
Program title	Acronym	Credits	Prerequisite	Learning outcomes		
Bachelor in Modern Languages and Literatures : General	ROGE1BA	5	LFIAL1175 AND LROM1170	٩		
Minor in Medieval Studies	MINMEDI	5		٩		
Minor in Italian Studies	MINITA	5		٩		
Bachelor in French and Romance Languages and Literatures : General	ROM1BA	5	LFIAL1175 AND LROM1170	٩		
Minor in Literary Studies	MINLITT	5		٩		