

(For Students Admitted in 2017 or later)

## ABBREVIATIONS:

sem. = seminar

lect.= lecture

tuto.= tutoring

exam.= examination

obl. = obligatory

elec.= elective

obl.elec. = obligatory elective unit

## EXPLANATION OF PREREQUISITES

A prerequisite not enclosed in brackets, e.g. BBI-NEDD-301, is a **'strong' prerequisite**; it must be completed successfully at least one semester before the course in question for which it is a prerequisite.

A prerequisite enclosed in brackets, e.g. (BBI-NED-301), is a **'weak' prerequisite**; it can be taken up in the same semester with the course in question for which it is a prerequisite, but must be completed successfully for the course for which it is a prerequisite to be valid (if the prerequisite course is failed, the course for which it is a prerequisite will be invalid; such a course (with its prerequisite) may be retaken in the next semester at the earliest).

A prerequisite with an equals sign (=), e.g. =BBI-NED17-401, is a prerequisite that must be taken in the same semester with the course in question for which it is a prerequisite (as opposed to a 'weak' prerequisite, if the prerequisite course is failed, the course for which it is a prerequisite will still be valid).

## HOST INSTITUTE

Department of Dutch Studies / Institute of Germanic Studies

## PROGRAMME LEADER

Director of the Institute for Germanic Studies

## DURATION OF THE PROGRAMME

6 semesters (3 years)

## CREDITS REQUIRED FOR GRADUATION:

180 credits

## GRADUATION AND THESIS

### The Final Examination

The aim of the final examination is to examine and assess whether the student has been able to acquire and apply all the necessary knowledge, skills, and abilities required for the BA degree.

The final examination consists of two parts: (i) a written and (ii) an oral examination. The student is assessed on a scale of 1 to 5. The aim of the final examination is for the student to demonstrate his /her proficiency in Dutch and a satisfactory knowledge of the fields of Dutch literature, history, culture, and linguistics.

- i. During the written examination, the students has to demonstrate his / her proficiency in the Dutch language, i.e. he / she is able to use the language at C1 level (CEFR).
- ii. The oral part of the final examination is held before a committee and it consists of two parts
  1. Presentation of the thesis (defence of the thesis)

The candidate briefly introduces the main questions, method and results of his / her thesis by means of a presentation (e.g. PowerPoint, Prezi). During the presentation he / she responds to the criticism and answers the questions given in the referee's report, as well.

The presentation may not exceed **15 minutes**.

Based on the presentation, the committee can make sure that the thesis is independent work of the author and that the author is able to present his / her main findings orally, as well. The presentation will be evaluated by the committee based on the following 5 criteria: content, structure, language use, presentation technique and response to the referee's report.

2. Presentation of a main subject area

The student draws and then discusses a topic from one of the two general subject areas that do not match the subject of the thesis. The list of topics for the final examination comprises 6 topics for each subject area (linguistics, literature and cultural history). During the examination, the committee may refine the question related to the given topic and they may also ask questions related to other topics.

The final result of the final examination is the mathematical average of the three marks received at the final examination (written exam, defence, discussion of a topic). If the candidate fails any of these parts, the relevant regulations of the HKR are to be followed.

### **Prerequisites for the Final Examination**

1. The Student is in possession of the final certificate ("abszolutórium" in Hungarian): the final certificate confirms that the student has completed all the required study units and related general academic obligations as specified in the Study Unit List (except for the thesis, the required language proficiency examination, and the final examination), and has collected all credit points specified in the qualification requirements, except for those to be obtained for the thesis. The final certificate is to be issued in the semester in which the student has met all the requirements for the final certificate.
2. The Student has no outstanding financial obligations (such as e.g. an unpaid tuition fee or any other type of unpaid fee) and the student has returned all University property.
3. The Student has submitted a thesis in time and the thesis has been awarded a pass mark.

Note: You must complete ALL the prerequisites at least 3 days before the final examination (there can be no examinations left for after the final examination).

### **Registering for the Final Examination**

The Student must register for the Final Examination in the semester when the exam is attempted.

### **Degree Certificate**

The degree certificate states the weighted average of the grade received on the Final Examination (A) and the grade for the thesis (B) according to the following formula:  $(A*0,45) + (B*0,55)$ .

## STUDY UNIT LIST OF BA IN NETHERLANDIC STUDIES WITHIN GERMANIC STUDIES

Code BBI-	Name of Study Unit in Dutch	Name of Study Unit in English	Semester When	Type of Grade	Obligatory/ Elective	Hours/Week	Credits	Prerequisite(s)
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### I. Foundations: 10 credits

#### A) Humanities: 0 credits

#### B) General Theoretical Module: 10 credits

##### 1) General Module for Modern Language Majors: 6 credits

FLN11-101N	Inleiding in de taalkunde	Introduction to linguistics	1	lect.	obl.	2	3	
<i>or</i>								
FLN11-101E	Introduction to Linguistics	Introduction to Linguistics	1	lect	obl.	2	3	
<i>or</i>								
FLN11-101	Grundlagen der Sprachwissenschaft	Grundlagen der Sprachwissenschaft	1	lect.	obl.	2	3	
FLI11-101N	Inleiding in de letterkunde	Introduction to literature	1	lect.	obl.	2	3	
<i>or</i>								
FLN11-101	Grundlagen der Literaturwissenschaft	Grundlagen der Literaturwissenschaft	1	lect.	obl.	2	3	

**Subtotal 6**

##### 2) General Module for Germanic Languages and Cultures: 4 credits

GER11-101N	Germaanse talen en culturen	Germanic languages and cultures	2	lect.	obl.	2	4	
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### II. Core Studies: 156 credits

#### A) General Module within Core Studies for Germanic Studies: 0 credits

#### B) Netherlandic (Dutch) Studies Module within Core Studies for Germanic Studies: 106 credits

##### a) Foundation Studies in Netherlandic Studies: 22 credits

NED11-101N	Taalverwerving 1.	Language practice 1.	1	sem.	obl.	8	7	
NED11-102N	Taalverwerving 2.	Language practice 2.	2	sem.	obl.	8	7	NED11-101
NED17-141N	Cultuurgeschiedenis	Cultural history of the Low Countries	1	lect.	obl.	2	4	
NED17-142N	Academische competenties 1.	Academic skills 1.	2	lect.	obl.	2	4	NED11-101
NED-001N	Basisexamen Nederlandse taal	First proficiency examination	2	exam	obl.	0	0	(NED11-102; NED11-302)

**Subtotal 22**

##### b) Core Studies in Netherlandic Studies: 80 credits

NED15-201N	Taalverwerving 3.	Language practice 3.	3	sem.	obl.	6	7	NED-001
NED15-202N	Taalverwerving 4.	Language practice 4.	4	sem.	obl.	6	7	NED15-201
NED15-203N	Taalverwerving 5.	Language practice 5.	5	sem.	obl.	3	5	NED15-202
NED-301N	Basisgrammatica 1.	Basic Dutch grammar 1.	1	sem.	obl.	2	4	
NED11-302N	Basisgrammatica 2.	Basic Dutch grammar 2.	2	sem.	obl.	2	4	(NED-301)

NED15-311N	Grammatica en klankleer van het hedendaags Nederlands	Modern Dutch grammar and phonology	3	lect.	obl.	2	5	NED-001
NED17-312N	Inleiding in de Nederlandse taalkunde	Introduction to Dutch linguistics	4	lect.	obl.	2	5	NED-001, (NED15-311)
NED17-401N	Moderne Nederlandstalige literatuur (Hoorcollege)	Modern Dutch literature (lecture)	3	lect.	obl.	2	5	NED-001, (NED17-142), =NED17-402
NED17-402N	Moderne Nederlandstalige literatuur (Werkcollege)	Modern Dutch literature (seminar)	3	sem.	obl.	2	5	=NED17-401
NED17-411N	Historische Letterkunde (Hoorcollege)	Old Dutch literature (lecture)	4	lect.	obl.	2	5	NED17-142, =NED17-412
NED17-412N	Historische Letterkunde (Werkcollege)	Old Dutch literature (seminar)	4	sem.	obl.	2	5	=NED17-411
NED17-501N	Academische competenties 2.	Academic skills 2.	3	sem.	obl.	2	3	NED-001, NED17-142
NED17-502N	Cultuur- en mediawetenschappen 1.	Cultural and media studies 1.	4	lect.	obl.	2	3	NED15-201
NED17-503N	Leeslijst voor scriptie	Reading list for thesis	5	tuto.	obl.	2	4	NED15-202
NED17-601N	Cultuur- en mediawetenschappen 2.	Cultural and media studies 2.	5	lect.	obl.	2	5	NED15-202
NED17-602N	Taalvererving 6.	Language practice 6.	6	sem.	obl.	3	4	NED15-203
NED17-603N	Scriptiecollege	Thesis seminar	6	sem.	obl.	2	4	(NED17-503)

**Subtotal 80**

**C) Academic Internship: 0 credits**

**D) Specialized Studies: 50 credits**

**Specialized Studies in Netherlandic Studies**

NED15-701N	Woordenboekgebruik en woordenschatuitbreiding	Dictionary and vocabulary practice	3	sem.	obl. elec.	2	5	NED-001
NED15-711N	Vertaalcollege	Translation practice	4	sem.	obl. elec.	2	5	NED15-201
NED15-712N	Vergelijkend land en volk	Comparative cultural studies	5	sem.	obl. elec.	2	5	(NED15-202)
NED-720N	Workshop 'Elck syn waerom'	Workshop: current issues in Dutch studies	5	sem.	obl. elec.	2	5	(NED15-202)
NED17-722N	Zakelijke communicatie	Business Dutch	5-6	sem.	obl. elec.	3	5	(NED15-203)
NED15-731N	Specialisatiecollege 1.	Specialisation course 1.	5-6	sem.	obl. elec.	2	5	(NED15-202)
NED15-741N	Specialisatiecollege 2.	Specialisation course 2.	5-6	sem.	obl. elec.	2	5	(NED15-202)
NED17-751N	Specialisatiecollege 3.	Specialisation course 3.	5-6	sem.	obl. elec.	2	5	(NED15-202)
NED17-761N	Specialisatiecollege 4.	Specialisation course 4.	5-6	sem.	obl. elec.	2	5	(NED15-202)
NED17-762N	Moderne taalbeschouwing	Language attitudes	5-6	sem.	obl. elec.	2	5	(NED15-202)

**Subtotal 50**

**III. Free Elective courses: 14 credits**

**Subtotal 14**

**IV. Graduation: 4 credits**

NED17-SZDN	Scriptie	Thesis writing	6	tuto.	obl.	0	4	(NED17-603)
	Eindexamen	Final examination		exam.	obl.	0	0	(Thesis)

**Subtotal 4**

**Total credits: 180**