

		Foundations of National and Transnational Studies: History, Theory, Methods				Research Module I		
Semester 1 30 LP ¹	Nation, nationalism, transnationalism: Historical and theoretical foundations 7 LP (Seminar)	Language in context 6 LP (Seminar)	Text, book and culture 2 LP (Lecture course)	Advanced language course 3 LP (Practical skills course)	Hotspots: Work in progress in literature, culture and language 3 LP (Lecture course)	Postgraduate class 9 LP (Colloquium) (of which: 5 LP in semester 1, 4 LP in semester 2)	Independent study 8 LP (of which: 4 LP in semester 1, 4 LP in semester 2)	
Major assignments	Written exam							
Semester 2 30 LP	Nationalism, Transnationalism, Transculturalism: Literary, Cultural and Linguistic Manifestations			Minorities and Migration				
	(Literary/Cultural Studies OR Linguistics OR Book Studies) 6 LP (Seminar)	Literary/Cultural Studies OR Linguistics 2 LP (Lecture course)	Supplementary class accompanying the lecture course 2 LP (Practical skills course)	(Literary/Cultural Studies OR Linguistics) 6 LP (Seminar)	(Literary/Cultural Studies OR Linguistics) 6 LP (Seminar)			
Major assignments	Research paper		(in-class or web) presentation			Academic portfolio		
Semester 3 30 LP	Culture Contact, Culture Conflict		External Module		Work Experience	Research Module II		
	(Literary/Cultural Studies OR Linguistics OR Book Studies) 6 LP (Seminar)	(Literary/Cultural Studies OR Linguistics) 2 LP (Lecture course)	10 LP		(Work experience outside university OR academic work experience) 6 LP	Postgraduate class 4 LP (Colloquium) (of which: 2 LP in semester 3, 2 LP in semester 4)	Independent study 5 LP (of which: 4 LP in semester 3, 1 LP in semester 4)	
Major assignments	Research paper		Different types of possible assignments, depending on courses chosen		Portfolio			
Semester 4 30 LP	Master Thesis (Master thesis 20 LP + disputatio 7 LP)					Academic portfolio		

¹ There will also be an orientation week at the beginning of semester 1. However, there will be no separate credits for the orientation week.