

Programme Specification (Undergraduate)

For students entering in 2021/22

Date amended: 15/03/2023

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

BA Modern Languages with Film Studies (R8P3)

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.

For students taking just one language as Beginners, we will accept A*-C grades at GCSE as sufficient evidence of language learning abilities for entry onto the *ab initio* pathway of those programmes.

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 enable students to develop their interest in the study of foreign languages with Film Studies at undergraduate level, building upon core subject knowledge in these subject areas and providing the opportunity for progression, specialisation and independent learning.

- To provide students with a comprehensive knowledge and understanding of the cultures, communities and societies of target language(s) through approaches which draw upon key ideas, concepts and methodologies shared with Film Studies.
- To provide an intellectually challenging and stimulating curriculum that draws on the research expertise and teaching strengths of the School of Modern Languages and the Department of History of Art & Film.
- To develop students' knowledge, skills and competences in foreign languages and their cultures and Film Studies as complementary areas of study.
- To foster students' independent thinking, critical abilities and research skills, in relation to contextual areas of study.
- To develop students' ability to communicate their ideas clearly and effectively in a variety of forms including both written and oral communication.
- To equip students with subject-specific and transferable skills necessary for successful career development and effective independent learning.
- To equip all students with a high degree of proficiency in the use of the foreign language as a medium for expression and communication, both written and spoken, through a programme of progressive tuition based on authentic documentation (press, film and broadcast media), academic texts and exposure to native speakers.
- To promote intercultural awareness and understanding through the lived experience of time spent abroad and through the development of analytical skills of comparing, contrasting and mediating between cultures and societies.

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 Benchmark Statement for Linguistics http://www.qaa.ac.uk/en/Publications/Documents/SBS-Linguistics-15.pdf
- QAA Benchmarking Statement for Communication, Media, Film and Cultural Studies: http://www.qaa.ac.uk/en/Publications/Documents/Subject-benchmark-statement-communication-media-film-and-cultural-studies.pdf
- Framework for Higher Education Qualifications (FHEQ)
- UK Quality Code for Higher Education
- University Learning Strategy
- University Assessment Strategy
- University of Leicester Periodic Developmental Review Report
- External Examiners' reports (annual)
- United Nations Education for Sustainable Development Goals
- Student Destinations Data

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 kno	wledge	
Knowledge of the structures, registers and varieties of the target languages.	Spoken and written language classes including language laboratory classes. On-line grammar practice. Summer programmes and year	Weekly assignments, including exercises marked online, examinations, role plays and presentations.	
Knowledge and critical understanding of the cultures and societies of target countries.	abroad in target countries. First year cultural studies programmes, requirement to watch TV news from target countries, lectures and seminars throughout course.	Essays, portfolios, presentations, examinations.	

Intended Learning Outcomes	Teaching and Learning Methods	How Demonstrated?	
Knowledge of the history of film from its origins to the present; the history of Film Studies as an academic discipline; the principal historical movements and differing forms and genres in Film.	Lectures, seminars, tutorials, workshops, directed reading, resource-based learning, independent research, supervisions.	Essays, essay-based exams, reports, dissertation/extended essay, seminar presentations, seminar discussions.	
(ii) Unders	tanding and application of key concepts	and techniques	
Understanding of the principles of phonology, syntax and discourse required to analyse the target languages. Techniques for translating and interpreting between target and source languages. Techniques for the analysis of texts (literary, filmic, journalistic).	First year 'Core skills' module, language classes in all years. Language classes including specialist options in translating and interpreting. Textual analysis classes, film courses including sequence analysis, language classes.	Tests and examinations. Contextualised translating and interpreting tasks. Essays, seminar presentations, examinations, contributions to discussion.	
Knowledge and application of a range of critical and theoretical approaches to Film; the aesthetic, social and cultural significance of film; the intellectual context of Film Studies.	Lectures, seminars, tutorials, workshops, directed reading, resource-based learning, independent research, supervisions.	Essays, essay-based exams, reports, dissertation/extended essay, seminar presentations, seminar discussions.	
	(iii) Critical analysis of key issues		
Ability to analyse through appropriate methodologies aspects of the literatures, cultures, linguistic contexts, history, political and social structures of target countries.	Lectures, seminars, independent reading and research.	Essays, seminar presentations, examinations, contributions to discussion.	
Analyse the form, style and structure of film texts; develop an awareness of the methods and tools of critical analysis; understand the relationships between texts and wider social and cultural processes.	Lectures, seminars, tutorials, workshops, directed reading, resource-based learning, independent research, supervisions.	Essays, essay-based exams, reports, dissertation/extended essay, seminar presentations, seminar discussions.	
(iv) Clear and concise presentation of material			
Ability to give a presentation in the target languages on a topic of cultural or socio political interest. Ability to present coherent arguments based on research and personal synthesis of material.	Seminar presentations, oral examinations preceded by mock examinations with feedback on performance. Essays, summaries, short written pieces.	Assessed presentations, oral examinations. Assessed essays and dissertations/extended essay, examinations.	
Present and explain issues, ideas and arguments in a variety of written and oral forms.	Seminars, tutorials, workshops, team exercises, dissertation/extended essay, tutorials, supervisions.	Essays, essay-based exams, reports, dissertation/extended essay, seminar presentations, seminar discussions.	

Intended Learning Outcomes Teaching and Learning Methods How Demonstrated?				
(v) Critical appraisal of evidence with appropriate insight				
Ability to synthesise and evaluate relevant literature and internet material on the subjects studied. Awareness of cultural and political reference systems in target countries.	Research tasks, portfolios. Lectures, seminars, independent reading, requirement to watch TV news in target language.	Assessed research projects, portfolios. Essays, examinations, reporting back on news in spoken language classes.		
Analyse and contextualise film texts and other primary source documents and to use such sources confidently in presenting critical analysis and argument.	Seminars, tutorials, workshops, team exercises, dissertation/extended essay, tutorials, supervisions.	Essays, essay-based exams, reports, dissertation/extended essay, seminar presentations, seminar discussions.		
	(vi) Other discipline specific competen	icies		
Intercultural awareness and understanding.	Seminar discussion, study of literature, cinema, current news, role-play and drama, periods of residence in target country.	Seminar presentations, essays, roleplay.		
	(b) Transferable skills			
Fluent, accurate and appropriate communication in target languages.	(i) Oral communication Spoken language classes, language laboratory sessions, residence abroad.	Role-play exercises and simulations, oral examinations.		
Ability to give well-structured and effective oral presentations demonstrating awareness of audience.	Seminar presentations, oral examination practice followed by feedback.	Assessed seminar presentations, oral examinations. Assessed translating and interpreting		
Ability to mediate and interpret between target and source cultures.	Translating and interpreting tasks.	tasks.		
Summarise ideas and present arguments to a peer group; participate effectively in group discussion.	Workshops, team exercises.	Seminar presentations (both assessed and unassessed).		
(ii) Written communication				
Production of texts of various types demonstrating accuracy and appropriate discourse conventions.	Weekly language assignments including register exercises, study of and practice in reproducing discourse features of a variety of text types.	Assessed language tasks, examination.		
Ability to produce accurate translations between target and source languages.	Translation classes.	Assessed translation tasks, examination.		
Summarise ideas and present arguments fluently and cogently in a variety of written forms of different lengths, difficulties and levels of formality.	Seminars, tutorials, workshops.	Essays, essay-based exams, reports, dissertation/extended essay.		
(iii) Information technology				
Ability to use IT effectively both as a means of communication and as an aid to learning.	On-line grammar practice, other CALL or TiLE activities, bulletin boards in target languages, use of internet for research, use of IT to present material.	On-line and CALL or TiLE exercises as requirement, critical appraisal of internet material in submission of word processed coursework assignments.		

Intended Learning Outcomes	Teaching and Learning Methods	How Demonstrated?
Demonstrate competence in the	Seminars, workshops, team	Essays, reports, dissertation/extended
use of IT including word-	exercises, independent research.	essay, seminar presentations.
processing, bibliographic and	Introduction to IT for learning and	
archive searches, data retrieval	research including in induction	
and analysis, and written/visual	programme with refresher	
presentation of evidence.	workshops throughout the degree.	
	(iv) Numeracy	
Ability to interpret graphs and	Analysis of current affairs documents	Assessed oral presentations,
extract relevant information.	in oral and written language classes,	summaries and essays. Work
Ability to interpret statistics and	and content modules. Work	placement report.
numerical trends and express	placement preparation guidance.	
them coherently on oral and		
written formats.	(v) Toom working	
Team-management and group-	(v) Team working Pair and group tasks in oral classes,	Assessed group tasks, self-assessment
working skills, collaborative	group project.	of group-working skills.
planning.	group project.	or group working skins.
Solve problems and research	Group work for projects, including	Group projects, reports, seminar
topics collaboratively; develop	seminar presentations.	presentations, film practical.
team-working and leading skills;		
reflect on the value, limitations		
and challenges of group working.		
	(vi) Problem solving	
Ability to identify, describe and	Assignment tasks involving increasing	Coursework assignments,
analyse problems and to devise	levels of critical engagement as	examinations, research projects, ability
appropriate strategies for their	course proceeds, error analysis	to self-correct language work.
resolution.	through use of marking system.	
Solve critical, theoretical,	Lectures, seminars, tutorials,	Essays, essay-based exams, reports,
historical problems relating to film; awareness of research	workshops, team exercises, independent research, supervisions.	seminar presentations, seminar discussion, dissertation/extended
methodologies.	independent research, supervisions.	essay.
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Understanding of information and	(vii) Information handling	Assessed comprehension tasks
Understanding of information and referential structure of texts.	Language classes, comprehension exercises.	Assessed comprehension tasks.
referential structure of texts.	exercises.	
Ability to produce résumés in the	Work on résumé and translation in	Assessed résumés and translations.
target language and between	language classes.	
target and source languages.		
Ability to make a personal	Research tasks, seminar	Essays, dissertations/extended essay,
synthesis of information gathered	presentations, oral examinations	presentations.
from paper, audio-visual and	based on dossier of material.	
electronic sources in target and		
native languages. Identify, retrieve and analyse a	Lectures, seminars, tutorials,	Essays, essay-based exams, reports,
variety of textual, visual, written,	workshops, independent research,	seminar presentations,
filmic, critical and historical	supervisions.	dissertation/extended essay.
sources.		
	(viii) Skills for lifelong learning	
Strategies for self-monitoring and	Development of metalinguistic	Language assignments, ability to self-
continued maintenance and	awareness through language classes,	correct.
development of skills in target	tasks designed to expand target	
languages.	language repertoire.	
Effectiveness and self-awareness	Research tasks, independent, critical	Essays, research projects,
as an independent learner.	and analytical reading and viewing.	dissertations/extended essay.

Intended Learning Outcomes	Teaching and Learning Methods	How Demonstrated?
Manage time and resources to meet deadlines; demonstrate independent critical judgement; ability to work independently and to reflect on students' own learning, achievements, skills and career development.	Principally PDP including tutorials with personal tutor; also group work, developing CV, independent research.	Seminar exercises, group work, essays, reports, dissertation/extended essay.

10. Progression points:

This degree programme follows the University's standard progression rules set out in <u>Senate Regulation</u> 5. 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 modules 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 Senate Regulation 5

12. Special features

Consolidation of linguistic skills and opportunity for cultural enrichment at an early stage of the course through three-week summer programme in target country at end of Year 1, involving tuition from native speakers at a University and linguistic immersion through accommodation with local families.

Opportunity for total immersion in the target language and culture by the provision of one semester spent in each of the target countries during third 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 here.

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 routes 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; they may be subject to change from year to year and will not run if under-recruiting.
- 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 for core language modules (FR1010 or IT1010 or SP1010) 30 credits of ELTU modules from the following optional modules (as available): EL1005 Academic Writing; EL1007 Academic Speaking: EL2011 Pronunciation; EL2012 Vocabulary; EL2013 Grammar; EL2025 Language and Media. 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)	

HA1224: American Film and Visual Culture (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	sh Language (Advanced) (30 credits, year long)
Langu	page 2:
	her:
FR1010/IT1010/SP1010 French/Italian/Spanis	sh 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)
HA1007: Reading Film (15 credits)	HA1224: American Film and Visual Culture (15
	credits)
FR1050/IT1028/SP1022 Introduction to	
French/Italian/Spanish Studies (15 credits)	1 x 15 credit module from the Modern Languages
(as aligned with one of the languages being	Cultural Studies Modules list (as aligned with one
studied)*	of the languages being studied)*

^{*} Students' choices here must comprise one from each of the two languages.

Modern Languages Cultural Studies Modules

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

		credits
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	y to students on the One Language Route.	

SECOND YEAR

One Language Route

SEMESTER 1 (60 credits)	SEMESTER 2 (60 credits)
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eit	her:
FR2010/IT2024/SP2010 French/Italian/Spanish	Language (Post-Advanced) (30 credits, year long)
or (if Year 1 was to	aken as Beginners):

FR2018/IT2005/SP2005 French/Italian/Spanish Language (Post-Beginners) (30 credits)

FILM STUDIES

HA2434 Documentary Film and Television (15 credits)

FILM STUDIES OPTIONS

HA2227 Independent Research Project (15 credits)
OR:

HA2030 Researching World Cinema (15 credits)

MODEDRN LANGUAGES

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

MODERN LANGUGAES

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

Language 1:

FR2010/IT2024/SP2010 French/Italian/Spanish Language (Post-Advanced) (30 credits, year long)

Language 2:

either:

FR2018/IT2005/SP2005 French/Italian/Spanish Language (Post-Beginners) (30 credits, year long) or (if Language 2 in Year 1 was taken as Advanced):

FR2010/IT2024/SP2010 French/Italian/Spanish Language (Post-Advanced) (30 credits, year long)

FILM STUDIES

HA2434 Documentary Film and Television (15 credits)

FILM STUDIES OPTIONS

HA2227 Independent Research Project (15 credits)
OR

HA2030 Researching World Cinema (15 credits)

MODERN LANGUAGES

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

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

Modern Languages Cultural Studies Modules

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

		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

^{*} Students studying two languages must choose one Modern Languages Cultural Studies module from each language

FR2047	History and Memory in French Literature and Culture	15
IT2011	Italian Linguistics	15
IT2012	History of Italian Cinema	15
IT2016	Italian Society and Culture under Fascism	15
SP2022	The Mexican-US Border: History, Culture, Identity	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
SP2070	LatinxLiterature & 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

Film Studies Modules

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

		creaits
HA2433	Film, Reception and Consumption	15
HA2434	Documentary Film and Television	15

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
,	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		

^{**} available only for Advanced Students of French or Spanish

OPTIONS	OPTIONS
5 5	2 x 15 credit modules from Modern Languages Cultural Studies list (as aligned with the language being studied)
1 x 15 credit Film Studies module	1 x 15 credit Film Studies module

Two languages Route

its)	SEMESTER 2 (60 credits)	
CORE		
Language 1: FR3111/IT3010/SP3010 French/Italian/Spanish Language (Proficiency) (30 credits, year long)		
Language 2: FR3111/IT3010/SP3010 French/Italian/Spanish Language (Proficiency) (30 credits, year long)		
	OPTIONS	
0 0	1 x 15 credit module from Modern Languages Cultural Studies list (as aligned with the other language being studied)*	
	Langu ch/Italian/Spanis Langu	

^{*} Students studying two languages take one Modern Languages Cultural Studies module from each language.

1 x 15 credit Film Studies module

Modern Languages Cultural Studies Modules

1 x 15 credit Film Studies module

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		credits
FR3125	Immigration and Ethnicity in Colonial and Post-Colonial France	15
FR3140	Norms and Margins in French Cinema	15
FR3208	Gender and Power in Contemporary France	15
IT3136	Contemporary Italian Fiction	15
IT3139	Post-war Italian Directors	15
IT3146	Made in Italy. Italian design and fashion in the 20th and 21st century	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
SP3165	Spain and its Others	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

^{*}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.

Film Studies Modules

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

		credits
HA3040	Containment and Resistance in 1950s and 1960s American Film	15
HA3432	Contemporary Hollywood	15
HA3433	Screen Affect	15
HA3436	Stardom and Identities in Chinese and American Cinemas	15
HA3427	New Chinese Cinemas	15
HA3438	Hitchcock and Film Cinemas	15
HA3447	Contemporary European Cinema	15
HA3439	Film and Art Journalism	15
HA3464	Screen Gothic	15
HA3465	Seriality	15
HA3475	Post-War British Popular Culture	15
EN3035	Weird Fiction/Weird Film	15
HA3488	Star Wars: A Cultural History	15

Appendix 2: Module specifications

See module specification database: http://www.le.ac.uk/sas/courses/documentation

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

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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%)