



5.00 credits

22.5 h

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**This biannual learning unit is not being organized in 2022-2023 !**

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| Teacher(s)                  | Lecuppre Gilles ;   |
| Language :                  | French  |
| Place of the course         | Louvain-la-Neuve  |
| Prerequisites               | /   |
| Main themes                 | /   |
| Learning outcomes           | <b>At the end of this learning unit, the student is able to :</b><br>1 /  |
| Evaluation methods          | The final written examination will consist in commenting on a medieval document - an exercise which requires both knowledge and a critical mind.  |
| Content                     | The course deals with the various players of power inside the Burgundian space, putting emphasis on the northern part of these territories ("pays de par-deçà").<br>Whereas historians are debating the reality of a state-building project by the Valois dukes, it is certainly important to investigate the motivations and means of the people who kept political life going in these principalities. Considering in the first place the values and convictions which were displayed by princes, we will study the tangible aspects of authority, through its transfer (duchess, governor, ambassador), its emotional and even passionate sides (councilors and protégés), its chaotic routine (officers) and the continuous dialogue with subjects (representative assemblies and rebellions). Far from a fruitless description of the mere institutions, we hope to present power as a living and incarnate topic. |
| Inline resources            | Powerpoint projections related to the course sessions, as well as all analysed documents, will be made available through the Moodle platform on the course site.  |
| Faculty or entity in charge | EHAC  |

| <b>Programmes containing this learning unit (UE)</b> |                         |         |              |   |
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| Program title  | Acronym                 | Credits | Prerequisite | Learning outcomes   |
| Master [120] in History                              | <a href="#">HIST2M</a>  | 5       |              |  |
| Master [60] in History                               | <a href="#">HIST2M1</a> | 5       |              |  |