Course Specifications

Due to Covid 19, the education and evaluation methods may vary from the information displayed in the schedules and course details. Any changes will be communicated on Ufora.

Course size (nominal values; actual values may depend on programme)
- Credits: 5.0
- Study time: 150 h
- Contact hrs: 45.0 h

Course offerings and teaching methods in academic year 2020-2021
- A (semester 2)
  - Dutch, English
  - Gent
  - Lecture: 10.0 h
  - Excursion: 5.0 h
  - Self-reliant study activities: 10.0 h
  - Online lecture: 10.0 h

Lecturers in academic year 2020-2021
- Limberger, Michael
  - LW03
  - Lecturer-in-charge

Offered in the following programmes in 2020-2021
- Master of Science in Teaching in Arts and Humanities (main subject History)
  - 5 crds
  - A offering
- Master of Arts in History
  - 5 crds
  - A offering
- Exchange Programme History
  - 5 crds
  - A offering

Teaching languages
- Dutch, English

Keywords
- Maritime history, medieval history, early modern history, North Sea, Baltic Sea, Mediterranean, Indian ocean, Atlantic history

Position of the course
- Specialized course with the focus on the maritime history of the medieval and early modern period

Contents
- The maritime history of the medieval and early modern period is studied from a perspective of the Sea as a historical space. The course provides a comparative study of the history of different world seas.

Initial competences
- Good knowledge of the socio-economic, political and cultural history (see Bachelor degree in history).

Final competences
1. To have knowledge of the general lines of maritime history.
2. To be able to report orally and in written form on the course and the class content.
3. To be able to retrieve specialized information related to the history of specific maritime area's.
4. To display a critical reflection on the great lines of maritime history

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
- Excursion, lecture, self-reliant study activities, online lecture

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Extra information on the teaching methods

Taught course, Individual work

Besides taught courses the students contribute to the comparative study by collecting specific information on a particular research area and discuss their results in group.

Excursion to the port of Antwerp

Due to COVID-19 changes to your teaching methods can be implemented in case this is necessary.

Learning materials and price

Illustrations and maps, as well as articles are available via Ufora.

References

Course content-related study coaching

See office hours of the lecturer

Evaluation methods

end-of-term evaluation and continuous assessment

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

Written examination

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

Written examination

Examination methods in case of permanent evaluation

Participation, report

Possibilities of retake in case of permanent evaluation

examination during the second examination period is possible in modified form

Extra information on the examination methods

Students collect information concerning a particular research area and discuss their findings with the group.

Calculation of the examination mark

80% final exam, 20% paper and participation

Facilities for Working Students

Facilities:

1 Possible exemption from educational activities requiring student attendance
2 Possible rescheduling of the examination to a different time in the same academic year
3 Feedback can be given by email, telephone or during an appointment during office hours

Extra information:

Student attendance during the excursion is required

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

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