

Humanities modules available for incoming exchange students, 2022-23

The Department of Humanities covers the subject groups **Literature, Creative Writing, Linguistics, Music, and History**. Depending on your study programme at home, you may choose to pick options from one subject group or across all three areas. You can find a list of the available Semester 1 options on page 2 of this document and a list of the Semester 2 options on page 3.

Module codes that start with the number '4' are taken by our first-year BA students; those with a '5' are for second-year students; and '6' means that the module is at third-year level. We do not impose any restrictions on Erasmus students regarding the level at which they take their options. However, you or your home university might have views regarding the appropriate level.

There are a number of year-long modules available, all worth **10 ECTs**. Please, note that if you choose those modules, you are committing yourself to taking them for the whole year (2 semesters) to get the credit.

All other modules run for one semester (12 weeks) and are worth **10 ECTs**. Most modules in semester 1 are assessed by essays, while those in semester 2 sometimes feature an essay and an exam.

You can **look up information on these modules** by typing the code into the following web form: http://nuweb2.northumbria.ac.uk/live/webserv/mod.php?_ga=2.252785793.901025836.1542700074-839440939.1535956870&_gac=1.247122224.1542354913.EAIaIQobChMIgJDJm_qg3QIVS-R3Ch3RhA_1EAAYASAAEgILDfD_BwE

If you have any questions about these modules, please contact the **departmental Erasmus coordinator, Dr Monika Smialkowska** (monika.smialkowska@northumbria.ac.uk).

Year-long			
Subject	Code	Name	Restrictions
Creative Writing	EL4014	Story	
Linguistics	EL4007	Understanding English Grammar	
Linguistics	EL4008	Introduction to Language and Literature	
Linguistics	EL4009	Approaches to Language Study	
Linguistics	EL4011	Doing Linguistics	
Linguistics	EL4012	Introduction to Discourse Analysis	
Linguistics	EL4013	Introduction to TESOL Classrooms	
Linguistics	EL5013	Language and Society	
Linguistics	EL5017	The Sounds and Structures of English	
Literature	EL4006	Concepts in Criticism and Culture	
Literature	EL5004	Modernism and Modernity	
Literature	EL5029	Literature in the Museum	
History	HI4009	Cultures, Empires and Ideas: Global Histories of Power and Ideology	
Music	MU4003	Techniques of Composition, Harmonic Analysis, and Improvisation	Requires ability to read music and knowledge of music theory

Semester 1			
Subject	Code	Name	Restrictions
History	HI4005	From Sea to Shining Sea: United States History, 1776-2008	
History	HI4006	Late Medieval and Early Modern Europe, 1200-1720	
History	AM5003	The American West	
History	HI5006	Slavery, Manifest Destiny and Sectionalism: The United States, 1783-1850	
History	HI5027	Enlightenment to Empire: France in the Age of Revolution 1715-1815	
History	HI5038	Early Modern Monarchies: Power and Representation, 1500–1750	
History	HI5043	Rise of the Russian Empire: the Romanovs, 1613-1855	
History	HI5048	Witches, Knights and Plague: Medieval Europe on Film	
History	HI5045	Origins of the Modern Middle East, c. 1770-1970	
History	HI5053	Travel Writing and Tourism in Modern Britain and Ireland	
History	HI6010	Women, Crime and Subversion in Early Modern Europe	Reserved for students on Humanities exchanges and Georgia State
History	HI6026	Sex and the City: Urban Life in Eighteenth Century Britain	
History	HI6029	Mystics, Deviants and Satanists: Unorthodox Thinking in the Age of the Inquisition	
History	HI6033	The Art of Power: Tudor Court Culture	
History	HI6038	History of Antisemitism	Reserved for students on Humanities exchanges and Georgia State
History	HI6039	The British Women's Suffrage Movement in History and Memory	
History	HI6063	Creatures of Empire: An Animal History of British Colonialism	

History	HI6064	Secret Documents, Oral Traditions: How We Know About African History	
Creative Writing	EL4015	Creative and Critical Practice	
Creative Writing	EL6046	Advanced Creative Writing	Reserved to students on Humanities exchanges and Georgia State
Linguistics	EL5014	History of English	
Linguistics	EL5016	Psychology of English Language	
Linguistics	EL6028	Origins and Evolution of Language	Reserved to students on Humanities exchanges and Georgia State
Linguistics	EL6029	World Englishes	Reserved to students on Humanities exchanges and Georgia State
Linguistics	EL6032	Variation, Change and Corpus Linguistics	Reserved to students on Humanities exchanges and Georgia State
Literature	EL4001	Introduction to Literary Studies	
Literature	EL4003	Representing the US: From Slavery to Terrorism	
Literature	EL5003	Early Modern Cultures	
Literature	EL5005	The Geneses of English Literature	
Literature	EL5009	Literature and Adaptation	
Literature	EL6004	Vamps and Virgins	Reserved to students on Humanities exchanges and Georgia State
Literature	EL6053	Writing Women: Aphra Behn in Focus	Reserved to students on Humanities exchanges and Georgia State
Music	MU4001	Millennium of music (Part I)	Requires an ability to read music
Music	MU5001	Making Music History	Requires an ability to read music

Semester 2			
Subject	Code	Name	Restrictions
History	HI4003	The Making of Contemporary Europe (1789-1990s)	
History	HI4004	A Disunited Kingdom? The British and Irish Isles since 1689	
History	HI5014	From Reconstruction to Reunification: Europe, 1945–1991	
History	HI5022	The Holocaust	
History	HI5044	Power and Freedom: West African History, 1850-2010	
History	HI5051	British Empire: The First Two Hundred Years	
History	HI5052	History/Film: Using Popular Film as Historical Evidence	
History	HI5004	Affluence and Anxiety: The US from 1920 to 1960	
History	HI6036	Holocaust Testimony and Cultural Memory	
History	HI6037	Environmental Disaster in Modern Britain	
History	HI6040	Nicaragua in Revolution, 1979-1990	
History	HI6041	Russia Between Democracy and Dictatorship: Gorbachev to Putin, 1985-2008	Reserved for students on Humanities exchanges and Georgia State
History	HI6045	Capitalism and its Others	
American Studies	AM4001	Introduction to American Studies	
American Studies	AM4002	Contemporary America	

American Studies	AM6004	States of Nature: Environments and Peoples in the Americas	
Creative Writing	EL6044	Writing Fantasy and Science Fiction	Reserved to students on Humanities exchanges and Georgia State
Linguistics	EL5015	Language and Literature	
Linguistics	EL5020	Classroom Skills for TESOL	
Linguistics	EL6027	Second Language Acquisition	Reserved to students on Humanities exchanges and Georgia State
Linguistics	EL6033	Language & Social Disadvantage	Reserved to students on Humanities exchanges and Georgia State
Linguistics	EL6043	Language and Meaning	Reserved to students on Humanities exchanges and Georgia State
Literature	EL4004	Reading Poetry	
Literature	EL4017	Gothic Stories: Nineteenth Century to the Present	
Literature	EL5026	Literary Revolutions, 1700-1832	
Literature	EL6049	Jane Austen to Austenland	Reserved to students on Humanities exchanges and Georgia State
Music	MU4006	Millennium of music (Part II)	Requires an ability to read music
Music	MU5002	Music History Project	Requires an ability to read music. Normally there is a prerequisite of MU5001.