

LING2M

2013 - 2014

Master [120] in Linguistics

At Louvain-la-Neuve - 120 credits - 2 years - Day schedule - In frenchDissertation/Graduation Project : **YES** - Internship : **YES**Activities in English: **optional** - Activities in other languages : **optional**Activities on other sites : **optional**Main study domain : **Langues et lettres**Organized by: **Faculté de philosophie, arts et lettres (FIAL)**Programme code: **ling2m** - European Qualifications Framework (EQF): 7**Table of contents**

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LING2M - Introduction

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LING2M - Admission

For the specific conditions of this program : refer to the French version

General and specific admission requirements for this program must be satisfied at the time of enrolling at the university..

LING2M - Information

Learning outcomes

Linguistics studies the way language works by looking at the different languages spoken by humankind. This is a rigorous discipline which is concerned with all aspects of language. The approach taken is a decidedly functionalist one. The principles and mechanisms of daily oral and written communication are studied.

Students will have acquired at the end of the course complementary skills in the main theoretical branches of linguistics (syntax, lexicology, semantics and pragmatics), the methodological tools to understand the complex nature of linguistics (linguistic statistics, qualitative and quantitative corpus analysis) and an opening towards related disciplines which allows the functioning of language to be put into context. Special attention is given to those subjects where UCL has a cutting edge in linguistics research : discourse analysis, corpus linguistics, sociolinguistics, prosody, contrastive linguistics, linguistic engineering.

The Masters in Linguistics provides many career opportunities. Research leading to a doctorate is an obvious one but the business world and public services also offer various career possibilities. Careers in communications, telecommunications, editing, dictionary compilation, information and communication technologies, where they would hold positions as language specialists. Masters in Linguistics may also teach at non-university third level institutions.

All students take advantage of a general training which combines theoretical and methodological courses which allows access to different specialities via the different focuses and options.

Three focuses are available:

- the "Research Focus" aims to give students an introduction to scientific research and build on the student's linguistic knowledge in at least one modern language as well as helping them develop specific knowledge of one or several fields of applied linguistics (learning foreign languages, psycholinguistics, computational linguistics, contrastive linguistics, etc.). Students will be given a substantial introduction to scientific communication (oral presentation techniques using powerpoint, posters, abstracts, writing scientific articles, etc.) and will discover how research is carried out by participating in conferences or spending time in a research centre (in Belgium or abroad). Such skills could also be used in a non-scientific context.

- the "Professional Focus in Natural Language Processing" aims to introduce students to the essential methods, technology and concepts related to natural language processing (processing intelligent texts, person-machine interfaces, automatic translation, documentary navigation, teaching materials, electronic dictionaries, etc.).

This is an interdisciplinary training which allows students to study indepth the principal difficulties in analyzing language while at the same time acquiring advanced skills in mastering computer tools and concepts. The objective is to train specialists (competent both in computers and linguistics) and to allow access to jobs in language industries or more generally in information and communication technologies (ICT). Regular seminars provide students with the opportunity to make contacts with the business world. A placement in a company or research centre forms part of the students' thesis providing them with the opportunity to develop some of their training in an industrial setting.

This progressive programme is accessible to students without prior computer knowledge (students who have already followed computer studies may follow a modified programme). This programme, unique in the French-speaking community in Belgium; is organized jointly with KULeuven, the Facultés polytechniques de Mons-Haineau (FPMS) and the Facultés universitaires Notre-Dame de la Paix (Namur).

- the "Professional Focus in Applied Linguistics for Language Learning" aims to give students an introduction to the tools, methodology and concepts vital to language learning (linguistic policy, learning psychology, language-specific methodology). Based on the students' profile, they will study certain aspect specific to the learning of French, Dutch, German or English. UCL is the only university in the French-speaking.

All relevant information concerning studies and research in linguistics at UCL may be found on the following site:

<https://www.uclouvain.be/ling>

Teaching method

The range of courses on offer is at once varied and specific: the programme offers the student a vast choice, between 3 focuses and 7 options: linguistique comparative et contrastive, linguistique appliquée à l'apprentissage des langues, linguistique computationnelle, discours et communication, psychologie et langage, linguistique d'une langue moderne (allemand, anglais, espagnol, français, néerlandais) and langage et informatique. Whilst the research focus aims to give the student solid theoretical training in linguistics to prepare him for possible doctoral research via various seminars, the professional focuses focus on teaching more closely rooted in the world of work through courses, seminars and internships.

Aids in the learning process are varied: CD-ROMs which contain the layout, exercises and linguistic data, case studies and group work on iCampus, databases (oral and written) to carry out individual work, work placements in companies or in research laboratories, seminars in small groups, etc. It is clear that this programme provides students with a wide choice in learning methods and permits personalized approaches.

Evaluation

The way the course is evaluated varies depending on what subject is being taught (see syllabus).

Depending on the size of the group, and the subject in question, the possibilities are as follows :

- "traditional" evaluation in the form of a final oral or written exam;
- "traditional" evaluation combined with exercises during the year;
- group work in the place of an exam;
- individual work in the place of an exam;
- internship, supervised and evaluated by a "maître de stage" and an academic.

Courses are evaluated according to current university regulations (see General Examination Regulations). Students may find further information on specific evaluation methods in the course descriptions.

Mobility and/or Internationalisation outlook

Interuniversity programme with KULeuven

The student can study a lot of courses and seminars at KULeuven ; an explicit agreement was reached on this issue with the Faculteit Letteren de la KULeuven.

Erasmus/Socrates stay

The Erasmus stay will preferably take place during the 2nd semester of the master 1 or during the 1st semester of the master 2. Specific bilateral agreements for the Master en linguistique have been reached with Paris 13, Grenoble 3 and Toulouse 2. Moreover, various agreements reached by the départements d'études germaniques (GERM) and d'études romanes (ROM) are open to students taking the Master in Linguistics.

Practical information for departing FIAL students : <https://www.uclouvain.be/17371.html>

For more information : [Fabienne de Voghel](#)

Practical information for arriving FIAL students : <https://www.uclouvain.be/280048.html>

For more information : [Cathy Testelmans](#)

Possible trainings at the end of the programme

Other accessible masters :

At the end of the master 120, each focus of the Master in Linguistics can be obtained in a new year of 30 credits only.

Accessible doctoral training :

Ecole Doctorale disciplinaire en Langues et Lettres.

LING2M - Contacts

Curriculum Managment

Entite de la structure FIAL

Sigle	FIAL	
Dénomination	Faculté de philosophie, arts et lettres	
Adresse	Place Blaise Pascal, 1 bte L3.03.11 1348 Louvain-la-Neuve Tél 010 47 48 50 - Fax 010 47 20 53	
Site web	https://www.uclouvain.be/fial	
Secteur	Secteur des sciences humaines (SSH)	
Faculté	Faculté de philosophie, arts et lettres (FIAL)	
Mandats	Philippe Hiligsmann Bérengère Bonduelle	Doyen Directeur administratif de faculté

Commissions de programme	Commission de programme en histoire de l'art et archéologie (ARKE) Ecole de philosophie (EFIL) Commission de programme en langues et lettres anciennes (GLOR) Commission de programme en histoire (HIST) Commission de programme en langues et lettres anciennes et modernes (LAFR) Commission de programme en linguistique (LING) Commission de programme en langues et lettres modernes (LMOD) Louvain School of Translation and Interpreting (anc. Marie Haps) (LSTI) Commission de programme en communication multilingue (MULT) Commission de programme en langues et lettres françaises et romanes (ROM) Commission de programme en sciences et technologies de l'information et de la communication (STIC) Commission de programme en arts du spectacle (THEA)
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Academic Supervisor : [Anne-Catherine Simon](#)

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Président : **Philippe Hambye**

Secrétaire : **Liesbeth Degand**

Usefull Contacts

Conseillère aux études : **Fiorella Flamini**

LING2M - Detailed programme

Programme structure

The programme is made up of :

core courses (60 credits);

one focus (30 credits);

and two options or optional courses (30 credits).

Changing from one focus to another is possible under certain conditions. The request is submitted for approval by the Faculty's academic secretary.

Whatever the focus or the options chosen, the programme of this master shall totalize 120 credits, spread over two years of studies each of 60 credits.

Core study

> [Core courses](#) [en-prog-2013-ling2m-lling200t.html]

Focuses

> [Professional focus:Natural Language Processing](#) [en-prog-2013-ling2m-lling202s]

> [Professional focus:Linguistics and its Applications for a Multilingual Society](#) [en-prog-2013-ling2m-lling203s]

Options courses

> [Option in Comparative and contrastive Linguistics](#) [en-prog-2013-ling2m-lling221o.html]

> [Option in Computational Linguistics](#) [en-prog-2013-ling2m-lling223o.html]

> [Option in Speech and Society](#) [en-prog-2013-ling2m-lling224o.html]

> [Option in Psychology and Language](#) [en-prog-2013-ling2m-lling225o.html]

> [Option in Modern Language Linguistics](#) [en-prog-2013-ling2m-lling226o.html]

> [Option in Language and Computer Science](#) [en-prog-2013-ling2m-lling227o.html]

> [Option course in the philosophy of language](#) [en-prog-2013-ling2m-lling229o.html]

> [Option course in applied linguistics for teaching and learning languages](#) [en-prog-2013-ling2m-lling230o.html]

> [Optional courses](#) [en-prog-2013-ling2m-lling280o.html]

Programme by subject

Core courses [60.0]

● Mandatory

△ Courses not taught during 2013-2014

⊕ Periodic courses taught during 2013-2014

⊗ Optional

⊖ Periodic courses not taught during 2013-2014

‡ Two years course

Click on the course title to see detailed informations (objectives, methods, evaluation...)

Year

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● *Dissertation and dissertation seminar (30 credits)*

⊗ **Dissertation and work placement in Natural Language Processing (30 credits)**

For students doing the professional focus in automatic language processing, the dissertation includes a laboratory research placement of a minimum of 7 weeks which is an essential part of the dissertation. For these students, the 30 credits awarded for the dissertation are spread as follows :

● LLING2891	Dissertation seminar	N.	5 Credits	X
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○ LLING2896	Dissertation	N.		15 Credits			x
○ LLING9996	Internship in Research group	N.	240h	10 Credits			x

⊗ Dissertation LAMUSO (30 credits)

For students taking the LAMUSO focus, the 30 credits linked specifically to the dissertation are divided as follows :

○ LLING2891	Dissertation seminar	N.		5 Credits			x
○ LLING2892	Dissertation	N.		25 Credits			x

○ Methodology course (10 credits)

○ LCLIG2240	Statistics for Linguistics	Yves Bestgen	30h+15h	5 Credits	2q		x
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○ One of the two following courses :

⊗ LCLIG2250	Methods of corpus linguistics	Cédric Fairon, Thomas François (compensates Anne- Catherine Simon), Anne-Catherine Simon	30h+10h	5 Credits	1q		x	x
⊗ LGERM2829	English Linguistics : Corpus Linguistics	Gaëtanelle Gilquin, Sylviane Granger (coord.)	22.5h	5 Credits	1q		x	x

○ Linguistics course (20 credits)

○ One of the two following courses :

⊗ LFLTR2270	General linguistics : semantics	Elisabeth Degand	22.5h	5 Credits	1q		x	x
⊗ LLING2036	English Linguistics : Grammar and Discourse (KUL - F0V14A)	N.	39h	5 Credits			x	x

○ One of the two following courses :

⊗ LROM2151	Text Linguistics	Louise-Amélie Cougnon (compensates Anne- Catherine Simon), Anne-Catherine Simon	22.5h	5 Credits	2q		x	x
⊗ LCLIG2230	Discourse Analysis	Elisabeth Degand	15h	5 Credits	2q		x	x

○ One of the two following courses :

⊗ LROM2171	Lexicology	Cédric Fairon	22.5h	5 Credits	2q		x	x
⊗ LGERM2823	English Linguistics: Lexicology	Sylviane Granger	22.5h	5 Credits	1q		x	x

○ One of the two following courses :

⊗ LCLIG2160	Sociolinguistics	Philippe Hambye	15h	5 Credits	1q	△	x	x
⊗ LGERM2723	English linguistics: sociolinguistics	Magali Paquot	15h	5 Credits	1q		x	x

⊗ English language course (maximum 3 credits)

Students whose level of English does not enable them to understand the articles they have to read for the course may add an interfaculty English course to their programme by request. This course is an integral part of their Master's programme which will total more than 120 credits.

⊗ LANGL1700	Advanced English	Susan Jackman (coord.), Jennifer Moreman (coord.)	30h	3 Credits			x	x
⊗ LANGL2600	Entry to professional life : English	Adrien Pham, Françoise Stas (coord.)	30h	3 Credits	1q		x	x

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⌘ LSIGN1101	French Belgian Sign Language (LSFB) - Breakthrough level (A1) -Complete beginners	Thierry Haesenne	60h	5 Credits	1+2q	x	x

List of focuses

The student chooses one of the following focuses :

- > Professional focus: Natural Language Processing [en-prog-2013-ling2m-lling202s]
- > Professional focus: Linguistics and its Applications for a Multilingual Society [en-prog-2013-ling2m-lling203s]

PROFESSIONAL FOCUS: NATURAL LANGUAGE PROCESSING [30.0]

Cette finalité spécialisée forme aux métiers de l'industrie de la langue (correction orthographique, reconnaissance de la parole, traduction automatique, gestion documentaire, etc.). Fortement tournée vers le monde de l'entreprise, cette finalité accueille des chercheurs invités (des mondes académique et professionnel) et offre un stage en entreprise.

Pour plus d'informations : <https://www.uclouvain.be/cental.html>

○ Mandatory

△ Courses not taught during 2013-2014

⊕ Periodic courses taught during 2013-2014

⊗ Optional

⊖ Periodic courses not taught during 2013-2014

⊞ Two years course

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○ Computer studies (10 credits)

○ LSINF1101	Introduction to programming	Olivier Bonaventure, Charles Pecheur	30h+30h	5 Credits	1q	x	x
○ LSINF1103	Algorithmics	Pierre Dupont	30h+30h	5 Credits	2q	x	x

○ Automatic Language Processing (20 credits)

○ LFLTR2620	Natural language processing	Cédric Fairon	22.5h	5 Credits	1q	x	
○ LFLTR2630	Introduction to automatic text processing	Cédric Fairon	22.5h	5 Credits	2q	x	x
○ LCLIG2220	Overview of applications in NLP	Cédric Fairon	15h	5 Credits	1+2q		x
○ LCLIG2260	Introduction to speech processing	Thierry Dutoit	15h	5 Credits	1q		x

PROFESSIONAL FOCUS: LINGUISTICS AND ITS APPLICATIONS FOR A MULTILINGUAL SOCIETY [30.0]

The master degree specialisation "Linguistics and its Applications for a Multilingual Society" (LAMUSO) focuses on usage-based models and methods in language research and their applications, especially in multilingual contexts. It provides a combination of fundamental courses in various domains of linguistics and more practice-oriented modules related to several fields of activity. One of the main features of the programme is its strong multilingual component. It can be followed entirely in English or in a combination of languages (Dutch, English, French, German), and students have access to advanced descriptive courses of these languages. The aim of the LAMUSO programme is to satisfy the growing demand from both public and private sectors for professionals combining excellent language skills in two or more languages and solid linguistic theory and methodology. Hence, the programme trains students to become professionals in fields such as language teaching, language curriculum design, language syllabus design, language testing, language policy, language technologies, etc. Access to high-level training in scientific research is also provided thanks to the strong collaboration between the linguistics programme and several top research centres hosted by the research [Institute for Language and Communication](#).

Students enrolled in the master degree specialization LAMUSO are encouraged to apply for an Erasmus stay during their second year, in particular in one of the following universities:

- [Universiteit Leiden](#) (Leiden University Centre for Linguistics) (1 year)
- [University of Oslo](#) (Department of European Languages (ILOS)) (1 or 2 semesters)
- [Friedrich-Alexander-University Erlangen-Nürnberg](#) (Departments of English and German) (1 or 2 semesters)

○ Mandatory

△ Courses not taught during 2013-2014

⊕ Periodic courses taught during 2013-2014

⊗ Optional

⊖ Periodic courses not taught during 2013-2014

⊞ Two years course

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o Academic writing skills (5 credits)

Students take 5 credits in a language, chosen on the basis of their previous courses : places on the courses in academic writing in a foreign language (German, English, French or Dutch) is reserved for students who had this language as their major subject at Bachelor's level or who can prove they have the required level by having passed an official examination (TOEFL, CNAVT, TestDaF, etc.). For non-Francophone students who wish to take LFRAN1405, there is a test of their level at the beginning

⊗ Students at level B2+ in English

○ LGERM2720	Interactive Competence in English : English for academic purposes	Fanny Meunier	15h+15h	5 Credits	1+2q	x	x
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⊗ Students learning French

○ LFRAN1405	French ⊘ Upper Intermediate Level (B2) ⊘ Le français, langue universitaire	Emmanuelle Rassart	30h	5 Credits	2q	x	x
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⊗ Francophone students (native)

○ LCLIG2122	Scientific Writing	N.	7.5h	5 Credits	1+2q △	x	x
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⊗ Students at level C1 in Dutch

○ LGERM2730	Interactive Competence in Dutch : Academic Dutch	Philippe Hiligsmann	15h+15h	5 Credits	1+2q	x	x
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⊗ Students at level B2+ in German

○ LGERM2710	Interactive Competence in German : Academic German	Henri Bouillon	15h+15h	5 Credits	1+2q	x	x
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o Stage (10 credits)

○ LLING9995	Work placement in a research laboratory or a company <i>The language used during the internship and in the internship report will depend on where the internship takes place. The choice of language must be approved by the academic coordinator.</i>	N.	240h	10 Credits		x	x
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o Linguistic courses (15 credits)

15 credits chosen from the following courses :

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⌘ English

⌘ LGERM2725	English linguistics: Second Language Acquisition	Sylviane Granger, Fanny Meunier	30h	5 Credits	1q ⊕	x	x
⌘ LGERM2871	Research seminar in English linguistics: Corpora and applied linguistics	Sylviane Granger, Magali Paquot	15h	10 Credits	2q	x	x

⌘ French

⌘ LCLIG2210	Phonology and Prosody	Anne-Catherine Simon	30h	5 Credits	2q	x	x
⌘ LROM2155	Seminar : linguistics	Philippe Hambye	15h	10 Credits	1q Δ	x	x

⌘ Dutch

⌘ LGERM2835	Dutch linguistics: morphosyntactic, phonetic and lexical aspects of Dutch as a foreign language	Philippe Hiligsmann	15h	5 Credits	1q	x	x
⌘ LGERM2881	Research Seminar Dutch Linguistics	Elisabeth Degand, Philippe Hiligsmann	15h	10 Credits	2q	x	x

⌘ German

⌘ LGERM2711	German Linguistics: Syntax and Morphology of the German Verb	Joachim Sabel	22.5h	5 Credits	1q	x	x
⌘ LGERM2861	Research Seminar in German Linguistics	Joachim Sabel	15h	10 Credits	2q	x	x

Options [30.0]

Students must choose :

- either an option course worth 15 credits and 15 credits of optional courses from the other option courses;
- or two options of a minimum of 15 credits;
- or 30 credits worth of courses in one of the following option courses : "Linguistics applied to language learning", "Discourse and society", "Linguistics of a modern language" or "Language and computing".

Whatever the focus chosen, students are free to complete their programme with 30 credits, including a minimum of an option course of 15 credits.

- > Option in Comparative and contrastive Linguistics [en-prog-2013-ling2m-lling221o]
- > Option in Computational Linguistics [en-prog-2013-ling2m-lling223o]
- > Option in Speech and Society [en-prog-2013-ling2m-lling224o]
- > Option in Psychology and Language [en-prog-2013-ling2m-lling225o]
- > Option in Modern Language Linguistics [en-prog-2013-ling2m-lling226o]
- > Option in Language and Computer Science [en-prog-2013-ling2m-lling227o]
- > Option course in the philosophy of language [en-prog-2013-ling2m-lling229o]
- > Option course in applied linguistics for teaching and learning languages [en-prog-2013-ling2m-lling230o]
- > Optional courses [en-prog-2013-ling2m-lling280o]

OPTION IN COMPARATIVE AND CONTRASTIVE LINGUISTICS [15.0]

Cette option offre une panoplie de cours introduisant à la typologie linguistique, la grammaire comparée et la linguistique contrastive entre au moins deux langues. Il peut suivre certains cours à la [KULeuven](#) .

- Mandatory
- △ Courses not taught during 2013-2014
- ⊕ Periodic courses taught during 2013-2014
- ⊗ Optional
- ⊖ Periodic courses not taught during 2013-2014
- ‡ Two years course

Click on the course title to see detailed informations (objectives, methods, evaluation...)

Students must choose 15 credits from the following courses including at least one course in the category of "Comparative Grammar".

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o Comparative grammar

5 credits minimum :

⊗ LGERM2719	Contrastive linguistics	Elisabeth Degand	15h	5 Credits	2q	x	x
⊗ LGLOR2801	Semitic Comparative Linguistics	Jean-Claude Haelewyck	30h	5 Credits	2q ⊕	x	x
⊗ LGLOR2802	Indo-European Comparative Linguistics	Lambert Isebaert	30h	5 Credits	1+2q ⊖	x	x
⊗ LLING2021	Taaltypologie en -universalia (KUL - F0VH8AN)	N.	26h	5 Credits		x	x
⊗ LROM2472	Regional Walloon Languages (including onomastics)	Michel Francard	15h	5 Credits	2q ⊕	x	x

⊗ Optional activities

⊗ LGERM2715	German linguistics : Contrastive and typological analysis	Joachim Sabel	15h	5 Credits	1q	x	x
⊗ LROM2200	History of the French language	Michel Francard	22.5h	5 Credits	1q ⊕	x	x
⊗ LLING2022	Vergelijkende taalkunde (KUL - F0VI0A)	N.	26h	5 Credits		x	x

OPTION IN COMPUTATIONAL LINGUISTICS

Through a series of introductory courses, this option course offers an overview of automatic language processing.

● Mandatory

△ Courses not taught during 2013-2014

⊕ Periodic courses taught during 2013-2014

⊗ Optional

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Option course reserved for students taking the research focus LAMUSO. 15 to 30 credits from :

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⊗ LCLIG2140	Computational Linguistics Seminar	Cédric Fairon	30h	5 Credits	1q ⊕	x	x	
⊗ LCLIG2220	Overview of applications in NLP	Cédric Fairon	15h	5 Credits	1+2q	x	x	
⊗ LLING2001	Text based information retrieval (KUL - H02C8A)	N.	39.5h	5 Credits		x	x	
⊗ LLING2002	Natural language Processing (KUL - H02B1A)	N.	32.5h	5 Credits		x	x	
⊗ LLING2003	Linguistic theories and artificial intelligence (KUL - H02B6A)	N.	32.5h	5 Credits		x	x	
⊗ LFLTR2620	Natural language processing	Cédric Fairon	22.5h	5 Credits	1q	x	x	
⊗ LFLTR2630	Introduction to automatic text processing	Cédric Fairon	22.5h	5 Credits	2q	x	x	

OPTION IN SPEECH AND SOCIETY

Cette option emprunte une série de cours à l'Ecole de communication de la Faculté des sciences économiques, sociales et politiques, et comporte également des cours d'analyse du discours et de sociolinguistique.

● Mandatory

△ Courses not taught during 2013-2014

⊕ Periodic courses taught during 2013-2014

⊗ Optional

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⊗ LCOMU2223	Langage sonore	Thierry De Smedt	22.5h	5 Credits		x	x
⊗ LCOMU2250	Mediatic Narration	Philippe Marion	30h	5 Credits		x	x
⊗ LCOMU2270	COGNITIVE SEMIOLOGY	Pierre Fastrez	30h	5 Credits		x	x
⊗ LCOMU2600	Scientific popularisation	Philippe Verhaegen	30h	5 Credits		x	x
⊗ LCOMU2605	Analysis of cultural and mediatic productions	Sarah Sepulchre	30h	5 Credits		x	x
⊗ LCOMU2607	Analysis of documentary productions	Marc Lits	30h	5 Credits		x	x
⊗ LROM2180	Geolinguistic varieties of French	Philippe Hambye	22.5h	5 Credits	1q ⊙	x	x
⊗ LROM2463	French for specific purposes	Caroline Scheepers	22.5h	5 Credits	2q ⊕	x	x
⊗ LGERM2821	English Linguistics: Varieties of English	Gaëtanelle Gilquin	15h	5 Credits	2q	x	x

OPTION IN PSYCHOLOGY AND LANGUAGE [15.0]

Cette option offre une introduction aux processus cognitifs à l'œuvre dans le traitement de la langue, en particulier du langage oral. Ces cours sont empruntés à la Faculté de psychologie.

● Mandatory

△ Courses not taught during 2013-2014

⊕ Periodic courses taught during 2013-2014

⊗ Optional

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						1	2
● LLOGO1312	Oral language : basic processes	Arnaud Szmalec	30h	3 Credits	1q	x	x
● LLOGO1313	Oral language : development	Arnaud Szmalec	30h	3 Credits	2q	x	x
● LLOGO1341	Oral language : disorders and treatment	Bernadette Pierart	60h	5 Credits	2q	x	x
● LPSY1335	Clinical neuropsychology: instrumental and language disorders	Aghesa Pillon, Dana Samson	30h	4 Credits	1q	x	x

OPTION IN MODERN LANGUAGE LINGUISTICS

Cette option rassemble des cours de linguistique de cinq langues différentes : le français, le néerlandais, l'anglais, l'allemand et l'espagnol. Un [niveau B2](#) est requis pour pouvoir suivre ces cours. Les cours sont donnés dans la langue concernée. L'étudiant choisit maximum deux langues différentes et minimum 10 crédits par langue. Plusieurs cours peuvent être suivis à la KULeuven.

● Mandatory

△ Courses not taught during 2013-2014

⊕ Periodic courses taught during 2013-2014

⊗ Optional

⊖ Periodic courses not taught during 2013-2014

‡ Two years course

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15 to 30 credits from :

Year

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⊗ French linguistics

Course ID	Course Title	Instructor	Hours	Credits	Year 1	Year 2
⊗ LROM2200	History of the French language	Michel Francard	22.5h	5 Credits	1q ⊕	x x
⊗ LROM2318	Seminar on the research methodology of French as a first language	Jean-Louis Dufays	15h	5 Credits	2q	x x
⊗ LCLIG2210	Phonology and Prosody	Anne-Catherine Simon	30h	5 Credits	2q	x x

⊗ English linguistics

Course ID	Course Title	Instructor	Hours	Credits	Year 1	Year 2
⊗ LGERM2725	English linguistics: Second Language Acquisition	Sylviane Granger, Fanny Meunier	30h	5 Credits	1q ⊕	x x
⊗ LGERM2821	English Linguistics: Varieties of English	Gaëtanelle Gilquin	15h	5 Credits	2q	x x
⊗ LLING2035	English Linguistics: Grammar and Diachrony (KUL - F0VI3A)	N.	39h	5 Credits		x x
⊗ LLING2037	English Linguistics : Selected Topics (KUL - F0VI5A)	N.	39h	5 Credits		x x

⊗ Dutch linguistics

Course ID	Course Title	Instructor	Hours	Credits	Year 1	Year 2
⊗ LGERM2731	Dutch linguistics : current trends	Philippe Hiligsmann, Kristel Van Goethem	22.5h	5 Credits	2q	x x
⊗ LGERM2733	Dutch linguistics: phonetics, phonology, norms and attitudes	Philippe Hiligsmann, Laurent Rasier (compensates Philippe Hiligsmann)	30h	5 Credits	2q ⊕	x x
⊗ LGERM2737	Dutch linguistics: lexical metaphors	Pierre Godin	15h	5 Credits	2q ⊕	x x
⊗ LGERM2835	Dutch linguistics: morphosyntactic, phonetic and lexical aspects of Dutch as a foreign language	Philippe Hiligsmann	15h	5 Credits	1q	x x
⊗ LGERM2837	Dutch linguistics: Syntactic, semantic and functional aspects of word order	Pierre Godin	15h	5 Credits	2q ⊖	x x
⊗ LLING2038	Nederlandse taalkunde : verandering en variatie (KUL - F0VJ1A)	N.	39h	5 Credits		x x
⊗ LLING2039	Nederlandse taalkunde: syntaxis (KUL - F0VJ2A)	N.	39h	5 Credits		x x

⊗ German linguistics

Course ID	Course Title	Instructor	Hours	Credits	Year 1	Year 2
⊗ LGERM2711	German Linguistics: Syntax and Morphology of the German Verb	Joachim Sabel	22.5h	5 Credits	1q	x x
⊗ LGERM2713	German linguistics: specific syntactic and semantic aspects	Joachim Sabel	30h	5 Credits	1q ⊕	x x
⊗ LGERM2715	German linguistics : Contrastive and typological analysis	Joachim Sabel	15h	5 Credits	1q	x x
⊗ LGERM2815	German Linguistics: Linguistic Pragmatics	Joachim Sabel	15h	5 Credits	1q	x x
⊗ LLING2040	Duitse taalkunde : theorie en descriptie (KUL - F0VI1A)	N.	39h	5 Credits		x x
⊗ LLING2041	Duitse taalkunde: verandering en variatie (KUL - F0VI2A)	N.	39h	5 Credits		x x
⊗ LLING2042	Duitse taalkunde : capita selecta (KUL - F4FC3A)	N.	30h+15h	5 Credits		x x

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⌘ Spanish linguistics

⌘ LROM2517	Seminar: Spanish Linguistics	Barbara De Cock	15h	5 Credits	2q ⊕	x	x
⌘ LROM2843	Issues in Spanish Linguistics	Barbara De Cock	30h	5 Credits	2q ⊖	x	x
⌘ LLING2043	Spaanse taalkunde : topics in hedendaagse grammatica (KUL - F0VJ4A)	N.	39h	5 Credits		x	x
⌘ LLING2044	Spaanse taalkunde : topics in discoursanalyse (KUL - F0VJ5A)	N.	39h	5 Credits		x	x
⌘ LLING2045	Spaanse taalkunde : capita selecta (KUL - F4FC5A)	N.	30h+15h	5 Credits		x	x

OPTION IN LANGUAGE AND COMPUTER SCIENCE

Cette option rassemble des cours d'algorithmique, de conception de bases de données, de programmation, etc. Plusieurs cours peuvent être suivis aux [FUNDP](#) et à la [KULeuven](#).

● Mandatory

△ Courses not taught during 2013-2014

⊕ Periodic courses taught during 2013-2014

⊗ Optional

⊙ Periodic courses not taught during 2013-2014

‡ Two years course

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Option course reserved for students taking the professional focus in automatic language processing. 15 to 30 credits from :

Year

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⊗ Prerequisite in computing

These courses are recommended for students who have not undergone equivalent training.

De 5 à 15 crédits parmi

⊗ LINGE1322	Computer science: Analysis and Design of Information Systems	Jean Vanderdonckt	30h+15h	5 Credits	2q	X	
⊗ LSINF1121	Algorithmics and data structures <i>Prerequisite : LSINF1103</i>	Pierre Dupont	30h+30h	5 Credits	1q	X	X
⊗ LSINF1225	Object-oriented design and data management <i>Prerequisites : LSINF1101 and LSINF1103</i>	Kim Mens	30h+30h	5 Credits	2q	X	X

⊗ Optional activities

⊗ LSTAT2350	Data Mining	Libei Chen	15h+15h	5 Credits	2q	X	X
⊗ LCLIG2140	Computational Linguistics Seminar	Cédric Fairon	30h	5 Credits	1q ⊕	X	X
⊗ LLING2001	Text based information retrieval (KUL - H02C8A)	N.	39.5h	5 Credits		X	X
⊗ LLING2002	Natural language Processing (KUL - H02B1A)	N.	32.5h	5 Credits		X	X
⊗ LLING2003	Linguistic theories and artificial intelligence (KUL - H02B6A)	N.	32.5h	5 Credits		X	X
⊗ LLING2018	Language Engineering Applications (KUL - H02D0A)	N.	34.5h	5 Credits		X	X
⊗ LLING2019	Foundations of Formal Theories of language (KUL - H02D4A)	N.	26h	5 Credits		X	X
⊗ LLING2030	Modélisation pour l'informatique (FUNDP - INFOB25)	N.	20h+10h	3 Credits		X	X
⊗ LLING2031	Introduction aux méthodes et concepts essentiels d'ingénierie linguistique (FUNDP - INFO2327)	N.	30h	5 Credits		X	X
⊗ LLSMF2014	IT management (in French)	Manuel Kolp	30h	5 Credits	2q	X	X
⊗ LINGI2263	Computational Linguistics <i>Prerequisite : LINGI2132</i>	Pierre Dupont, Cédric Fairon	30h+15h	5 Credits	2q	X	X
⊗ LSINF1212	Computer science deepening project	Sebastian Andres Gonzalez Montesinos (compensates Marco Saerens), Marco Saerens	7.5h+45h	5 Credits	2q	X	X
⊗ LSINF1252	Computer Systems 1 <i>Prerequisite : LSINF1103</i>	Olivier Bonaventure	30h+30h	5 Credits	2q	X	X
⊗ LSINF1311	Human-computer interaction	Jean Vanderdonckt	30h+15h	5 Credits	1q	X	X
⊗ LSINF1312	Project management in computer science	Manuel Kolp	30h+15h	5 Credits	1q	X	X

OPTION COURSE IN THE PHILOSOPHY OF LANGUAGE [15.0]

● Mandatory

△ Courses not taught during 2013-2014

⊕ Periodic courses taught during 2013-2014

⊗ Optional

⊖ Periodic courses not taught during 2013-2014

‡ Two years course

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						Year	
						1	2
● LFILO1355	Seminar on analytical philosophy texts	Alexandre Guay	30h	5 Credits	2q	x	x
● LFILO2210	Formalized logic A	N.	30h	5 Credits	2q △ ⊕	x	x
● LFILO2211	Formalized logic B	N.	30h	5 Credits	2q ⊖	x	x

OPTION COURSE IN APPLIED LINGUISTICS FOR TEACHING AND LEARNING LANGUAGES

● Mandatory

△ Courses not taught during 2013-2014

⊕ Periodic courses taught during 2013-2014

⊗ Optional

⊖ Periodic courses not taught during 2013-2014

‡ Two years course

Click on the course title to see detailed informations (objectives, methods, evaluation...)

De 15 à 30 credits parmi

						Year	
						1	2
⊗ LPSYM2431	Learning and learning troubles	Catherine Cuche (compensates Jacques Grégoire), Laetitia Desmet (compensates Jacques Grégoire), Jacques Grégoire, Véronique Leroy (compensates Jacques Grégoire)	45h+15h	5 Credits	2q	x	x
⊗ LGERM2725	English linguistics: Second Language Acquisition	Sylviane Granger, Fanny Meunier	30h	5 Credits	1q ⊕	x	x
⊗ LGERM2813	German linguistics: cognitive theories of language and second language acquisition	Joachim Sabel	30h	5 Credits	1q ⊖	x	x
⊗ LGERM2835	Dutch linguistics: morphosyntactic, phonetic and lexical aspects of Dutch as a foreign language	Philippe Hiligsmann	15h	5 Credits	1q	x	x
⊗ LGERM2911	Seminar : German Teaching Methodology	Dany Etienne	15h	5 Credits	1q ⊖	x	x
⊗ LGERM2931	Seminar : Dutch Teaching Methodology	N.	15h	5 Credits	2q ⊖	x	x
⊗ LROM2610	Analysis of linguistic phenomena and the teaching of French	Philippe Hambye	22.5h	5 Credits	2q ⊖	x	x
⊗ LROM2620	Acquisition of a second or foreign language: theory and applications	Silvia Lucchini	22.5h	5 Credits	1q	x	x
⊗ LROM2630	Corrective and contrastive phonetics in French	Silvia Lucchini	22.5h	5 Credits	2q	x	x
⊗ LROM2650	Training in the teaching of French as a mother tongue, second or foreign language	Silvia Lucchini	15h	5 Credits	1q ⊖	x	x
⊗ LROM2930	Study of teaching language methods	Silvia Lucchini	15h	5 Credits	1q	x	x

● **LROM2930 must be linked to a course in a foreign language for beginners at the Language Institute (ILV - Institut des langues vivantes)**

To be chosen from the following list (minimum 5 credits) :

⊗ LGREC1100	Greek - Elementary level	Panagiotis Chrysanthopou	90h	10 Credits	1+2q	x	x
⊗ LARAB1100	Modern Arabic: elementary level I	Pierre Hanjoul	30h	5 Credits	1q	x	x
⊗ LTURC1100	Turkish - Elementary level	Saime Köylü	90h	10 Credits	1+2q	x	x
⊗ LJAPO1100	Japanese - Beginner level	Kanako Goto	60h	5 Credits	1+2q	x	x

						Year	
						1	2
⌘ LSLOV1100	SLOVENE - Elementary level	Marjeta Klinar	90h	10 Credits	1+2q	x	x
⌘ LCHIN1100	Modern Chinese - Elementary level I	Xiaofei Du	120h	10 Credits	1+2q	x	x

OPTIONAL COURSES [15.0]

To be chosen from the Faculty or University programmes, with the agreement of the chair of the programme committee and the secretary of the examining board. Students must check with the lecturer in charge that they may follow the course(s) in question. If certain courses are available in the core subjects or in another option course, the credits may not exceed 6. No courses may be taken from the professional focuses.

