Master of Arts: British, American and Postcolonial Studies (2015)

Semester 1 — 30 LP

I.1 Survey, Tools and Methods (CM) 19 LP

Orientation Week 1 LP	Lecture *Text, Book and Culture* & colloquium 6 LP	Seminar in literary and cultural studies & research workshop 6 LP	Lecture in linguistics & research workshop 6 LP

I.2 Advanced Studies in Literature, Culture, Linguistics, and Book Studies (EM) 6 LP

Lecture *Hotspots in Literary/ Cultural Studies, Book Studies and Linguistics* 3 LP
Lecture or seminar 3 LP

I.3 Work Experience (EM) 10 LP

Professional Skills Course 2 LP		German Language Course 2 LP
Event Organisation	Event Organisation & Tutorial	Internship

Major assignments

Written Exam	Oral Exam

Semester 2 — 30 LP

II.1.1 Historical and Social Perspectives: Texts and Categories (OM) 15 LP	II.1.2 Historical and Social Perspectives: Language and Linguistics (OM) 15 LP	II.1.3 Historical and Social Perspectives: The Book (OM) 15 LP	II.2 Systematic Perspectives (CM) 10 LP
Seminar 6 LP Seminar 6 LP Lecture 3 LP	Seminar 6 LP Seminar 6 LP Lecture 3 LP	Seminar 6 LP Research workshop 6 LP Lecture 3 LP	Seminar 7 LP Advanced Academic Skills I 3 LP

(I.3 Work Experience continued)

Project management 8 LP (240h)	Co-organisation 4 LP (120h) Teaching 4 LP (120h)	Professional experience 8 LP (240h)

Major assignments

Research Paper	Critical Evaluation	Portfolio

Semester 3 — 30 LP

III.1 Interdisciplinary Perspectives: Exchange & Transformation (CM) 10 LP	III.2 External Module (CM) 10 LP	III.3.1 Research Module: Literary Studies and Book Studies (OM) 15 LP	III.3.2 Research Module: Linguistics (OM) 15 LP
Seminar 7 LP Advanced Academic Skills II 3 LP	type(s) and number of courses depend on subject chosen according to prior agreement	3rd semester: Postgraduate Class 5 LP & reading list 5 LP	3rd semester: Postgraduate Class 4 LP & research project 6 LP

Major assignments

Research Paper

Semester 4 — 30 LP

Master Thesis 25 LP	III.3.1 4th semester: Postgraduate Class 5 LP	III.3.2 4th semester: Postgraduate Class 3 LP & research project 2 LP
	Portfolio	Presentation

CM = compulsory module; OM = optional compulsory module; EM = compulsory module with elective options; LP = Leistungspunkte (credits)