

At Louvain-la-Neuve - 120 credits - 2 years - Day schedule - In FrenchDissertation/Graduation Project : **YES** - Internship : **YES**Activities in English: **optional** - Activities in other languages : **YES**Activities on other sites : **optional**Main study domain : **Information et communication**Organized by: **Faculty of Philosophy, Arts and Letters (FIAL)**Programme acronym: **MULT2M** - Francophone Certification Framework: 7**Table of contents**

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MULT2M - Introduction

Introduction

Introduction

This Master's degree is geared towards acquiring communication skills (both written and oral) and professional tools relating to the business world. The classes are delivered in the target language and include specialized exercises and case studies.

Organized in collaboration with the Faculty of Economic, Social and Political Sciences and Communication, the Master's prepares students for a career in business. The programme includes an internship in a company where one of the two languages studied is spoken. You will spend three months working full-time in a company in Belgium or abroad.

Your profile

You

- have a Bachelor's in Human Sciences and are looking for a business-orientated course;
- have a good command of two modern languages and wish to put your language skills into practice in a business context;
- are looking to gain significant initial work experience;
- are working towards a management or communications role in international business.

Your programme

The Master's programme offers you

- intensive study of two modern languages (French, English, Dutch or German) and business language communication skills;
- workplace immersion;
- a versatile professional profile;
- the possibility of carrying out part of your programme at KU Leuven or abroad as part of an international exchange programme;
- the possibility of participating in a double degree programme organised in collaboration with the University of Ottawa;
- a wide range of courses to include in your programme;
- an inter-disciplinary working environment.

MULT2M - Teaching profile

Learning outcomes

The [Master \[120\] in Multilingual Communication](#) with a Professional Focus in Languages for Business Communication gives you the expertise, competence and critical analysis skills to set you up as a responsible player in the world of national and international business.

Graduates of the course will integrate easily into a company or organization in a role such as multilingual communications specialist, public relations manager or recruitment manager. They will bring to the company/organization a whole range of knowledge and skills developed and acquired during their degree course:

- an excellent command, both written and spoken, of at least two of the following modern languages: German, English, French and Dutch;
- knowledge and understanding of how a company/organization operates, specifically in the area of communications. These skills will have been acquired principally through immersion in a company (minimum three-month internship);
- knowledge of the economic, legal, social and political situation in some of the countries of the languages studied;
- knowledge and understanding of interpersonal and intercultural communication;
- the knowledge and understanding they have gained from university study: academic research and rigorous methodology.

Graduates will also have learned how to take a critical and constructive look at themselves and the world around them, making them highly adaptable and open to further learning.

Graduates of the [Master \[120\] in Multilingual Communication](#) will have acquired the necessary knowledge and skills to take on the role of responsible player and communicator and apply their expertise to society and the business world (companies/organizations).

On successful completion of this programme, each student is able to :

1. Have a good practical knowledge and command of the two major languages studied (German, English, French or Dutch) to at least Level C1* for listening and reading comprehension and a minimum of Level B2* for oral and written expression and interaction, and will thus be able to make a valuable contribution to projects in the business/corporate field.

(*) [Common European Framework of Reference for Languages](#)

1.1. Have a command of specific business/corporate vocabulary in the two target languages;

1.2. Have the ability to critically analyse and understand written and oral texts on general or business/corporate topics, including long, complex documents, in the two target languages and be able to exploit the details and nuances of these documents;

1.3. Be able to speak the two target languages fluently and to interact spontaneously, with ease and in a logically structured manner on general or business-related topics and strategically within a company/organization at a national and/or international and multicultural level;

1.4. Be able to draft clear, well-structured and well-argued general or specific texts for business use in the two target languages. These documents will comply with the appropriate conventions and will be tailored to the target audience and objectives.

2. Have the ability to communicate, converse and collaborate in a professional manner and devise and manage pertinent communication strategies for business/corporate projects.

2.1. Have a sound knowledge and understanding of the key elements of communication and communication strategies in an organization/company;

2.2. Be able to devise and implement context-appropriate communication strategies for business/corporate projects;

2.3. Have the ability to communicate, orally and in writing, on complex topics (information, ideas, conclusions, specific courses of action, and the underlying principles and know-how) in a clear, structured, well-argued manner in line with the communication standards specific to the context and tailored to the target audience and objectives;

2.4. Be able to engage in respectful, constructive dialogue and interaction with different types of people (from various socio-cultural backgrounds, positions, spheres of action and areas of expertise), demonstrating a listening ear, an open mind, detachment and assertiveness;

2.5. Have effective teamwork skills (in a national and/or international and multicultural environment) and demonstrate leadership ability when necessary.

3. Be able to comment on, analyse and take a critical look at the economic, legal, social and political situation in some of the countries of the languages studied, including the political institutions, the various social partners and the major social issues debated in some of these countries.

3.1. Know, understand, analyse and take a critical look at the economic, legal, social and political situation in some of the countries of the languages studied, including the political institutions and social partners (employers, trade unions, etc.) at the heart of the business community in these countries;

3.2. Be able to use this knowledge to analyse and cast a critical, layman's eye on the major social issues debated in some of the countries of the languages studied;

3.3. Be able to use this knowledge to analyse and cast a critical eye on the situations in which graduates will play an active role to allow them to find their position and take relevant, well-thought-out action.

4. Be capable of successfully managing a communications-related project within a company or organization, adopting a responsible, independent, well-considered approach.

4.1. Know and understand the project management process (project cycles): project formulation and definition, management, monitoring and evaluation;

4.2. Be able to adapt a communications-related project to its environment, identifying the challenges, constraints and players, and formulate clearly defined objectives;

- 4.3. Alone or as part of a team, be able to plan and develop all the stages of a communications-related project and, having allocated the tasks, collaborate with all parties involved;
- 4.4. Alone or as part of a team, be able to take and assume responsibility for the decisions required for effective management of the project in order to achieve the targets set;
- 4.5. Be capable of involving key players in the process as and when required.
5. Understand their role within the company/organization and exercise it in line with the company's operating policies and environment (capitalizing on their internship experience).
- 5.1. Have an understanding of the internal workings of a company/organization and the role of its players and be able to adapt to these operations within the wider local and international social, political and economic context;
- 5.2. Understand their own role and remit within the company/organization, specifically in terms of its communications, and vis-à-vis the different internal and external stakeholders, allowing them to operate competently and effectively;
- 5.3. Be able to adapt to the specific environment of the company/organization they work for (e.g. the company's structure and culture; national and/or international and multicultural context; language policies);
- 5.4. Be able to combine the theory and practical skills they have learned, especially during their internship, in order to critically analyse the workings of an institution and one or more of the issues it faces, as well as how theory compares to reality (alternating between theory and practice).
6. Have the ability to design and carry out research, adopting a rigorous scientific and methodological approach to investigating an original research topic relating to issues affecting the business/corporate world and international organizations.
- 6.1. Be able to pinpoint and formulate one or more research questions relating to a complex issue;
- 6.2. Be able to summarize what is already known about the research question(s) in the fields studied, using a critical approach and deductive reasoning skills (possible research topics relate to the economic, legal, social and political situation in the countries of the languages studied, the external communications of certain organizations/companies and the use of certain languages within some organizations/companies);
- 6.3. Be capable of devising and implementing a rigorous, pertinent methodology for obtaining the answers to the research question(s);
- 6.4. Have the ability to design and conduct empirical quantitative and/or qualitative research, as appropriate, using the relevant analytical tools;
- 6.5. Have the skills to analyse and interpret the results, providing a reasoned critique;
- 6.6. Be able to demonstrate deductive reasoning skills and formulate conclusions;
- 6.7. And generally demonstrate their ability to take a step back and assess with a critical eye both their own work and the knowledge contributed.
7. Conduct themselves as university graduates and critical and responsible players who are open to continuous learning opportunities.
- 7.1. Be able to apply the objective critical analysis skills (theory and methodology) they acquired at university to develop and enhance their career;
- 7.2. Demonstrate commitment and the ability to make decisions and act autonomously and responsibly with respect for the context, for the work environment and for others;
- 7.3. Be able to take a critical look at their own skills (including their language skills) and independently seek out ways and opportunities to improve these skills as part of a continuous learning programme that will be vital to further their social and professional development.

Programme structure

The **Master of Multilingual Business Communication (MULT)** offers:

- Intensive study of two major languages (Dutch, English, French, or German);
- A range of business courses which provide insight into the working world (economics, communication, management, ...);
- A full-time, three-month internship in a company where one of the two major languages chosen is spoken;
- Optional study of a third language (at introductory, intermediate or advanced level): Arabic, Chinese, Dutch, French, German, Italian, Japanese, Portuguese, Russian and Spanish).

The programme consists of:

- a core curriculum (75 credits), comprising:
 - 18 language course credits (9 credits per language studied);
 - 15 general course credits (at least one economics course and one communications course);
 - 20 company internship credits (three months minimum - in one of the two major languages);
 - 15 dissertation credits and 7 dissertation seminar credits;
- the Professional Focus (specialization) in Languages for Business Communication (15 credits per language studied);
- and an option or optional course (15 credits).

[Structure of the double degree programme with the University of Ottawa](#) (for selected UCLouvain students).

MULT2M Programme

Detailed programme by subject

CORE COURSES [75.0]

- Mandatory
- ⊗ Optional
- △ Not offered in 2024-2025
- ⊖ Not offered in 2024-2025 but offered the following year
- ⊕ Offered in 2024-2025 but not the following year
- △ ⊕ Not offered in 2024-2025 or the following year
- Activity with requisites
- 🌐 Open to incoming exchange students
- 🚫 Not open to incoming exchange students
- [FR] Teaching language (FR, EN, ES, NL, DE, ...)

Click on the course title to see detailed informations (objectives, methods, evaluation...)

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○ Dissertation and dissertation seminar (22 credits)

○ LMULT2998	Dissertation ■		FR [q1+q2] [] [15 Credits] 🌐		X
○ LMULT2997	Dissertation Seminar		FR [q1+q2] [15h] [7 Credits] 🌐	X	

○ Stage en entreprise ou service citoyen (20 credits)

⊗ LMULT2990	Work placement <i>L'étudiant effectue un stage de 3 mois minimum dans une des deux langues majeures inscrites à son programme.</i>	Sylvie De Cock (coord.)	FR [q2] [468h] [20 Credits] 🌐		X
⊗ LMULT2991	Citizen service <i>L'étudiant participe pendant 6 mois à des activités et/ou projets dans au moins une des langues inscrites à son programme.</i>	Sylvie De Cock (coord.)	FR [] [] [20 Credits] 🌐		X

○ Language courses (18 credits)

Students must choose, from each of the two groups, the courses for their major languages :

○ Listening comprehension and oral expression : specialized oral exercises

⊗ LALLE2710	Listening comprehension and oral expression: specialised German oral exercises - Part 1	Ann Rinder (coord.)	DE [q1] [30h] [3 Credits] 🌐	X	X
⊗ LALLE2712	Listening comprehension and oral expression: specialized German oral exercises - Part 2	Ann Rinder (coord.)	DE [q2] [30h] [3 Credits] 🌐	X	X
⊗ LANGL2710	Listening comprehension and specialised (business) English oral exercises	Sabrina Knorr Colleen Starrs (coord.)	EN [q1] [30h] [3 Credits] 🌐	X	X
⊗ LANGL2712	Listening comprehension and specialised (business) English oral exercises - Part 2	Maité Dupont (compensates Colleen Starrs) Sabrina Knorr	EN [q2] [30h] [3 Credits] 🌐	X	X
⊗ LNEER2710	Listening and speaking skills for business Dutch - Part 1	Katrien De Rycke (coord.)	NL [q1] [30h] [3 Credits] 🌐	X	X
⊗ LNEER2712	Listening and speaking skills for business Dutch - Part 2	Katrien De Rycke (coord.)	NL [q2] [30h] [3 Credits] 🌐	X	X
⊗ LROM2680	Specialized French Oral Exercises	Thomas François	FR [q2] [30h] [3 Credits] 🌐	X	X

○ Specialized written exercises

⊗ LALLE2711	German - Specialised German Writing Skills	Caroline Klein (coord.)	DE [q2] [30h] [3 Credits] 🌐	X	X
⊗ LANGL2711	Specialised English Writing Skills	Timothy Byrne (coord.)	EN [q1] [30h] [3 Credits] 🌐	X	X
⊗ LFIAL2711	Specialised Dutch Writing Skills	Jordi Heeren (compensates Philippe Hilgsmann)	NL [q2] [30h] [3 Credits] 🌐	X	X
⊗ LROM2691	Exercices écrits spécialisés en français	Thomas François	FR [q2] [30h] [6 Credits] 🌐	X	X

o General courses (15 credits)

15 credits chosen from the following courses (at least one course of economics and one course of communication) :

⌘ Economics course

If certain courses have already been taken in a first cycle programme, they must be replaced with another course from the list and may not form the subject of exemptions.

⌘ LTRAV2610	Business economics	Guilhem Bascle	FR [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐	X	X
⌘ LECGE1121	Economic and Social History	Emmanuel Debruyne	FR [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐	X	X
⌘ LCOPS1115	Economic Policy	Tanguy Isaac Arastou Khatibi	FR [q1] [45h+15h] [5 Credits] 🌐	X	X

⌘ Communication course**⌘ Other Bachelor's degree**

Students who do not have a Bachelor's degree in Communication choose a maximum of 2 courses from:

⌘ LCOMU1325	Communication and Organisation	François Lambotte Damien Renard	FR [q1] [22.5h] [5 Credits] 🌐	X	X
⌘ LCOMU1332	Public relations	Katia Delvaile	FR [q1] [22.5h] [5 Credits] 🌐	X	X

⌘ Bachelor in Information and Communication

Students with a Bachelor in Information and Communication chooses a maximum of 2 communication courses from:

⌘ LCOMU2610	Internal communication and communication of change	François Lambotte Katja Werbrouck (compensates François Lambotte)	FR [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐	X	X
⌘ LCOMU2611	Internal communication Audit		FR [q1] [15h] [5 Credits] Δ 🌐	X	X
⌘ LCOMU2606	Inter-cultural communication	Fabrice Dhume	FR [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐	X	X

PROFESSIONAL FOCUS : LANGUAGES FOR BUSINESS COMMUNICATION [30.0]

This Professional focus develops communication skills in business in two languages (English, Dutch, German or French), as well as an understanding of the economic, legal, social and political situation in the relevant countries.

Students must choose 30 credits (15 per language) and take a minimum of 15 credits during the 1st annual block.

- Mandatory
- ⊗ Optional
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- Activity with requisites
- 🌐 Open to incoming exchange students
- 🌐 Not open to incoming exchange students
- (FR) Teaching language (FR, EN, ES, NL, DE, ...)

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o Content:

o Oral communication strategies in a company (12 credits)

12 credits chosen from :

⊗ LMULT2414	Oral business communication techniques in German 1	Manon Hermann Ann Rinder	DE [q1] [15h+15h] [3 Credits] 🌐	X	X
⊗ LMULT2415	Oral business communication techniques in German (Part 2)	Manon Hermann Ann Rinder	DE [q2] [7.5h+15h] [3 Credits] 🌐	X	X
⊗ LMULT2424	Oral business communication techniques in English (Part 1)	Stéphanie Brabant Sylvie De Cock Katherine Opello	EN [q1] [15h+15h] [3 Credits] 🌐	X	X
⊗ LMULT2425	Oral business communication techniques in English (Part 2)	Stéphanie Brabant Sylvie De Cock Katherine Opello	EN [q2] [7.5h+15h] [3 Credits] 🌐	X	X
⊗ LMULT2434	Oral business communication techniques in Dutch (Part 1)	Anne Goedgezelschap Sara Jonkers	NL [q1] [15h+15h] [3 Credits] 🌐	X	X
⊗ LMULT2435	Oral business communication techniques in Dutch (Part 2)	Anne Goedgezelschap Sara Jonkers	NL [q2] [7.5h+15h] [3 Credits] 🌐	X	X
⊗ LROM2660	Oral business communication strategies in French	Thomas François	FR [q1] [22.5h+22.5h] [6 Credits] 🌐	X	X

o Reading comprehension and lexical extension : economic and commercial texts (8 credits)

Two courses chosen from :

⊗ LMULT2213	Reading comprehension and vocabulary extension: economic and commercial texts in German	Marie-Luce Collard	DE [q1] [22.5h] [4 Credits] 🌐	X	X
⊗ LMULT2223	Reading comprehension and vocabulary extension: economic and commercial texts in English	Marie-Aude Lefer (compensates Sylvie De Cock)	EN [q1] [22.5h] [4 Credits] 🌐	X	X
⊗ LMULT2233	Reading comprehension and vocabulary extension: economic and commercial texts in Dutch	Marlène Vrancx	NL [q1] [22.5h] [4 Credits] 🌐	X	X
⊗ LROM2670	Les textes économiques et commerciaux en français : genres de discours et questions de terminologie	Thomas François	FR [q1] [22.5h] [4 Credits] 🌐	X	X

o Economic, legal, social and political situation (10 credits)

Two courses chosen from :

⊗ LMULT2411	Economic, legal, social and political issues in German-speaking countries	Dany Etienne	DE [q1] [30h+15h] [5 Credits] 🌐	X	X
⊗ LMULT2421	Economic, legal, social and political issues in English-speaking countries	Paul Arblaster	EN [q1] [30h+15h] [5 Credits] 🌐	X	X
⊗ LMULT2431	Economic, legal, social and political issues in Dutch-speaking countries	Katrien De Rycke Matthieu Sergier (compensates Philippe Hiligsmann)	NL [q1] [30h+15h] [5 Credits] 🌐	X	X
⊗ LTRAV2000	Introduction to Sciences of Work	Marie Antoine	FR [q1] [15h] [5 Credits] 🌐	X	X

OPTIONS [15.0]

The 15-credit options and/or optional courses enable students to develop certain skills in relation to their future career.

They choose:

- either a 15-credit option;
- or optional courses worth 15 credits, subject to approval by the Examination Board Secretary and the Master's dissertation supervisor (students may, if they wish, study a third language at the [Language Institute of the UCLouvain](#)).

Note: Students choosing the Interdisciplinary Program in Entrepreneurship INEO must take between 20 and 30 course credits. In total, the Master's programme will in this case comprise more than 120 credits. Students who do not wish to take more than 120 credits are invited to choose another option or elective courses.

- > [Option in Employment studies](#) [en-prog-2024-mult2m-lmult815o]
- > [Option in Strategic Communication](#) [en-prog-2024-mult2m-lmult830o]
- > [Option in Communication: Journalism](#) [en-prog-2024-mult2m-lmult831o]
- > [Option in socio-educational communication](#) [en-prog-2024-mult2m-lmult832o]
- > [Option in communication: media literacy](#) [en-prog-2024-mult2m-lmult833o]
- > [Option in Political Science](#) [en-prog-2024-mult2m-lmult817o]
- > [Option in Economics](#) [en-prog-2024-mult2m-lmult818o]
- > [Option in Management](#) [en-prog-2024-mult2m-lmult819o]
- > [Option in 'Bedrijfscommunicatie'](#) [en-prog-2024-mult2m-lmult829o]
- > [Option in Spanish for Business Communication](#) [en-prog-2024-mult2m-lmult820o]
- > [Option in Digital Culture and Ethics](#) [en-prog-2024-mult2m-lmult800o]
- > [Interdisciplinary Program in Entrepreneurship - INEO](#) [en-prog-2024-mult2m-lmult850o]
- > [Optional courses](#) [en-prog-2024-mult2m-lmult840o]

OPTION IN EMPLOYMENT STUDIES [15.0]

- ⦿ Mandatory
- ⊗ Optional
- △ Not offered in 2024-2025
- ⊖ Not offered in 2024-2025 but offered the following year
- ⊕ Offered in 2024-2025 but not the following year
- △ ⊕ Not offered in 2024-2025 or the following year
- Activity with requisites
- 🌐 Open to incoming exchange students
- 🚫 Not open to incoming exchange students
- (FR) Teaching language (FR, EN, ES, NL, DE, ...)

Click on the course title to see detailed informations (objectives, methods, evaluation...)

15 credits chosen from :

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Content:

Course Code	Course Title	Instructor(s)	Details	Year 1	Year 2
⊗ LTRAV2230	Psychology of work	Michaël Dubois	FR [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐	X	X
⊗ LTRAV2240	Labour economics	Anaïs Perilleux	FR [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐	X	X
⊗ LTRAV2200	Sociology of work	Matthieu de Nanteuil Isabelle Ferreras	FR [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐	X	X
⊗ LTRAV2600	Staff and organization	Michel Ajzen Marie Antoine	FR [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐	X	X

OPTION IN STRATEGIC COMMUNICATION [15.0]

Maximum 20 MULT students per year, selected by the jury on the basis of a letter of motivation sent to the [president of the jury](#).

This option must be chosen in the second annual block.

- Mandatory
- ✘ Optional
- △ Not offered in 2024-2025
- ⊗ Not offered in 2024-2025 but offered the following year
- ⊕ Offered in 2024-2025 but not the following year
- △ ⊕ Not offered in 2024-2025 or the following year
- Activity with requisites
- 🌐 Open to incoming exchange students
- 🚫 Not open to incoming exchange students
- [FR] Teaching language (FR, EN, ES, NL, DE, ...)

[Click on the course title to see detailed informations \(objectives, methods, evaluation...\)](#)

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○ **Content:**

● LCOMU2310	Organizations strategies and strategic communication	Sandrine Agie De Selsaeten Emmanuel Goedseels	EN [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐		X
● LCOMU2615	Corporate communication	Damien Renard	FR [q1] [30h+15h] [5 Credits] 🌐		X
● LCOMU2706	Management de la communication	Catherine Alexandre Bruno Fierens	FR [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐		X

OPTION IN COMMUNICATION: JOURNALISM [15.0]

- Mandatory
- ⊗ Optional
- △ Not offered in 2024-2025
- ⊖ Not offered in 2024-2025 but offered the following year
- ⊕ Offered in 2024-2025 but not the following year
- △ ⊕ Not offered in 2024-2025 or the following year
- Activity with requisites
- 🌐 Open to incoming exchange students
- 🚫🌐 Not open to incoming exchange students
- (FR) Teaching language (FR, EN, ES, NL, DE, ...)

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o Content:

● LCOMU2428	Enjeux journalistiques de l'actualité et des institutions européennes	Anne-Sophie Bruyndonckx Gaspard Grosjean Olivier Le Bussy	FR [q1] [22.5h] [5 Credits] 🌐	X	X
● LCOMU2429	Socio-economics of journalism and news media	Bernard Marchant Olivier Standaert	FR [q2] [22.5h] [5 Credits] 🌐	X	X
● LCOMU2430	Ethical and Critical Analysis of Journalism	Benoît Grevisse	FR [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐	X	X

OPTION IN SOCIO-EDUCATIONAL COMMUNICATION [15.0]

- Mandatory
- ⊗ Optional
- △ Not offered in 2024-2025
- ⊖ Not offered in 2024-2025 but offered the following year
- ⊕ Offered in 2024-2025 but not the following year
- △ ⊕ Not offered in 2024-2025 or the following year
- Activity with requisites
- 🌐 Open to incoming exchange students
- 🚫🌐 Not open to incoming exchange students
- (FR) Teaching language (FR, EN, ES, NL, DE, ...)

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● LCOMU2600	Scientific popularisation	Jerry Jacques	FR [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐	X	X
● LCOMU2640	Media education and media literacy	Thibault Philippette Camille Tilleul (compensates Thibault Philippette)	FR [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐	X	X
● LCOMU2663	Educational effects of media	Martin Culot Valéria Ligurgo	FR [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐	X	X

OPTION IN COMMUNICATION: MEDIA LITERACY [15.0]

Maximum 10 MULT students per year, selected by the jury on the basis of a letter of motivation sent to the [president of the jury](#).

- Mandatory
- ✘ Optional
- △ Not offered in 2024-2025
- ⊖ Not offered in 2024-2025 but offered the following year
- ⊕ Offered in 2024-2025 but not the following year
- △ ⊕ Not offered in 2024-2025 or the following year
- Activity with requisites
- 🌐 Open to incoming exchange students
- 🚫 Not open to incoming exchange students
- [FR] Teaching language (FR, EN, ES, NL, DE, ...)

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● LCOMU2200	Genres, cultures and representations	Sarah Sepulchre	FR [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐	X	X
● LCOMU2221	Analyse des productions cinématographiques	Sébastien Fevry	FR [q1] [22.5h] [5 Credits] 🌐	X	X
● LCOMU2605	Analysis of televised series	Sarah Sepulchre	FR [q2] [22.5h] [5 Credits] 🌐	X	X

OPTION IN POLITICAL SCIENCE [15.0]

- Mandatory
- ✘ Optional
- △ Not offered in 2024-2025
- Not offered in 2024-2025 but offered the following year
- ⊕ Offered in 2024-2025 but not the following year
- △ ⊕ Not offered in 2024-2025 or the following year
- Activity with requisites
- 🌐 Open to incoming exchange students
- 🚫 Not open to incoming exchange students
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● LADPU2000	Policy Advice : Advanced Policy Analysis <i>Have taken a basic course in political science.</i>	David Aubin	FR [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐	X	X
● LSPRI2045	International Organizations	Joël Ficet (compensates Amine Ait-Chaalal)	FR [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐	X	X
● LSPRI2200	Communication, political marketing and lobbying	Theodoros Koutroubas Alban Versailles (compensates Sandrine Roginsky)	EN [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐	X	X

OPTION IN ECONOMICS [15.0]

Students choosing this option are required to have taken the two economics courses from the core subjects or to have taken at least two economics courses in their bachelor's degree programme.

- Mandatory
- ✘ Optional
- △ Not offered in 2024-2025
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- △ ⊕ Not offered in 2024-2025 or the following year
- Activity with requisites
- 🌐 Open to incoming exchange students
- 🚫 Not open to incoming exchange students
- (FR) Teaching language (FR, EN, ES, NL, DE, ...)

Click on the course title to see detailed informations (objectives, methods, evaluation...)

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o Content:

● LECON2382	Seminar on Contemporary Economic Issues III	Amma Panin	EN [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐	X	X
● LECON2351	Non profit Economics	Marthe Nyssens	FR [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐	X	X
● LECON2828	Structural change, inequality, and development <i>Course taught at UCLouvain / Course description available on UNamur ECONM828 / https://directory.unamur.be/teaching/courses/ECONM828</i>		EN [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐	X	X

OPTION IN MANAGEMENT [15.0]

Students choosing this option course are required to have taken the Minor in Management.

- Mandatory
- ✘ Optional
- △ Not offered in 2024-2025
- ⊖ Not offered in 2024-2025 but offered the following year
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- Activity with requisites
- 🌐 Open to incoming exchange students
- 🚫 Not open to incoming exchange students
- [FR] Teaching language (FR, EN, ES, NL, DE, ...)

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● LLSMS2061	Corporate Strategy in Europe	Guilhem Bascle	EN [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐	X	X
● LLSMS2062	European Corporate Practice	Eric Cornuel	EN [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐	X	X
● LLSMS2064	European Public Affairs	Jean-Christophe Defraigne	EN [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐	X	X

OPTION IN 'BEDRIJFSCOMMUNICATIE' [15.0]

This option must be followed at the KU Leuven.

- Mandatory
- ⊗ Optional
- △ Not offered in 2024-2025
- ⊖ Not offered in 2024-2025 but offered the following year
- ⊕ Offered in 2024-2025 but not the following year
- △ ⊕ Not offered in 2024-2025 or the following year
- Activity with requisites
- 🌐 Open to incoming exchange students
- 🚫 Not open to incoming exchange students
- [FR] Teaching language (FR, EN, ES, NL, DE, ...)

Click on the course title to see detailed informations (objectives, methods, evaluation...)

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o Content:

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⊗ EMULT2200	Linguistic Aspects of Communication Techniques and Strategies (KU Leuven)		NL [q1] [26h] [5 Credits] 🌐	X	X
⊗ EMULT2201	Dutch Business Communication: Foundations (KU Leuven)		NL [q1] [39h] [5 Credits] 🌐	X	X
⊗ EMULT2202	Language and Culture (KU Leuven)		NL [q1] [39h] [5 Credits] 🌐	X	X
⊗ EMULT2203	Business Communication (KU Leuven)		NL [q1] [26h] [5 Credits] 🌐	X	X
⊗ EMULT2207	Consumer Behaviour (KU Leuven)		EN [q1] [39h] [5 Credits] 🌐	X	X
⊗ EMULT2208	Digital Marketing (B-KUL-S0F11A)		EN [q2] [26h] [5 Credits] 🌐	X	X

OPTION IN SPANISH FOR BUSINESS COMMUNICATION [15.0]

- Mandatory
- ⊗ Optional
- △ Not offered in 2024-2025
- ⊖ Not offered in 2024-2025 but offered the following year
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- △ ⊕ Not offered in 2024-2025 or the following year
- Activity with requisites
- 🌐 Open to incoming exchange students
- 🚫 Not open to incoming exchange students
- [FR] Teaching language (FR, EN, ES, NL, DE, ...)

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o Content:

⊗ LESP1704	Spanish writing skills (B2-C1)	Begona Garcia Migura Paula Lorente Fernandez (coord.)	ES [q1] [45h] [5 Credits] 🌐	X	X
⊗ LESP2601	Vocational Induction Seminar - Spanish (B2.2/C1)	Paula Lorente Fernandez (coord.)	ES [q1] [45h] [5 Credits] 🌐	X	X
⊗ LDVLP2630	Socio-economic analysis of Latin America	Emmanuelle Piccoli	FR [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐	X	X
⊗ LDVLP2631	Socio-political analysis of Latin America	Geoffrey Pleyers	FR [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐	X	X

OPTION IN DIGITAL CULTURE AND ETHICS [15.0]

The digital has transformed our lives and culture to the extent to which everything takes place nowadays in “digital space,” as our own space, time, and existence are all deeply digitalized. In the “culture of connectivity,” the digital is ubiquitous, we are, one way or another, always online, while technology is no longer just ‘at hand’, but already intimately infiltrating and fusing with our thoughts, our sensations, and even our bodies.

The Digital Culture and Ethics Option offers courses focusing on such profound changes brought about by the digital in all walks of life and academic disciplines alike. It invites the students to reflect critically and creatively on the resulting large-scale evolutions and equips them with the right skills and tools for approaching their subject matters from cutting-edge and presently much needed, genuinely effective and encompassing perspectives.

The topics and practical applications taught in this option also open up the scope of our specialized fields to wider cross-disciplinary viewpoints, thus making us ready to be professionally versatile and successful in a deeply transformed digital world.

<https://sites.uclouvain.be/chairealtissia/>

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o Content:

○ LFIAL2010	The Digital Turn in Culture & Ethics - Altissia Chair	Cédric Byl	FR [q1] [22.5h] [5 Credits] 🌐	X	
○ LFIAL2020	Code et Culture: Python for digital humanities - Chaire Altissia	Isabelle Gribomont	FR [q2] [22.5h] [5 Credits] 🌐 > English-friendly	X	

o One course from the list below : (5 credits)

⊗ LFIAL2630	Automatic language processing methods	Cédrick Fairon	FR [q2] [22.5h] [5 Credits] 🌐 > English-friendly	X	X
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⌘ LFIAL2640	Introduction to Python programming for the humanities	Leonardo Zilio	FR [q2] [22.5h+15h] [5 Credits] 🌐	x	x
⌘ LFIAL2650	Critical analysis of artificial intelligence		FR [q2] [22.5h] [5 Credits] 🌐 > English-friendly	x	x
⌘ LHIST2600	Digital Practices in History Professions <i>Ce cours est accessible uniquement à l'étudiant en master en histoire ou ayant suivi la mineure en histoire.</i>	Aurore François	FR [q2] [15h] [5 Credits] 🌐	x	x
⌘ LEPL2210	Ethics and ICT	Axel Gosseries Olivier Pereira	EN [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 > French-friendly	x	x
⌘ LANTR2115	Séminaire d'Anthropologie du Numérique : technologie, jeux vidéos et mondes virtuels	Lionel Scheepmans (compensates Olivier Servais)	FR [q2] [15h] [5 Credits] 🌐	x	x
⌘ LCOMU2640	Media education and media literacy	Thibault Philippette Camille Tilleul (compensates Thibault Philippette)	FR [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐	x	x
⌘ LDEMO2640	"Big data" : capture et analyse de données massives	Christine Schnor	FR [q2] [20h] [5 Credits] 🌐	x	x
⌘ LEUSL2113	Digital Europe	Christophe Lazaro	EN [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐	x	x
⌘ LSOC2002	Digital sociology	Eric Mangez	FR [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐	x	x

INTERDISCIPLINARY PROGRAM IN ENTREPRENEURSHIP - INEO

The interdisciplinary program in Entrepreneurship INEO extends over two annual blocks and is part of the Master's programme. Students choosing this program are brought together in cross-disciplinary teams to create businesses. Admission is limited to students selected based on their academic record. Further details are available at: <https://uclouvain.be/en/study/ineo>.

Note: Students choosing this option must take between 20 and 30 course credits. In this case, the Master's programme will comprise more than 120 credits. Students who do not want to exceed 120 credits are advised to choose another option or optional courses.

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- ✘ Optional
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From 20 to 30credit(s)

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o Content:**✘ Prérequis**

Ce cours est obligatoire pour l'étudiant qui n'a pas de prérequis en gestion. L'étudiant qui a suivi la mineure en Gestion ou la mineure en Esprit d'entreprendre ne doit pas suivre ce cours.

● LINEO2021	Financer son projet		[FR] [q2] [30h+15h] [5 Credits] 🌐	X
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o Cours obligatoires (20 credits)

● LINEO2001	Théorie de l'entrepreneuriat	Frank Janssen	[FR] [q1] [30h+20h] [5 Credits] 🌐	X
● LINEO2002	Aspects juridiques, économiques et managériaux de la création d'entreprise	Yves De Cordt Marine Falize	[FR] [q1] [30h+15h] [5 Credits] 🌐	X
● LINEO2003	Plan d'affaires et étapes-clefs de la création d'entreprise	Frank Janssen	[FR] [q2] [30h+15h] [5 Credits] 🌐	X
● LINEO2004	Séminaire d'approfondissement en entrepreneuriat	Frank Janssen	[FR] [q2] [30h+15h] [5 Credits] 🌐	X

✘ Cours complémentaires (5 credits)

✘ LLSMS2014	Entrepreneurial Finance	Quentin Colmant James Thewissen	[EN] [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐	X	X
✘ LSST1001	IngénieursSud	Stéphanie Merle Jean-Pierre Raskin	[FR] [q1+q2] [15h+45h] [5 Credits] 🌐	X	X
✘ LINEO2005	Social and Sustainable Entrepreneurship	Julie Hermans	[EN] [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐	X	X
✘ LLSMS2080	International Entrepreneurship N.B.: selection based on application	Frank Janssen	[FR] [q2] [30h+30h] [5 Credits] 🌐	X	X
✘ LLSMS2081	Strategic Management of Start ups		[FR] [q2] [30h+30h] [5 Credits] 🌐	X	X
✘ LEPL2021	Innovation classes for transition and sustainable development		[FR] [q1] [30h+15h] [5 Credits] 🌐	X	X

OPTIONAL COURSES [15.0]

As part of a well-argued educational plan and with the agreement of the select committee, students may choose other courses (max. 15 credits) from the Master's programmes run by the Faculty or the University. Their choice may also include a course in a third language taught by the Language Institute (ILV) or the courses offered in the three genre studies modules.

If certain courses are available in the core curriculum, they must not comprise more than 6 credits. **No course from the options in communications can be chosen as optional course.**

Supplementary classes

To access this Master, students must have a good command of certain subjects. If this is not the case, in the first annual block of their Masters programme, students must take supplementary classes chosen by the faculty to satisfy course prerequisites.

What is a preparatory module?

It is a set of supplementary classes (courses, practical works, seminars, etc.) from the first cycle (see the non-exhaustive list below). The complementary module (maximum 60 credits) is tailor-made by the jury according to the student's educational background and added to the Master's programme in order to acquire fundamental knowledge to then pursue the 120 credits of the Master's programme.

Who is it for?

- Students from a non-university higher education institution
- Candidates admitted with additional training
- Candidates admitted on the file with additional training

All the explanations are in [this document](#) (in French).

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o Languages

Students must choose 2 languages from German, English, French and Dutch according to the languages which he wishes to include in his masters programme.

⊗ German

○ LDEU1113	German grammar	Joachim Sabel	DE [q1+q2] [30h+15h] [5 Credits] 🌐
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○ Students choose 15 credits (according to your schedule) :

⊗ LDEU1116	German language as a social and cultural practice	Ferran Suner Munoz	DE [q1+q2] [45h+75h] [5 Credits] 🌐
⊗ LDEU1115	Cultural landscapes of the German-speaking countries in transition	Grazia Berger Ferran Suner Munoz (coord.)	DE [q2] [22.5h] [5 Credits] 🌐
⊗ LGERM1317	German III	Ferran Suner Munoz	DE [q1+q2] [45h+45h] [5 Credits] 🌐
⊗ LGERM1501	German IV		DE [q1+q2] [30h+30h] [5 Credits] 🌐

⊗ English

○ LENG1123	Understanding and exploring English Grammar: from usage to cognition	Fanny Meunier	EN [q1+q2] [30h+15h] [5 Credits] 🌐
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○ Student choose 15 credits (according to your schedule) :

⊗ LENG1126	English in real world contexts: pathways to complexity, accuracy and fluency	Estelle Dagneaux Sylvie De Cock Philippe Denis Maité Dupont Gaëtanelle Gilquin Claudine Grommersch Marielle Henriet	EN [q1+q2] [60h+52.5h] [5 Credits] 🌐
⊗ LENG1125	American Landscapes and Memory	Véronique Bragard	EN [q2] [22.5h] [5 Credits] 🌐
⊗ LGERM1327	Advanced English language skills I	Sylvie De Cock Maité Dupont (compensates Fanny Meunier Fanny Meunier	EN [q1+q2] [45h+45h] [5 Credits] 🌐

⌘ LGERM1502	Advanced English language skills II	Gaëtanelle Gilquin	EN [q1+q2] [30h+30h] [5 Credits] 🌐
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⌘ Dutch

○ LINED1133	Grammar and pronunciation of Dutch	Hilde Bosmans Philippe Hilgsmann	NL [q1+q2] [45h+30h] [5 Credits] 🌐
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○ Student choose 15 credits (according to your schedule) :

⌘ LINED1136	Dutch language and society	Hilde Bosmans Katrien De Rycke Pauline Degrave	NL [q1+q2] [30h+90h] [5 Credits] 🌐
⌘ LINED1135	Culture & society : transhistorical approaches	Elies Smeyers	NL [q2] [22.5h] [5 Credits] 🌐
⌘ LGERM1337	Language control and language variation of Dutch	Elisabeth Degand	NL [q1+q2] [45h+30h] [5 Credits] 🌐
⌘ LGERM1503	Dutch: Advanced Language Skills and Fluency II	Philippe Hilgsmann	NL [q1+q2] [30h+30h] [5 Credits] 🌐

⌘ French

○ LFRA1111	French grammar and spelling	Anne-Catherine Simon	FR [q1] [30h+15h] [5 Credits] 🌐
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⌘ 15 crédits minimum à choisir parmi les cours suivant (selon votre horaire):

(Depending on their file, students may be required to take both courses.)

⌘ LFIAL1131	Understanding language: an introduction to linguistics	Elisabeth Degand Philippe Hambye	FR [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐
⌘ LCOMU1124	Contemporary issues of information and communication	Grégoire Lits	FR [q1] [30h] [4 Credits] 🌐
⌘ LFRA1321	Creative writing	Marta Sábado Novau	FR [q2] [22.5h] [5 Credits] 🌐
⌘ LCOMU1224	Structures socio-économiques des médias	Bernard Cools Bernard Cools (compensates Olivier Standaert)	FR [q1] [22.5h] [4 Credits] 🌐
⌘ LECGE1317	Critical Analysis of organizations and markets	Joseph Amougou Matthieu de Nanteuil	FR [q1] [30h] [4 Credits] 🌐

⌘ Pour les non francophones (cours de l'ILV):

⌘ LFRAN1401	French - General course (listening, speaking, reading, writing, grammar) - Objective B2	Geneviève Briet (coord.) Emmanuelle Rassart Christine Renard (coord.)	FR [q1 or q2] [60h] [5 Credits] 🌐
⌘ LFRAN1403	French - Speaking and pronunciation - Objective B2		FR [q1 or q2] [30h] [3 Credits] 🌐
⌘ LFRAN1404	French - Writing - Objective B2	Valérie Neuenschwander (coord.)	FR [q2] [30h] [3 Credits] 🌐

○ Formation générale:

Choisir des cours pour un minimum de 5 crédits parmi ceux présentés ci-dessous OU tout autre cours de niveau bachelier qui est proposé par le jury de master (MULT2M).

⌘ LFIAL1131	Understanding language: an introduction to linguistics	Elisabeth Degand Philippe Hambye	FR [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐
⌘ LCOMU1124	Contemporary issues of information and communication	Grégoire Lits	FR [q1] [30h] [4 Credits] 🌐
⌘ LCOMU1224	Structures socio-économiques des médias	Bernard Cools Bernard Cools (compensates Olivier Standaert)	FR [q1] [22.5h] [4 Credits] 🌐
⌘ LECGE1317	Critical Analysis of organizations and markets	Joseph Amougou Matthieu de Nanteuil	FR [q1] [30h] [4 Credits] 🌐
⌘ LNEER1500	Interfaculty teaching unit - General and academic Dutch - upper-intermediate level	Hilde Bufkens (coord.) Valérie Dachy (coord.)	NL [q1 or q2] [30h] [3 Credits] 🌐
⌘ LANGL1500	Intermediate English	Philippe Denis (coord.)	EN [q1 or q2] [30h] [3 Credits] 🌐
⌘ LALLE1500	General German – independent user – vantage	Virginie Godin (coord.)	DE [q1+q2] [90h] [9 Credits] 🌐

Course prerequisites

The **table** below lists the activities (course units, or CUs) for which there are one or more prerequisites within the programme, i.e. the programme CU for which the learning outcomes must be certified and the corresponding credits awarded by the jury before registering for that CU.

These activities are also identified **in the detailed programme**: their title is followed by a yellow square.

Prerequisites and student's annual programme

As the prerequisite is for CU registration purposes only, there are no prerequisites within a programme year. Prerequisites are defined between CUs of different years and therefore influence the order in which the student will be able to register for the programme's CUs.

In addition, when the jury validates a student's individual programme at the beginning of the year, it ensures its coherence, meaning that it may:

- require the student to combine registration in two separate CUs which it considers necessary from a pedagogical point of view.
- transform a prerequisite into a corequisite if the student is in the final year of a degree course.

For more information, please consult the [Academic Regulations and Procedures](#).

Prerequisites list

LMULT2998 "Mémoire" has prerequisite(s) LMULT2997

- LMULT2997 - [Dissertation Seminar](#)

The programme's courses and learning outcomes

For each UCLouvain training programme, a [reference framework of learning outcomes](#) specifies the skills expected of every graduate on completion of the programme. Course unit descriptions specify targeted learning outcomes, as well as the unit's contribution to reference framework of learning outcomes.

MULT2M - Information

Access Requirements

Master course admission requirements are defined by the French Community of Belgium Decree of 7 November 2013 defining the higher education landscape and the academic organisation of courses.

General and specific admission requirements for this programme must be satisfied at the time of enrolling at the university.

Unless explicitly mentioned, the bachelor's, master's and licentiate degrees listed in this table or on this page are to be understood as those issued by an institution of the French, Flemish or German-speaking Community, or by the Royal Military Academy.

In the event of the divergence between the different linguistic versions of the present conditions, the French version shall prevail.

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Specific access requirements

1° Student must hold a first level university degree.

2° Students must choose two major languages from among German, English, French and Dutch.

For the two major languages chosen, candidates must provide proof of sufficient proficiency at the **minimum B2 level** of the [European Framework of Reference for Languages](#).

All skills must have been assessed and passed (written and oral comprehension, written and oral production). (*)

The official attestation of language level must be issued by an organization recognized as a full member by ALTE (see <https://alte.org/Our-Full-Members>).

Examples of tests recognized by the jury for French: [DELFF](#) , [TCF](#) or [TEF](#)

Examples of tests recognized by the jury for English: IELTS (6 minimum), TOEFL ibt (84 minimum), TOEIC (865 minimum), Cambridge English (170 minimum), [PTE Academic](#) (59 minimum) ([how to find an exam center near you](#))

Examples of recognized tests for German: TestDaF, GOETHE-ZERTIFIKAT (**)

Examples of recognized tests for Dutch: CNaVT or equivalent (**)

In addition, all candidates who do not hold a higher education diploma from the French Community of Belgium (or from a country where French is the only official language) must provide proof of sufficient proficiency in French at level **B2** of the [Common European Framework of Reference](#), whatever the major languages of the program. This proof can be provided by an official test (DALF, DELF, TCF, etc.) or an officially certified language course certificate (if French is not chosen as a major language).

(*) The jury reserves the right to require an admission test (for example, when the nature of the above-mentioned proof of level is questionable) covering communicative, receptive and productive skills in the major languages of the program. This test is organized by the admissions jury as detailed on the following page: <https://uclouvain.be/fr/facultes/fial/communication-multilingue-tests-de-langues.html>.

If, following the admission test, the jury finds the student to be deficient in one of the two chosen major languages (including French), [additional courses](#) will be integrated into the Master's program. This additional module (maximum 60 credits) is determined by the select jury on the basis of the student's previous experience and the results obtained in the admission test.

(**) In the absence of an official certificate issued by an organization recognized as a full member by ALTE (see <https://alte.org/Our-Full-Members>), Proof of completion of language courses at the required level in the student's previous academic career, officially attested (diploma, transcripts, university certificate). **may** be accepted. The jury reserves the right to request an official attestation issued by a recognized organization if it deems this necessary.

University Bachelors

Diploma	Special Requirements	Access	Remarks
UCLouvain Bachelors			

Bachelor in Modern Languages and Literatures: German, Dutch and English (Louvain-la-Neuve)		Direct access	Students must choose the two languages studied in their bachelor's programme.
Bachelor in Modern Languages and Letters: German, Dutch and English (St-Louis Bruxelles)		Direct access	Students must choose the two languages studied in their bachelor's programme.
Bachelor in Modern Languages and Literatures : General (Louvain-la-Neuve) (a Germanic language + French)		Direct access	Students must choose the two languages studied in their bachelor's programme. If the UCLouvain Admissions Office considers the enrolment application sufficiently complete, it will submit the application to the faculty for a decision.
Bachelor in Modern Languages and Literatures : General (St-Louis Bruxelles)		Direct access	Students must choose the two languages studied in their bachelor's programme.
Bachelor in Modern Languages and Literatures: German, Dutch and English (Louvain-la-Neuve) Bachelor in Modern Languages and Literatures : General (Louvain-la-Neuve) (a Germanic language + French)	If students have chosen one of the following minors: Minor in German Studies Minor in English Studies Minor in Dutch Studies (version B)	Direct access	The choice of the two languages studied in the master's programme is left to the student's discretion. If the UCLouvain Admissions Office considers the enrolment application sufficiently complete, it will submit the application to the faculty for a decision.
Bachelor in Modern Languages and Literatures : General (Louvain-la-Neuve) (a Germanic language + Spanish/Italian)	If students have chosen one of the following minors: Minor in German Studies Minor in English Studies Minor in Dutch Studies (version B)	Direct access	Students include in their master's programme the two Germanic languages studied in their bachelor's programme. If the UCLouvain Admissions Office considers the enrolment application sufficiently complete, it will submit the application to the faculty for a decision.
Bachelor in French and Romance Languages and Literatures : General (Louvain-la-Neuve) Bachelor in Ancient and Modern Languages and Literatures (Louvain-la-Neuve)	If students have chosen one of the following minors: Minor in German Studies Minor in English Studies Minor in Dutch Studies (version B)	Direct access	Students include in their master's programme French and the Germanic language studied in their minor's programme. If the UCLouvain Admissions Office considers the enrolment application sufficiently complete, it will submit the application to the faculty for a decision.
Bachelor in Translation and Interpreting (St-Louis Bruxelles) Bachelor in Translation and Interpreting [Filière en communication interculturelle] (St-Louis Bruxelles)	If students have studied two Germanic languages	Direct access	Students include in their Master's programme the two Germanic languages studied in their Bachelor's programme.
Other Bachelor		Access based on application	In case of admission, possible additional training to be determined depending on the student's educational background
Others Bachelors of the French speaking Community of Belgium			
Bachelier en traduction et interprétation	If students have studied two Germanic languages	Direct access	Students include in their Master's programme the two Germanic languages studied in their Bachelor's programme.
Other Bachelor		Access based on application	In case of admission, additional training to be determined

depending on the student's educational background

Bachelors of the Dutch speaking Community of Belgium

All Bachelor

[Access based on application](#)

In case of admission, additional training to be determined depending on the student's educational background

Foreign Bachelors

All Bachelor

[Access based on application](#)

In case of admission, additional training to be determined depending on the student's educational background. All applicants must check that they meet the [specific access requirements](#).

Non university Bachelors

> Find out more about [links](#) to the university

Only applicable to graduates of higher education institutions of the French Community of Belgium

Diploma	Access	Remarks
BA - AESI orientation Français et français langue étrangère - crédits supplémentaires entre 45 et 60	Les enseignements supplémentaires éventuels peuvent être consultés dans le module complémentaire .	Type court
BA - AESI orientation Langues germaniques - crédits supplémentaires entre 45 et 60		
BA - assistant(e) de direction - crédits supplémentaires entre 45 et 60		
BA en commerce extérieur - crédits supplémentaires entre 45 et 60		
BA en communication - crédits supplémentaires entre 45 et 60		
BA en coopération internationale - crédits supplémentaires entre 45 et 60		
BA en gestion des ressources humaines - crédits supplémentaires entre 45 et 60		
BA en international business - crédits supplémentaires entre 45 et 60		
BA en marketing - crédits supplémentaires entre 45 et 60		
BA en relations publiques - crédits supplémentaires entre 45 et 60		
BA en sciences administratives et gestion publique - crédits supplémentaires entre 45 et 60		

Holders of a 2nd cycle University degree

Diploma	Special Requirements	Access	Remarks
"Licenciés"			
Licence en langues et littératures germaniques		Direct access	Programme to be determined depending on the student's educational background
Masters			
All masters		Access based on application	In case of admission, programme to be determined depending on the student's educational background
Foreign Masters		Access based on application	All candidates must ensure that they meet the specific access requirements. In case of admission, maximum 60 credits of supplementary classes integrated into the Master's programme (consult Acces on the file).

Holders of a non-University 2nd cycle degree

Only applicable to graduates of higher education institutions of the French Community of Belgium

Access based on validation of professional experience

> It is possible, under certain conditions, to use one's personal and professional experience to enter a university course without having the required qualifications. However, validation of prior experience does not automatically apply to all courses. Find out more about [Validation of priori experience](#).

Candidates who do not fulfil the abovementioned admission requirements, but who have duly attested significant experience relevant to the field of study in question (multilingual business communication), may apply for admission to the programme on the basis of an individualised admission procedure.

For more information on the procedure for admission by validation of learning from experience (VAE) in the Faculty of Philosophy, Arts and Letters: <https://uclouvain.be/fr/facultes/fial/valorisation-des-acquis-de-l-experience-vae.html>.

Access based on application

Access based on application : access may be granted either directly or on the condition of completing additional courses of a maximum of 60 ECTS credits, or refused.

Admissibility criteria

A candidate's application will be deemed admissible if it meets all of the following criteria:

- Candidate's diploma issued by an **institution recognized by WHED** (see <https://www.whed.net/home.php>)
- Previous course of study including **at least 3 years of higher education** (equivalent to 180 European credits), leading to an undergraduate degree;
- For holders of a **degree from outside Belgium**:

1. an overall average of at least 60% (12/20) for the entire course of study completed at the home institution and giving access to this program;
2. official attestation of proficiency in language(s) at the required level (see specific entry requirements), to be attached to the application file. The official attestation must be issued by an organization recognized as a full member by ALTE (see <https://alte.org/Our-Full-Members>).

If a document is missing from the online application, it must be justified (see [UCLouvain Enrolment Department's frequently asked questions](#), in particular "What do I do if my online application asks for a document I don't yet have?")

Applications deemed admissible are forwarded to the Faculty by Enrolment Services. Applications that do not meet these criteria are automatically rejected.

Eligibility criteria

Applications submitted to the Faculty by UCLouvain's Enrolment Department are examined by the program's jury in accordance with the specific conditions of access detailed above.

The jury decides on the admissibility of candidates on the basis of the information contained in their application file, the quality of the training they have undergone and the results they have obtained.

When examining the application, the jury will pay particular attention to the following points:

- **Consistency** between the candidate's previous academic career and the prerequisites for the targeted program. The match between the candidate's academic background and the UCLouvain bachelor's degree giving direct access to the master's program need not be perfect, but the skills acquired (see specific access conditions) must be close; Example: for an application for admission to a master's program in modern languages and literature, the candidate's previous training includes courses in languages and literature in both modern languages.
- **Grades** obtained in the program's major disciplines (see specific entry requirements);
- **Arguments** put forward by the applicant in his or her cover letter (training project in line with the program in question, relevance of arguments, coherence between the applicant's application and the program in question, etc.) Example: the language combination requested by the applicant is organized in the program in question.
- **Original covering letter**. An original covering letter is expected, explaining the personal training project. Any plagiarism or use of artificial intelligence in writing the letter to the jury will result in the application being disqualified.
- **Experience gained**. If the access diploma was obtained more than 5 years ago, it is imperative that the experience acquired since leaving school is directly related to the field of study of the programme applied for.

Changes to the conditions of access to the Faculty of Philosophy, Arts and Letters for 2025-2026 will be available in this [document](#) .

Admission and Enrolment Procedures for general registration

Teaching method

This is a multidisciplinary degree course which combines the strengths of the Modern Languages Institute and the Germanic Languages and Economics, Social & Political Science faculties. It comprises language courses which are always given in the target language and which focus on spoken and written skills through oral presentations and specialized written exercises. Lectures, business case studies and a three-month internship in a company provide an invaluable opportunity to practise another language and put into practice theoretical concepts learned in the business courses.

Evaluation

The evaluation methods comply with the [regulations concerning studies and exams](#). More detailed explanation of the modalities specific to each learning unit are available on their description sheets under the heading "Learning outcomes evaluation method".

A range of methods are used to evaluate students: continuous assessment (class participation and exercises), oral and/or written exams, a dissertation written in one of the two major languages chosen, an internship in a company which must be followed by a written report and oral defence. Both the report and the defence should be in the language used during the internship.

Students must write their Master's dissertation in one of the two languages in their programme and add an abstract in French.

Courses are evaluated according to current University regulations (see General Examination Regulations). Students may find further information on specific evaluation methods in the course descriptions.

To obtain a student's average, the grades awarded for each course unit are weighted by their respective credits.

Mobility and/or Internationalisation outlook

Double degree with the University of Ottawa

A double degree programme in collaboration with the University of Ottawa is offered to students who choose English and French as their major languages. Students admitted to this program (selection procedure) carry out their first year of master at UCLouvain and the second year at uOttawa (courses and internship). At the end of the programme, these students obtain two diplomas:

- (1) the [Master \[120\] in Multilingual Communication](#) from UCLouvain and
- (2) the [Master of Arts Communication](#) from uOttawa.

For more information, please refer to the pages devoted to the double degree programme on the Faculty's website:

[Detailed presentation of the program, selection procedure and possibility of scholarship.](#)

International Mobility

Students pursuing a [Master \[120\] in Multilingual Communication](#) may, as part of their studies, undertake:

- a **study visit** for one term (30 credits) in one of the [many universities](#) with which the Faculty of Philosophy, Arts and Letters has concluded partnership agreements, in Europe under the Erasmus+ programme, in Switzerland under the SEMP programme, or elsewhere in the world under the FAME/Mercator programme, or
- a **study visit** for one term (30 credits) in one of the partner universities in Flanders, under the Erasmus Belgica programme.

The study visit must take place during the first term of the second year.

The [list of recommended destinations](#) for MULT students is available on the pages dedicated to mobility on the Faculty's website.

MULT students must complete a three-month full-time **internship** in a company in Belgium or abroad (the language of the internship is one of the two major languages studied).

It is possible to benefit from an Erasmus +, Belgica or FAME / Mercator internship grant depending on the internship location.

The internship preferably takes place in the second term of the second year.

The study visit can be combined with an internship abroad.

When the exchange takes place at KU Leuven, the student chooses 6 courses of 5 credits listed in the "[Bedrijfscommunicatie](#)". Three of them will be recognized as part of the Dutch courses of the professional focus.

To find out more:

- [Contacts](#)
- [Practical information](#) (in French)
- [Information on international internships](#) (in French)

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