

# **Programme Specification (Undergraduate)**

For students entering in 2018/19

# Date amended: December 2018

# 1. Programme Title(s) and UCAS code(s):

BA Modern Language with Management (R9NF)

# 2. Awarding body or institution:

University of Leicester

# 3. a) Mode of study: Full-Time

b) Type of study: Campus based

# 4. Registration periods:

The normal period of registration is four years, including a full academic session abroad in the third year (three years, in exceptional circumstances, without year abroad). The maximum period of registration is six years.

# 5. Typical entry requirements:

#### A Level:

ABB at A2 level including French/Italian/Spanish (depending on programme of study). 128 points from 3 A levels with a minimum of 40 points in French/Italian/Spanish. General Studies accepted as one of the three A2 levels.

#### International Baccalaureate:

Pass diploma with 30 points, including 6 in Higher Level English and evidence of capacity in a foreign language, usually at A2 grade B or IB grade 6 higher level.

#### European Baccalaureate:

Pass with 77% overall, including French/Italian/Spanish at grade 7 (or equivalent).

# Access to HE Courses:

Pass relevant Access to Higher Education course with 45 level 3 credits including 30 at distinction. Also evidence of A2 level capacity in a foreign language.

Other national and international qualifications welcomed.

Mature students welcomed. Alternative qualifications considered for mature students.

### 6. Accreditation of Prior Learning:

APL will not be accepted for exemptions from individual modules, however may be considered for direct entry to year 2, on a case by case and subject to the general provisions of the University APL policy.

# 7. Programme aims:

The programme aims to:

- To equip all students with a high degree of proficiency, both written and spoken, in their chosen European languages, and to provide them with a good understanding of the target countries, and of other countries where those languages may be used, through a programme of progressive tuition based on authentic documentation, texts and film in those languages, and exposure to native speakers.
- To develop a critical understanding of modern management analysis, ideas and practices and their relevance to a variety of institutional and organisational contexts; to develop quantitative,

- communications and information technology skills, and the ability to apply these in organisational contexts.
- To equip students with subject-specific and transferable skills in preparation for employment in a
  wide area, particularly in international management (including marketing, human resource
  management, finance and accountancy) in the private and public sectors and voluntary
  organizations; also in other fields where high-level modern language skills can be deployed, such as
  teaching, journalism, publishing, translating, commerce, travel and tourism etc.
- To develop critical awareness of key ideas and concepts.
- To stimulate problem-solving skills by promoting the ability to question, and to discuss and develop coherent arguments.
- To provide stimuli and the skills of research, analysis and presentation necessary for further study at postgraduate level where appropriate.
- To develop the skills required for autonomous learning.

# 8. Reference points used to inform the programme specification:

- QAA Benchmark Statement for Languages and Related Studies
   http://www.qaa.ac.uk/en/Publications/Documents/SBS-Languages-Cultures-and-Societies-15.pdf
- QAA benchmarking statement for Business and Management (General)
   <a href="http://www.qaa.ac.uk/Publications/InformationAndGuidance/Documents/GeneralBusinessManagement.pdf">http://www.qaa.ac.uk/Publications/InformationAndGuidance/Documents/GeneralBusinessManagement.pdf</a>
- QAA Framework for Higher Education Qualifications in England, Wales and Northern Ireland
- University of Leicester Learning Strategy http://www2.le.ac.uk/offices/sas2/quality/learnteach
- University of Leicester Employability strategy
- University of Leicester Periodic Developmental Review (2014)
- National Student Survey
- First Destinations Data
- Graduate survey
- External examiners' reports
- Annual Development Review

# 9. Programme Outcomes:

Intended Learning Outcomes	Teaching and Learning Methods	How Demonstrated?		
(a) Discipline specific knowledge and competencies				
(i) Mastery of an appropriate body of knowledge				
Demonstrate mastery of management as a field of study and of the body of knowledge associated with the range of subjects that is encompasses.	Lectures, tutorials, exercises (including computer-based), group work, directed reading, independent study and optional final-year extended essay.	Assignments and examinations based on essays, cases and problem-based questions. Tutorial / seminar presentations and discussions.  Problem-based exercises and case study work. Dissertation/extended essay research as appropriate.		
High degree of proficiency in foreign language or languages (spoken and written).	Language classes; summer schools.	Weekly assignments, examinations and presentations in foreign language or languages		
Referential competence; awareness of reference systems relating to socio-political and cultural issues.	classes, requirement to watch foreign TV news, familiarity with			
Metalinguistic knowledge  Mastery of rules of phonology, syntax and discourse.	Language classes; phonetics lectures; language lab sessions.	Applied knowledge tested by examination and course work.		

Intended Learning Outcomes	Teaching and Learning Methods	How Demonstrated?				
Broad understanding of history, politics, thought, culture of appropriate foreign countries.	Lectures, seminars/tutorials, private study.	Essays, presentations, examinations and assessed coursework.				
(ii) Unders	(ii) Understanding and application of key concepts and techniques					
Demonstrate understanding of principles and concepts of management and organisation across the range of relevant subject areas.  Demonstrate the ability in each subject area to apply management concepts and theories to practice.  Awareness of features of a range	Lectures, tutorials, exercises (including computer-based), group work, directed reading, independent study and optional final-year dissertation/extended essay.  Language classes.  Textual analysis	Assignments and examinations based on essays, cases and problem-based questions. Tutorial / seminar presentations and discussions.  Problem-based exercises and case study work. Course work and examination, weekly assignments, presentations, assessed essays.				
of discourse types in the target language(s).	Textual allalysis					
Awareness of systems for cohesion, coherence and modalisation; techniques for language analysis.	Contrastive linguistics					
	(iii) Critical analysis of key issues					
Ability to: apply understanding of management concepts and techniques with independence, rigour and reflexivity; understand contextual influences on the generation and application of management and organisational techniques; reflect critically upon the nature of Management Studies as a discipline.	Lectures, tutorials, exercises (including computer-based), group work, directed reading, independent study and optional final-year dissertation/extended essay.	Assignments and examinations based on essays, cases and problem-based questions. Tutorial / seminar presentations and discussions.  Problem-based exercises and case study work.				
Critical understanding of different approaches to cultural / historical / literary / cinematic / sociological study and develop skills of analysis and argument.	"Content" options (historical, literary, cultural, political etc), involving readings and re-evaluations of key periods, events, texts etc, as appropriate.	Course work and examination, oral presentations.				
Awareness of language classification at various levels.	Linguistic options.	Course work and examination, oral presentations.				
Awareness of socio-political and cultural change in relevant foreign countries.	Lectures, seminars/tutorials; private study.	Course work and examination, oral presentations.				
	iv) Clear and concise presentation of ma	aterial				
Ability to use a variety of written and oral formats to present issues and arguments related to management and organisation.	Lectures, tutorials, exercises (including computer-based), group work, directed reading, independent study.	Assignments and examinations based on essays, cases and problem-based questions. Tutorial / seminar presentations and discussions. Problem-based exercises and case study work.				
Ability to give a presentation in a foreign language, or languages, on topics of sociopolitical or cultural interest.	Oral Workshops.	Oral examinations and presentations.				

Intended Learning Outcomes	Teaching and Learning Methods	How Demonstrated?
Ability to present coherent	Language classes.	Course work and examinations;
arguments based on research and collation of material by means of clear and concise oral communication.	Seminars in all subjects based on student presentations.	contributions to tutorial / seminar debates; seminar presentations.
	Experience gained from submitting written work (assessed and non-assessed) in all years, on all modules studies; feedback and commentary from module tutors; guidance contained in departmental	
	handbooks.	
(v) Cri	 tical appraisal of evidence with appropr	l riate insight
Ability to synthesise and evaluate	Lectures, seminars, tutorials,	Assignments and examinations based
relevant literature on the subjects studied, with appropriate evidence from a range of primary	exercises (including computer based), group work, directed reading, independent study, research	on essays, cases and problem-based questions. Tutorial / seminar presentations and discussions.
and secondary sources, both theoretical and empirical.	for assignments within varied pedagogical structures throughout the course, involving description and evaluation of different approaches	Problem-based exercises and case study work. Oral presentations in English and target language(s).
	for collecting analysing and presenting information.	
	(vi) Other discipline specific competen	cies
Intercultural awareness and	Seminar discussion, study of	Seminar presentations, essays, role-
understanding.	literature, cinema, current news,	play.
	role-play and drama, periods of residence in target country.	
	(b) Transferable skills	
Ability to use a variety of written	(i) Oral communication  Lectures, tutorials, exercises	Assignments and examinations based
and oral formats to present issues and arguments related to management and organisation and to the language and culture of the target country/ies.	(including computer-based), group work, case studies, directed reading, independent study.	on essays, cases and problem-based questions.
Mastery of fluent and accurate	Programme of skills development in	Oral examinations, seminar
spoken foreign language(s) in discussions, showing pragmatic skills, ability to deal with topic and register change and to handle sociocultural variation and linguistic resonances.	language classes; period(s) abroad.  Giving verbal accounts of personal experience and individual research in Oral Workshops in range of topics.	presentations.
Develop skills of dramatic presentation in use of drama as a language-learning tool.	Demonstration and practice of these techniques in oral workshops.	Individual and group performance.
	(ii) Written communication	
Ability to be clear, fluent and coherent in written expression of management issues and debates.	Tutorials, group problem-solving exercises and case studies on management issues.	Essays, assessed course work, examinations.
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Intended Learning Outcomes	Teaching and Learning Methods	How Demonstrated?
Understanding of information and	Language classes; textual and	Essays, assessed course work,
referential structure of written	linguistic analysis; essay-writing;	examinations, written language
texts. Production of texts of	seminar papers.	exercises.
various types, e.g. discussion		
papers, academic essays, letters		
for a range of purposes and		
readers, texts in a variety of		
genres, creative writing,		
demonstrating appropriate		
discourse and register		
conventions.	(:::) Information to the class.	
Ability to word-process effectively,	(iii) Information technology Induction sessions; use of Web,	Bibliographical presentation, word-
access information on internet,	access to foreign press etc online;	processing of work, computer-based
storage and retrieval of	CALL or TiLE exercises; electronic	exercises.
information, familiarity with	submission of assignments; use of e-	CACTORSES.
various IT platforms, ability to use	mail.	
e-mail.		
	find Numerous	
Ability to construct, analyse and	(iv) Numeracy Appropriate instruction within a	Course work, numerical coherence in
interpret graphic data and	context of management; in language	presentations, oral workshops.
information, including accounts,	classes practice in commenting on	p. 666a
presented in statistical, tabular or	data presented in graphic and	
graphical form.	statistical form, the language of	
	comparisons and inferences based	
	on statistical data; use of statistical	
	material in area studies classes.	
	(v) Team working	
Team-management and group-	Preparation for group presentations,	Group presentations; meetings; events;
working skills, collaborative	including group problem-solving	here and abroad. Contributions to
planning.	exercises; other simulation and role-	group problem-solving exercises, case
	playing.	studies and presentations
	Summer school(s).	
	(vi) Problem solving	
Capacity to address complex	Assignment tasks demanding	Course work, exams, oral
problems critically and resolve	increasing levels of critical	presentations, i.e. an integral part of
them creatively; address problems	engagement as course proceeds,	evaluation of student performance in
of interpretation of evidence and	presented for essays or as	all years and on all modules.
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apply critical judgment to issues	examination questions and regularly	,
apply critical judgment to issues within management and to others	examination questions and regularly discussed in tutorials / seminars and	,
apply critical judgment to issues within management and to others of a political, cultural, historical,	examination questions and regularly discussed in tutorials / seminars and as part of group problem-solving	,
apply critical judgment to issues within management and to others	examination questions and regularly discussed in tutorials / seminars and as part of group problem-solving exercises and case studies.	,
apply critical judgment to issues within management and to others of a political, cultural, historical, sociological, literary etc. nature.	examination questions and regularly discussed in tutorials / seminars and as part of group problem-solving exercises and case studies.  (vii) Information handling	
apply critical judgment to issues within management and to others of a political, cultural, historical,	examination questions and regularly discussed in tutorials / seminars and as part of group problem-solving exercises and case studies.	Essays and seminar papers. Assessed comprehension tasks.
apply critical judgment to issues within management and to others of a political, cultural, historical, sociological, literary etc. nature.  Understanding of information and	examination questions and regularly discussed in tutorials / seminars and as part of group problem-solving exercises and case studies.  (vii) Information handling  Study and discussion of relevant	Essays and seminar papers. Assessed
apply critical judgment to issues within management and to others of a political, cultural, historical, sociological, literary etc. nature.  Understanding of information and referential structure of texts on a	examination questions and regularly discussed in tutorials / seminars and as part of group problem-solving exercises and case studies.  (vii) Information handling  Study and discussion of relevant texts throughout the course.	Essays and seminar papers. Assessed
apply critical judgment to issues within management and to others of a political, cultural, historical, sociological, literary etc. nature.  Understanding of information and referential structure of texts on a broad range of topics	examination questions and regularly discussed in tutorials / seminars and as part of group problem-solving exercises and case studies.  (vii) Information handling  Study and discussion of relevant texts throughout the course.  Comprehension exercises in target	Essays and seminar papers. Assessed
apply critical judgment to issues within management and to others of a political, cultural, historical, sociological, literary etc. nature.  Understanding of information and referential structure of texts on a broad range of topics (management, cultural, historical, linguistic etc).	examination questions and regularly discussed in tutorials / seminars and as part of group problem-solving exercises and case studies.  (vii) Information handling  Study and discussion of relevant texts throughout the course.  Comprehension exercises in target language(s).	Essays and seminar papers. Assessed comprehension tasks.
apply critical judgment to issues within management and to others of a political, cultural, historical, sociological, literary etc. nature.  Understanding of information and referential structure of texts on a broad range of topics (management, cultural, historical, linguistic etc).  Ability to produce résumés in both	examination questions and regularly discussed in tutorials / seminars and as part of group problem-solving exercises and case studies.  (vii) Information handling  Study and discussion of relevant texts throughout the course.  Comprehension exercises in target language(s).  Work on résumé and translation in	Essays and seminar papers. Assessed
apply critical judgment to issues within management and to others of a political, cultural, historical, sociological, literary etc. nature.  Understanding of information and referential structure of texts on a broad range of topics (management, cultural, historical, linguistic etc).	examination questions and regularly discussed in tutorials / seminars and as part of group problem-solving exercises and case studies.  (vii) Information handling  Study and discussion of relevant texts throughout the course.  Comprehension exercises in target language(s).	Essays and seminar papers. Assessed comprehension tasks.
apply critical judgment to issues within management and to others of a political, cultural, historical, sociological, literary etc. nature.  Understanding of information and referential structure of texts on a broad range of topics (management, cultural, historical, linguistic etc).  Ability to produce résumés in both English and the target language(s)	examination questions and regularly discussed in tutorials / seminars and as part of group problem-solving exercises and case studies.  (vii) Information handling  Study and discussion of relevant texts throughout the course.  Comprehension exercises in target language(s).  Work on résumé and translation in	Essays and seminar papers. Assessed comprehension tasks.

Intended Learning Outcomes	Teaching and Learning Methods	How Demonstrated?
Ability to make a personal	Research tasks, seminar	Essays, dissertations/extended essay,
synthesis of information gathered	presentations, oral examinations	oral presentations.
from paper, audiovisual and	based on dossier of material.	
electronic sources in target and		
native languages.		
	(viii) Skills for lifelong learning	
Strategies for self-monitoring and		Language assignments.
continued maintenance and		
development of language learning skills.		
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Research skills, demonstrating	Requirement that evidence of	Seminar papers, essays.
self-organisation and initiative.	research be shown in all assignments	
	and presentations.	
Interlingual and intercultural skills;	Simulation and role-play in oral	Group and individual presentations;
ability to operate successfully in	workshops; immersion in foreign	summer school(s).
foreign cultural environments and	culture during period(s) abroad.	(2)
to mediate between cultures.		
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Appreciation of own strengths and weaknesses with a view to	Careers guidance, dialogue with	All forms of assessment.
	tutors, course evaluations sheets,	
personal and professional development.	provision for personal assessment of learning strategies.	
development.	rearring strategies.	
Information location and retrieval.	Demonstration of effective use of	
	library materials; induction	
	programme and departmental	
	handbooks; use of Internet.	
		All forms of assessment; collation
		of bibliographies.
Collaboration, responsibility.	Active participation in tutorials /	
	seminars; oral and written	
	presentations; monitoring of class	
	attendance	

# 10. Progression points:

This degree programme follows the University's standard progression rules set out in <u>Senate Regulation</u> <u>5</u>. However, all core language modules must be passed in order to progress to the following year of the programme and must be passed at Honours level (40%+). Final Year core language programmes must be passed at Honours level in order to graduate.

### 11. Scheme of Assessment

This programme follows the standard scheme of award and classification set out in <u>Senate Regulation 5</u>

# 12. Special features

Summer school in one of the target countries at the end of Year One.

Combination of linguistic skills and market-orientated knowledge.

Opportunity for total immersion in the target language(s) and culture(s) by the provision of a year abroad spent as appropriate in the country or countries of the language(s) studied into the final year.

Opportunity for the development of study skills in target country universities following a guided programme of learning for the period spent abroad

# 13. Indications of programme quality

External examiners' reports consistently emphasize the quality of the student learning experience and the high standard of teaching and of assessment. They also favourably comment on the careful design of our modules' intended learning outcomes and their meeting the requirements of the QAA benchmark statements in all its key elements.

Modern Languages at Leicester achieves regularly very high scores in the National Student Survey. In the 2017 NSS Modern Languages achieved an overall satisfaction score of 97.4% (JACS subject area of 'European Languages and Area Studies'). Students' comments praise in particular the vibrant and supportive student-staff community within Modern Languages.

Modern Languages at Leicester was ranked 8th nationally in the Guardian university league table 2017.

95% of the School's research is recognised internationally.

#### 14. External Examiners

External examiners' reports have emphasized the quality of the student learning experience and the high standard of teaching.

The details of the External Examiners for these programmes and the most recent External Examiners' reports for these programmes can be found <a href="https://example.com/here.">here.</a>

#### **Appendix 1: Programme structure** (programme regulations)

Students have the choice of studying one or two languages. For one language, students take 90 credits of language and cultural studies modules in that language (French, Italian or Spanish) together with 30 credits of Film Studies modules throughout. For two languages, students take 45 credits of language and cultural studies modules in each of two languages (French, Italian, or Spanish), one of which may be commenced at Beginners level, together with 30 credits of Film Studies modules throughout. Students taking the two-language route through the degree may opt for the one-language route at the end of year 1.

There are two main pathways through the language modules on this programme: One for students with well-developed abilities in a language other than English and their native language, and one for students without such abilities. The former group of students take the programme with advanced language skills; the latter group of students take the programme *ab initio*. For example, an advanced French student will take FR1010 Advanced French Language in year 1, followed by FR2010 Post-Advanced French Language in year 2. A beginners level student will take FR1020 French Beginners and FR1021 French Beginners in year 1 followed by FR2018 French Post-Beginners in year 2. These students will be taught together in final year language groups. The same pattern applies to other languages. Please see the diagrams below.

#### Notes:

- 1) Optional modules are listed at the end of each year and may be subject to change from year to year.
- 2) Students whose native language is either French, Italian or Spanish, and who wish to study this language as part of their degree programme at Leicester, will normally be required to substitute 30 credits of ELTU modules from the range EL2001-EL2024 for the core language modules (FR1010 or IT1010 or SP1010). Students with native speaker fluency in both English, and the language they wish to study as part of their degree programme at Leicester, will be required to substitute 30 credits of cultural modules taken from the range on offer in the relevant language or ML modules for the relevant core language modules.

#### **FIRST YEAR**

Students are required to attend a compulsory three-week summer school (ML2007: Modern Language Summer School, 0 credits), organised by the School of Modern Languages and in one of the languages they are studying, during the long vacation at the end of the first year. Students studying at beginner's level must go to the summer school in that language.

# **One Language Route**

SEMESTER 1 (60 credits)	SEMESTER 2 (60 credits)	
CORE	CORE	
15 credits of language:	15 credits of language:	
either:	either:	
FR1010/IT1010/SP1010 French/Italian/Spanis	h Language (Advanced) (30 credits, year long)	
or:	or:	
FR1020/IT1020/SP1020 French/Italian/Spanish	FR1021/IT1021/SP1021 French/Italian/Spanish	
Language (Beginners) 1 (15 credits)	Language (Beginners) 2 (15 credits)	

MN1000: Management Theory and Debate (15 credits)

FR1050/IT1028/SP1022 Introduction to French/Italian/Spanish Studies (15 credits) (as aligned with the language being studied)

ML1006: Language and Society (15 credits)

MN1010: Business Finance and Reporting (15 credits)

# **OPTIONS**

2 x 15 credit modules from the Modern Languages Cultural Studies Modules list (as aligned with the language being studied)

# **Two Languages Route**

SEMESTER 1 (60 credits)	SEMESTER 2 (60 credits)
CORE	CORE
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Langu	age 1:
FR1010/IT1010/SP1010 French/Italian/Spanis	h Language (Advanced) (30 credits, year long)
Langu	age 2:
	her:
	th Language (Advanced) (30 credits, year long)
or:	or:
FR1020/IT1020/SP1020 French/Italian/Spanish	FR1021/IT1021/SP1021 French/Italian/Spanish
Language (Beginners) 1 (15 credits)	Language (Beginners) 2 (15 credits)
MN1000: Management Theory and Debate (15	MN1010: Business Finance and Reporting (15
credits)	credits)
FR1050/IT1028/SP1022 Introduction to	OPTIONS
French/Italian/Spanish Studies (15 credits)	or rions
(as aligned with one of the languages being	1 x 15 credit module from the Modern Languages
studied)*	Cultural Studies Modules list (as aligned with one
-	of the languages being studied)*

<sup>\*</sup> Students' choices here must comprise one from each of the two languages.

# **Modern Languages Cultural Studies Modules**

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FR1014	Twentieth-Century French Literature	15	
FR1027	Introduction to Francophonie	15	
FR1050	Introduction to French Studies	15	
IT1027	Authors and Genres	15	
IT1028	Introduction to Italian (Post-Unification)	15	
IT1029	Italy since 1945	15	
SP1031	Introduction to Latin American Literature & Film	15	
SP1041	Introduction to Spanish Literature & Film	15	
ML1007	The Making of the Modern European World*	15	
* available only to students on the One Language Route			

# **One Language Route**

**SECOND YEAR** 

SEMESTER 1 (60 credits)	SEMESTER 2 (60 credits)		
CO	CORE		
	ner:		
FR2010/IT2024/SP2010 French/Italian/Spanish L			
or (if Year 1 was to	,		
FR2018/IT2005/SP2005 French/Italian/Spanish L	.anguage (Post-Beginners) (30 credits, year long)		
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MN2120: The Business Environment (15 credits)	MN2116: Corporate Social Responsibility (15		
	credits)		

OPTIONS	OPTIONS
2 x 15 credit modules from the Modern Languages	2 x 15 credit modules from the Modern Languages
Cultural Studies Modules list (as aligned with the	Cultural Studies Modules list (as aligned with the
language being studied)	language being studied)

# **Two Languages Route**

SEMESTER 1 (60 credits)	SEMESTER 2 (60 credits)			
CORE				
Language 1:				
_	Language (Post-Advanced) (30 credits, year long)			
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FR2018/IT2005/SP2005 French/Italian/Spanish I	Language (Post-Beginners) (30 credits, year long)			
1	1 was taken as Advanced):			
FR2010/IT2024/SP2010 French/Italian/Spanish I	Language (Post-Advanced) (30 credits, year long)			
MN2120: The Business Environment (15 credits)	MN2116: Corporate Social Responsibility (15 credits)			
	credits)			
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OPTIONS	OPTIONS			
1 x 15 credit module from Modern Languages	1 x 15 credit module from Modern Languages			
Cultural Studies list (as aligned with one of the	Cultural Studies list (as aligned with one of the			
languages being studied)*	languages being studied)*			
* Students studying two languages must choose one	Modern Languages Cultural Studies module from ea			

<sup>\*</sup> Students studying two languages must choose one Modern Languages Cultural Studies module from each language

Modern Languages Cultural Studies Modules
Option modules may be subject to change from year to year.

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		credits
FR2032	Introduction to French Linguistics	15
FR2042	Challenging Perspectives: Conflict and Relations in French Culture	15
FR2044	Bande dessinée	15
FR2045	Media and Cultural Practices in France	15
FR2046	French Urban Space	15
FR2047	History and Memory in French Literature	15
IT2011	Italian Linguistics	15
IT2012	History of Italian Cinema	15
IT2016	Italian Society and Culture under Fascism	15
SP2022	The Mexican-US Border	15
SP2023	The Spanish Civil War in Literature and Film	15
SP2025	Argentina: From Perón to Kirchner	15
SP2030	Federico Garcia Lorca	15
SP2035	Contemporary Mexican Cinema	15
SP2036	Drugs and Displacement in Contemporary Colombian Culture	15
SP2037	Hispanic Documentary Film	15
SP2042	The Spanish Silver Age (1900 to 1950): A Revolution in Language	15
SP2070	Latino/a Literature & Culture in the United States	15

SP2071	South American Narratives of Dictatorship and Exile	15
ML2020	The Latin World: Ancient, Medieval and Modern*	15
ML2021	Nations and Narrations*	15
ML2060	Languages in the Classroom (for Advanced Students of French or Spanish)	15

\* available only to students on the One Language Route

# **THIRD YEAR**

Students are required to spend a full academic session abroad between the second and final years, following approved courses at a university in France, Belgium, Canada, Switzerland, Italy, Spain or Latin America (Mexico, Colombia), or alternatively as an assistant in a school in one of those countries. Students also have the option of doing a work placement, subject to departmental approval.

# **One Language Route**

SEMESTER 1	SEMESTER 2			
CORE				
ML3032 Year Abroad Placement Evaluation: Study or Work (Year Long) (30 credits)				
ML3035 Language Skills (Year Long) (90 credits)				

# **Two Languages Route**

SEMESTER 1 (60 credits)	SEMESTER 2 (60 credits)
CORE	CORE
ML3030 Year Abroad Placement Evaluation: Study or Work (Semester 1) (15 credits)	ML3031Year Abroad Placement Evaluation: Study or Work (Semester 2) (15 credits)
ML3033 Language Skills (Semester 1) (45 credits)	ML3034 Language Skills (Semester 2) (45 credits)

# **FOURTH YEAR**

# **One language Route**

SEMESTER 1 (60 credits)	SEMESTER 2 (60 credits)				
CORE					
FR3111/IT3010/SP3010 Final Year French/Italian/Spanish Language (Proficiency) (30 credits, year long)					
	MN3104: International Business (15)				
OPTIONS	OPTIONS				
2 x 15 credit modules from Modern Languages	2 x 15 credit modules from Modern Languages				
Cultural Studies list (as aligned with the language	Cultural Studies list (as aligned with the language				
being studied)*	being studied)*				
1 v 15 crodit Management module					
1 x 15 credit Management module					

# SEMESTER 1 (60 credits) CORE SEMESTER 2 (60 credits)

# Language 1:

FR3111/IT3010/SP3010 Final Year French/Italian/Spanish Language (Proficiency) (30 credits, year long)

# Language 2:

FR3111/IT3010/SP3010 Final Year French/Italian/Spanish Language (Proficiency)(30 credits, year long)

**OPTIONS** MN3104: International Business (15)

1 x 15 credit module from Modern Languages Cultural Studies list (as aligned with one of the languages being studied)\*

1 x 15 credit Management module

1 x 15 credit module from Modern Languages Cultural Studies list (as aligned with one of the languages being studied)

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**OPTIONS** 

#### **Modern Languages Cultural Studies Modules**

Option modules may be subject to change from year to year.

		creaits
FR3051	Bilingual Writing and Self-Translation: Literature in a Cross-Cultural Perspective	15
FR3125	Immigration and Ethnicity in Colonial and Post-Colonial France	15
FR3140	Norms and Margins in French Cinema	15
FR3202	Interpreting French	15
FR3206	Narratives of the Self in Literature and Film	15
FR3208	Gender and Power in Contemporary France	15
IT3136	Contemporary Italian Fiction	15
IT3139	Post-war Italian Directors	15
IT3144	Visions of Modernity	15
SP3134	Boom Literature: Language and Creation	15
SP3140	Cinematic Representations of Latin America: Local versus Global	15
SP3145	The Cinema of Luis Buñuel	15
SP3155	Putumayo: the history and culture of a Latin American conflict zone	15
SP3162	Contemporary Women's Writing in Spain	15
SP3165	Spain and its Others	15
SP3182	Spanish Horror Cinema	15
ML3020	Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages (1)	15
ML3021	Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages (2)	15
ML3176	Extended Essay*	15

<sup>\*</sup>Students wishing to undertake a Modern Languages extended essay in final year should note that this is available by successful application to the Section Coordinator only. Selection will be based on the student's prior academic performance and the strength of the research plans that they are able to present.

#### **Management Modules**

Option modules may be subject to change from year to year.

		Cicuito
MN3115	Business in the Digital Economy	15
MN3126	Cyberpsychology at Work	15
MN3133	The Management and Shaping of Innovation	15
MN3144	Place Branding and Tourism	15

<sup>\*</sup> Students studying two languages take one Modern Languages Cultural Studies module from each language

# **Appendix 2: Module specifications**

See module specification database: <a href="http://www.le.ac.uk/sas/courses/documentation">http://www.le.ac.uk/sas/courses/documentation</a>

# 15. Guided Independent Study

# **CONTENT MODULES**

# **Guided Independent Study: Indicative Activities**

Each student uses their independent study time differently, but as a broad guide, you might find it useful to spend roughly the suggested amount of time on each of these activities:

Lecture, seminar and tutorial preparation (20%) Lecture, seminar and tutorial revision (20%) Assessment preparation (35%) Reflecting on assessment feedback (5%) Wider reading/research (20%)

#### LANGUAGE MODULES

# **Guided Independent Study: Indicative Activities**

Each student uses their independent study time differently, but as a broad guide, you might find it useful to spend roughly the suggested amount of time on each of these activities:

Class preparation (20%)
Class revision (15%)
Assessment preparation (30%)
Reflecting on assessment feedback (15%)
Immersion in the Target Language (20%)