

Course Specifications

Valid as from the academic year 2017-2018

Historical Anthropology: Middle Ages and Early Modern Period (A002713)

Course size (nominal values; actual values may depend on programme)

Credits 5.0 Study time 150 h Contact hrs 40.0 h

Course offerings and teaching methods in academic year 2018-2019

B (semester 2)	Dutch	seminar	20.0 h
		lecture	5.0 h

Lecturers in academic year 2018-2019

Van Bruaene, Anne-Laure	LW03	lecturer-in-charge
Deploige, Jeroen	LW03	co-lecturer

Offered in the following programmes in 2018-2019

	crdts	offering
Master of Arts in Historical Linguistics and Literature	5	B
Master of Arts in Art History, Musicology and Theatre Studies	5	B
Master of Arts in History	5	B

Teaching languages

Dutch

Keywords

Historical anthropology

Position of the course

Acquire insight into the application of (cultural) anthropological research methods in historical research on the Middle Ages and Early Modern Times, and in the specificity of historical anthropology as developed by historians since the late 1980s.

Contents

Seminars in which case studies are used to discuss a number of important themes from historical anthropology, with emphasis on the confrontation of interdisciplinary, theoretical literature and empirical research.

Initial competences

Students have a good basic knowledge of Western European history, acquired through their Bachelor studies.

Final competences

- 1 Have advanced insight into the use of the historical terminological framework for analyzing and evaluating new and complex ideas.
- 2 Have insights into the history Belgium and/or Europe and/or the world that can be used for the critical analysis of complex problems and the formulation of possible research questions.
- 3 Have general insight into the field's literature, and the ability to use sources in an original and creative manner.

Conditions for credit contract

Access to this course unit via a credit contract is determined after successful competences assessment

Conditions for exam contract

This course unit cannot be taken via an exam contract

Teaching methods

Lecture, seminar

Extra information on the teaching methods

- Lectures
- Seminar: discussions on specific cases
- Supervised assignments: Short preparatory papers
- Excursion to exhibition or museum, or seminar on historical site

Learning materials and price

Reader (downloadable from Minerva)

References

Course content-related study coaching

Via Minerva, during the lecturer's office hours, feedback after the exam

Evaluation methods

end-of-term evaluation and continuous assessment

Examination methods in case of periodic evaluation during the first examination period

Oral examination

Examination methods in case of periodic evaluation during the second examination period

Oral examination

Examination methods in case of permanent evaluation

Participation, assignment

Possibilities of retake in case of permanent evaluation

examination during the second examination period is possible

Extra information on the examination methods

Non-periodical evaluation: occasional preparations of the course (max. 1 A4, on the basis of documents which are distributed in advance)

Periodical evaluation: 2 open questions and 2 details

Calculation of the examination mark

Weekly papers: 20 %

Exam: 80 %

Facilities for Working Students

Facilities:

- 1 Student attendance during educational activities is required
- 2 Possible rescheduling of the examination to a different time in the same academic year
- 3 Feedback can be given during an appointment during and after office hours

Extra information:

For more information concerning flexible learning: contact the monitoring service of the faculty of Arts and philosophy