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At Bruxelles Saint-Louis - 180 credits - 3 years - Day schedule - In French

Dissertation/Graduation Project : **NO** - Internship : **NO**

Activities in English: **optional** - Activities in other languages : **optional**

Activities on other sites : **NO**

Main study domain : **Histoire, histoire de l'art et archéologie**

Organized by: **Faculty of Philosophy, Languages and Letters, and Human Sciences Saint- Louis (PhL-SaintLouis)**

Programme acronym: **HISB1BA** - Francophone Certification Framework: 6

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HISB1BA - Introduction

Introduction

Introduction

The study of history means learning about the past as well as taking a retrospective look at the human adventure, thereby helping us to understand the contemporary world and build the one to come.

The study of history means exploring and understanding periods other than our own. It allows us to learn how to build bridges between generations and cultures, which is a necessary step in the face of global human and environmental challenges.

This implies that students will learn specific ways to formulate a coherent research question, locate and make use of the works and sources available for this purpose, and analyse them by developing a critical and reasoned approach. These different stages of historical work will enable them to master the subject in depth and present it orally or in written form.

Your profile

Are you passionate about understanding past and present realities and the connections between them? Do you like to discover new things on your own through research in libraries and archives? Do you consider that acquiring a broad general knowledge is a main objective of your studies? To achieve this, are you able to show rigour, critical thinking and precision? These are just a few of the skills you will use and develop as you study history.

Your future job

Historians stand out for their methodical and organised approach to research, their ability to collect, analyse and summarise information, and their refined critical thinking skills. These assets make them ideal candidates for work in:

- education;
- conservation: archives, museums, libraries;
- public administration: international, federal, regional and local;
- research: universities, public and private institutes;
- the socio-cultural sector: exhibitions, cultural centres;
- the media: journalism, cultural communication;
- associations: non-governmental organisations, non-profit associations and other organisations with a social vocation;
- the banking sector;
- the diplomatic service, etc.

Your programme

The strengths of the history programme at UCLouvain Saint-Louis - Bruxelles:

- **A solid knowledge of history:** numerous theoretical courses on periods in history or specific themes (history of justice, historical geography, etc.) enable students to gain an in-depth understanding of entire eras of the past, as well as the present.
- **Links to practice:** from year 1 onwards, the programme provides a background in the various facets of the work of a historian: introduction to the various sources of information, research and classification of sources, critical analysis of records, making summaries, etc.
- **Critical thinking:** during seminars, students are asked to produce and present research papers, with a view to teaching them about the research process and the objective consideration of history and its issues.
- **Interdisciplinarity:** in year 1, students take courses in other areas of the humanities, such as sociology, law, philosophy and literature.
- **Intellectual openness:** in years 2 and 3, students can choose a minor subject in another discipline, such as European studies, political science, communication sciences or literature and civilisations.
- **Educational support:** specialisation courses are taught in small groups, ensuring close contact and personalised support from the teaching staff.

Pursuing a dual bachelor's degree

Our dual bachelor's degrees are one of the special features of UCLouvain Saint-Louis - Bruxelles.

Students can take a second bachelor's degree, in tandem with their main bachelor's degree. This means that they complete their main programme with a minimum of 60 and a maximum of 125 additional credits spread over several years. The additional bachelor's degree can be completed after the main bachelor's degree. A series of courses taken as part of the main programme count towards the additional bachelor's degree and are therefore no longer subject to assessment. The additional bachelor's degree has the same value as the main bachelor's degree and provides immediate access to the corresponding master's degree.

The following second degrees are available:

- [Bachelor in Philosophy \[Dual Bachelor's degree for the holder of a Bachelor in History\]](#)
- [Bachelor in Political Sciences \[Dual Bachelor's degree for the holder of a Bachelor in History\]](#)
- other additional bachelor's degrees on request.

For further information, please contact the faculty administration: phib-slb@uclouvain.be.

HISB1BA - Teaching profile

Learning outcomes

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Programme structure

Theoretical knowledge combined with learning about the work of a historian

The bachelor's degree in history at Saint-Louis Bruxelles combines historical knowledge courses with a hands-on approach to the work of a historian. The Faculty provides students with a background in the various aspects of a historian's profession:

- use of the range of information sources, from the first engraved inscriptions to handwritten texts and digital documents
- research and classification of sources
- critical analysis of records
- production of summaries which meet the requirements of academic writing

The periods of history, from the dawn of humanity to the present time, are approached in such a way as to raise awareness of the various main lines and levels of historical inquiry, such as global history, thematic history and memory-related history.

Reinforced by general courses common to the Faculty of Philosophy, Languages and Letters and Human Sciences, the programme teaches students how to build bridges between generations and cultures, which is a necessary step in the face of global human and environmental challenges.

Teaching is organised according to a progressive model: from fairly general courses in year 1 to increasingly specialised courses. This specialisation is further developed in the master's programme.

A thematic module or the interdisciplinary module

The thematic module are made up of a group of optional courses. The following minor subjects (25 credits: 10 credits in year 2, 15 credits in year 3) are available to students:

- Literature and civilisations
- European studies
- Political science and communications

These modules are aimed at giving students an understanding of other disciplines, and may help them to choose a master's programme.

The interdisciplinary module is an open list of different courses from which the student makes his or her choice without being attached to a specific theme.

HISB1BA Programme

Detailed programme by subject

- Mandatory
- ⊗ Optional
- △ Not offered in 2026-2027
- ⊙ Not offered in 2026-2027 but offered the following year
- ⊕ Offered in 2026-2027 but not the following year
- △ ⊕ Not offered in 2026-2027 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:

o Core Courses

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| ○ BFILO1114 | Philosophy | Laurent Van Eynde | FR [q1] [60h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | X | | |
| ○ BROMA1100 | European Comparative Literature | Isabelle Ost | FR [q2] [45h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | X | | |

o Choose one course among the following:

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| ⊗ BESPO1176 | Law | Diane Bernard | FR [q1] [45h+15h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | X | | |
| ⊗ BESPO1160 | Sociology | Benedikte Zitouni | FR [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | X | | |
| ⊗ BESPO1161 | Sociology | Benedikte Zitouni | FR [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | X | | |
| ○ BHIST1218 | History of Art from the Middle Ages to the Modern Day | | FR [q2] [45h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | | X | |

o Choose one course among the following:

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| ⊗ BFILO1222 | Psychology | Mauricio Garcia Penafiel | FR [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | | X | |
| ⊗ BDROI1220 | Economics | Xavier Wauthy | FR [q2] [45h+15h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | | X | |
| ⊗ BDRAN1220 | Economics | Bertrand Hamaide | FR [q1] [45h+15h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | | X | |

o Specialised courses

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|-------------|--|--|------------------------------------|---|--|--|
| ○ BHIST1140 | The History of Western Societies | Philippe Desmette (coord.) Florence Liard | FR [q1] [45h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | X | | |
| ○ BHIST1111 | Source Criticism | Eric Bousmar | FR [q1] [30h+15h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | X | | |
| ○ BHIST1112 | Documentary resources in history | | FR [q1] [30h+15h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | X | | |
| ○ BHIST1118 | Initiation to historical research | Philippe Desmette | FR [q1+q2] [30h+15h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | X | | |
| ○ BHIST1115 | History of Belgium and the Low Countries | Eric Bousmar | FR [q2] [45h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | X | | |
| ○ BHIST1116 | Archaeology and cultural heritage of Antiquity | Florence Liard | FR [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | X | | |

o Choose one course among the following:

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| ⊗ BPOLS1121 | Contemporary History | Béregère Piret | FR [q2] [30h+11h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | X | | |
| ⊗ BESPO1164 | Geopolitics | Jeroen Joly | EN [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | X | | |
| ○ BHIST1286 | Sources for the different periods of History ■ | Eric Bousmar (coord.) Dominique Longrée Béregère Piret | FR [q1] [60h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | | X | |
| ○ BHIST1227 | Palaeography and Diplomats | Philippe Desmette | FR [q1] [30h] [4 Credits] 🌐 | | X | |
| ○ BHIST1226 | Historiography | Philippe Desmette | FR [q1] [45h] [4 Credits] 🌐 | | X | |
| ○ BHIST1282 | History of Antiquity <i>Students must take this course in even-numbered years.</i> | Florence Liard | FR [q2] [60h] [5 Credits] ⊕ 🌐 | | X | X |
| ○ BHIST1284 | History of Modern Times <i>Students must take this course in even-numbered years.</i> | Serge Dauchy Philippe Desmette | FR [q1] [60h] [5 Credits] ⊕ 🌐 | | X | X |
| ○ BHIST1283 | Medieval History <i>Students must take this course in odd-numbered years.</i> | Eric Bousmar | FR [q1] [60h] [5 Credits] ⊙ 🌐 | | X | X |

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| <input type="radio"/> | BHIST1285 | Contemporary History <i>Students must take this course in odd-numbered years.</i> | Béregère Piret | FR [q2] [60h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | | x | x |
| <input type="radio"/> | BHIST1312 | Historical anthropology <i>Students must take this course in even-numbered years.</i> | Eric Bousmar | FR [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | | x | x |
| <input type="radio"/> | BHIST1311 | Introduction to historical geography | Sébastien Dubois | FR [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | | | x |
| <input type="radio"/> | BHIST1314 | The History of Justice | Serge Dauchy | FR [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | | | x |
| <input type="radio"/> | BHIST1310 | Images, films and society | Nathalie Tousignant | FR [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | | | x |
| <input type="radio"/> | BHIST1315 | Quantitative methods for historians | Nathalie Tousignant | FR [q2] [30h] [4 Credits] 🌐 | | | x |
| <input type="radio"/> | BHIST1313 | Current issues and debates about historiography and the profession of the historian 📄 | Eric Bousmar Nathalie Tousignant | FR [q1+q2] [30h+15h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | | | x |

Choose two seminars among the following:

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | BHIST1229 | Seminar of history of Antiquity 📄 <i>Students must take this course in odd-numbered years.</i> | | FR [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] 🌐 | | | x |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | BHIST1231 | Medieval History Seminar 📄 | Eric Bousmar Philippe Desmette (coord.) | FR [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] 🌐 | | | x |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | BHIST1230 | Seminar on the history of modern times 📄 | Serge Dauchy Philippe Desmette | FR [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] 🌐 | | | x |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | BHIST1228 | Seminar of contemporary history 📄 <i>Students must take this course in even-numbered years.</i> | Béregère Piret Nathalie Tousignant | FR [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] 🌐 | | | x |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | BHIST1293 | Research Seminar : Civilizations of Ancient Greece and Rome 📄 <i>Students must take this course in even-numbered years.</i> | Florence Liard | EN [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] 🌐 | | | x |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | BHIST1291 | Seminar on 19th and 20th c. European history 📄 <i>Students must take this course in odd-numbered years.</i> | | EN [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] 🌐 | | | x |

Choose one seminar among the following:

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | BHIST1229A | Seminar of history of Antiquity - (Advanced level) <i>Students must take this course in odd-numbered years.</i> | | FR [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] 🌐 | | | x |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | BHIST1231A | Medieval History Seminar - (Advanced level) | | FR [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] 🌐 | | | x |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | BHIST1230A | Seminar on the history of modern times - (Advanced level) | | FR [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] 🌐 | | | x |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | BHIST1228A | Seminar of contemporary history - (Advanced level) <i>Students must take this course in even-numbered years.</i> | | FR [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] 🌐 | | | x |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | BHIST1293A | Research Seminar : Civilizations of Ancient Greece and Rome - (Advanced level) <i>Students must take this course in even-numbered years.</i> | | EN [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] 🌐 | | | x |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | BHIST1291A | Seminar on 19th and 20th c. European history - (Advanced level) <i>Students must take this course in odd-numbered years.</i> | | EN [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] 🌐 | | | x |

o Languages

Student must choose 15 credits of language courses all over the three years of the bachelor's programme.

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| <input type="radio"/> | BLANG1120 | English | Marleen Cré | EN [q1+q2] [0h+45h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | | x | |
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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | BLANG1130 | Dutch | Matthieu Sergier | NL [q1+q2] [45h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | | x | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | BLANG1116 | Initiation to Latin | Muriel Lenoble | FR [q1+q2] [60h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | | x | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | BROMA1122 | Translation and explanation of Latin texts | Didier Xhardez | FR [q1] [30h+15h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | | x | |

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| BLANG1130 | Dutch | Matthieu Sergier | NL [q1+q2] [45h] [5 Credits] | | x | |
| BGERM1101 | English : History of literature and analysis of texts I | | EN [q2] [60h+30h] [5 Credits] | | x | |
| BLANG1121 | Spanish | Cristal Huerdo Moreno | ES [q1+q2] [60h] [5 Credits] | | x | |
| BROMA1117 | Italian I | | IT [q1+q2] [15h+60h] [5 Credits] | | x | |
| BMHAL1131 | German: Written Language Mastery | Isabel Kniebs | DE [q1+q2] [0h+60h] [5 Credits] | | x | |
| BLANG1116 | Initiation to Latin | Muriel Lenoble | FR [q1+q2] [60h] [5 Credits] | | x | |
| BROMA1122 | Translation and explanation of Latin texts | Didier Xhardez | FR [q1] [30h+15h] [5 Credits] | | x | |
| BROMA1294 | Latin authors I | Dominique Longrée | FR [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] | | x | |

o Module to choose from

The student chooses a thematic module or the interdisciplinary module:

- in block 2: choice of 5 credits (even years) or 10 credits (odd years);
- in block 3: choice of 15 credits (even years) or 20 credits (odd years).

Module Letters and civilisations

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| BROMA1194 | History of French Literature I (XVII and XVIII) | Andrea Schellino | FR [q1] [60h] [5 Credits] | | x | |
| BROMA1111 | History of the French Language | Anne Dister | FR [q2] [45h] [5 Credits] | | x | |
| BROMA1298 | History of French literature (XIX and XX) | Andrea Schellino | FR [q1] [60h] [5 Credits] | | | x |
| BRELI1000 | Occidental Religions and Society : judaism, christianity, islam | Raphaël Gély (coord.) | FR [q1] [45h] [5 Credits] | | | x |
| BFILO1311 | Philosophy of culture and history | Laurent Van Eynde | FR [q2] [45h] [5 Credits] | | | x |
| BDURA1000 | Environmental Challenges and Issues | Christine Frison | FR [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] | | x | x |
| BMUN1000 | Model United Nations | Emmanuel Klimis | EN [q1+q2] [30h] [5 Credits] | | x | x |

Module European Studies

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| BHIST1122 | History of European Integration | Nathalie Tousignant | EN [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] | | x | |
| BESPO1162 | Political science | Olivier Paye | FR [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] | | x | |
| BSPOL1316 | The European Political System | Denis Duez | FR [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] | | | x |
| BHDPO1319 | Intercultural relations and migrations | Maryam Kolly | FR [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] | | | x |
| BSOCA1313 | Historical sociology of European integration | Florence Delmotte | FR [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] | | | x |
| BDURA1000 | Environmental Challenges and Issues | Christine Frison | FR [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] | | x | x |
| BMUN1000 | Model United Nations | Emmanuel Klimis | EN [q1+q2] [30h] [5 Credits] | | x | x |

Module Political Sciences and communication

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|-----------|---|---------------------|-------------------------------|--|---|---|
| BESPO1162 | Political science | Olivier Paye | FR [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] | | x | |
| BPOLS1113 | Media institutions analysis | | FR [q2] [30h+4h] [5 Credits] | | x | |
| BCOMU1212 | Social-history of media | Geoffroy Patriarche | FR [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] | | | x |
| BDROI1221 | History of the institutions and of law II (contemporary period) | | FR [q2] [45h+15h] [5 Credits] | | | x |
| BSPOL1315 | Political Systems | Denis Duez | FR [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] | | | x |
| BDURA1000 | Environmental Challenges and Issues | Christine Frison | FR [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] | | x | x |
| BMUN1000 | Model United Nations | Emmanuel Klimis | EN [q1+q2] [30h] [5 Credits] | | x | x |

Interdisciplinary module

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|-----------|---|---------------------|------------------------------|--|---|---|
| BROMA1194 | History of French Literature I (XVII and XVIII) | Andrea Schellino | FR [q1] [60h] [5 Credits] | | x | x |
| BROMA1298 | History of French literature (XIX and XX) | Andrea Schellino | FR [q1] [60h] [5 Credits] | | x | x |
| BROMA1111 | History of the French Language | Anne Dister | FR [q2] [45h] [5 Credits] | | x | x |
| BFILO1311 | Philosophy of culture and history | Laurent Van Eynde | FR [q2] [45h] [5 Credits] | | x | x |
| BHIST1122 | History of European Integration | Nathalie Tousignant | EN [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] | | x | x |
| BESPO1162 | Political science | Olivier Paye | FR [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] | | x | x |
| BPOLS1113 | Media institutions analysis | | FR [q2] [30h+4h] [5 Credits] | | x | x |

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| ⌘ BSPOL1316 | The European Political System 🇺🇦 | Denis Duez | PR [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | | x | x |
| ⌘ BHDPO1319 | Intercultural relations and migrations | Maryam Kolly | PR [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | | x | x |
| ⌘ BSOCA1313 | Historical sociology of European integration 🇺🇦 | Florence Delmotte | PR [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | | x | x |
| ⌘ BCOMU1212 | Social-history of media 🇺🇦 | Geoffroy Patriarche | PR [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | | x | x |
| ⌘ BDROI1221 | History of the institutions and of law II (contemporary period) | | PR [q2] [45h+15h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | | x | x |
| ⌘ BRELI1000 | Occidental Religions and Society : judaism, christianity, islam | Raphaël Gély (coord.) | PR [q1] [45h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | | x | x |
| ⌘ BDURA1000 | Environmental Challenges and Issues | Christine Frison | PR [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | | x | x |
| ⌘ BMUN1000 | Model United Nations | Emmanuel Klimis | EN [q1+q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | | x | x |

⌘ **Dual Degree Module**

Please contact your Faculty Administration

Alternatives

- > Bachelor in History [Dual Bachelor's degree for the holder of a Bachelor in French and Romance Languages and Letters] [<https://uclouvain.be/en-prog-2026-hisb1ba-programme>]
- > Bachelor in History [Dual Bachelor's degree for the holder of a Bachelor in Political Sciences] [<https://uclouvain.be/en-prog-2026-hisb1ba-programme>]
- > Bachelor in History [Supplementary Bachelor in History for the holder of a Bachelor in Philosophy] [<https://uclouvain.be/en-prog-2026-hisb1ba-programme>]
- > Bachelor in History [Dual-degree bachelor in History for the holder of a Bachelor in Law] [<https://uclouvain.be/en-prog-2026-hisb1ba-programme>]
- > Bachelor in History [Dual Bachelor's degree for the holder of a Bachelor in Business Engineering] [<https://uclouvain.be/en-prog-2026-hisb1ba-programme>]

BACHELOR IN HISTORY [DUAL BACHELOR'S DEGREE FOR THE HOLDER OF A BACHELOR IN FRENCH AND ROMANCE LANGUAGES AND LETTERS]

- Mandatory
- ⊗ Optional
- △ Not offered in 2026-2027
- ⊙ Not offered in 2026-2027 but offered the following year
- ⊕ Offered in 2026-2027 but not the following year
- △ ⊕ Not offered in 2026-2027 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...)

Year

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o Content:

o Dual Bachelor's degree in History for the holder of a Bachelor in French and Romance Languages and Letters





This dual-degree bachelor's programme in History counts a minimum of 60 or 64 credits, provided that the student has validated all the courses making up the thematic module in History of the bachelor's degree programme in French and Romance Languages and Literature. If this is not the case, the student will have to add the 4 UE of this minor to this programme.

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| ○ BHIST1226 | Historiography | Philippe Desmette | FR [q1] [45h] [4 Credits] 🌐 | x | x |
| ○ BHIST1115 | History of Belgium and the Low Countries | Eric Bousmar | FR [q2] [45h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | x | x |
| ○ BPOLS1121 | Contemporary History | Béregère Piret | FR [q2] [30h+11h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | x | x |
| ○ BHIST1112 | Documentary resources in history | | FR [q1] [30h+15h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | x | x |
| ○ BHIST1286 | Sources for the different periods of History | Eric Bousmar (coord.) Dominique Longrée Béregère Piret | FR [q1] [60h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | x | x |
| ○ BHIST1118 | Initiation to historical research | Philippe Desmette | FR [q1+q2] [30h+15h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | x | x |
| ○ BHIST1313 | Current issues and debates about historiography and the profession of the historian | Eric Bousmar Nathalie Tousignant | FR [q1+q2] [30h+15h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | x | x |
| ○ BHIST1227 | Palaeography and Diplomatics | Philippe Desmette | FR [q1] [30h] [4 Credits] 🌐 | x | x |

o Choice one course among the following:

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| ⊗ BHIST1229 | Seminar of history of Antiquity | | FR [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] ⊙ 🌐 | x | |
| ⊗ BHIST1231 | Medieval History Seminar | Eric Bousmar Philippe Desmette (coord.) | FR [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] 🌐 | x | |
| ⊗ BHIST1230 | Seminar on the history of modern times | Serge Dauchy Philippe Desmette | FR [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] 🌐 | x | |
| ⊗ BHIST1228 | Seminar of contemporary history | Béregère Piret Nathalie Tousignant | FR [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] ⊕ 🌐 | x | |



o Choice one course among the following:

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| ☒ | BHIST1229A | Seminar of history of Antiquity - (Advanced level) | FR [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits]  | | x | x |
| ☒ | BHIST1231A | Medieval History Seminar - (Advanced level) | FR [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits]  | | x | x |
| ☒ | BHIST1230A | Seminar on the history of modern times - (Advanced level) | FR [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits]  | | x | x |
| ☒ | BHIST1228A | Seminar of contemporary history - (Advanced level) | FR [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits]  | | x | x |

Choose two courses (10 credits) minimum among the following :

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| ☒ | BHIST1312 | Historical anthropology | Eric Bousmar | FR [q2] [30h] [5 Credits]  | | x | x |
| ☒ | BHIST1311 | Introduction to historical geography | Sébastien Dubois | FR [q1] [30h] [5 Credits]  | | x | x |
| ☒ | BHIST1314 | The History of Justice | Serge Dauchy | FR [q2] [30h] [5 Credits]  | | x | x |
| ☒ | BHIST1315 | Quantitative methods for historians | Nathalie Tousignant | FR [q2] [30h] [4 Credits]  | | x | x |
| ☒ | BHIST1310 | Images, films and society | Nathalie Tousignant | FR [q1] [30h] [5 Credits]  | | x | x |

BACHELOR IN HISTORY [DUAL BACHELOR'S DEGREE FOR THE HOLDER OF A BACHELOR IN POLITICAL SCIENCES]

- Mandatory
- ☒ Optional
- △ Not offered in 2026-2027
- ⊙ Not offered in 2026-2027 but offered the following year
- ⊕ Offered in 2026-2027 but not the following year
- △ ⊕ Not offered in 2026-2027 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...)

Content:










Dual Bachelor's degree in History for the holder of a Bachelor in Political Science

This dual-degree bachelor's programme in history consists of 85 credits.

This number is reduced to 75 credits if the student makes use of the 10 credits of optional courses provided for in the political science programme to choose courses from the list below. These will be deducted from the dual-degree bachelor's programme.

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| <input type="radio"/> | BROMA1100 | European Comparative Literature | Isabelle Ost | FR [q2] [45h] [5 Credits]  | | x | x |
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Choose one course among the following:

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| ☒ | BHIST1116 | Archaeology and cultural heritage of Antiquity | Florence Liard | FR [q2] [30h] [5 Credits]  | | x | x |
| ☒ | BHIST1218 | History of Art from the Middle Ages to the Modern Day | | FR [q2] [45h] [5 Credits]  | | x | x |
| <input type="radio"/> | BHIST1111 | Source Criticism | Eric Bousmar | FR [q1] [30h+15h] [5 Credits]  | | x | x |
| <input type="radio"/> | BHIST1226 | Historiography | Philippe Desmette | FR [q1] [45h] [4 Credits]  | | x | x |
| <input type="radio"/> | BHIST1112 | Documentary resources in history | | FR [q1] [30h+15h] [5 Credits]  | | x | x |
| <input type="radio"/> | BHIST1286 | Sources for the different periods of History | Eric Bousmar (coord.) Dominique Longrée Bérengère Piret | FR [q1] [60h] [5 Credits]  | | x | x |
| <input type="radio"/> | BHIST1118 | Initiation to historical research | Philippe Desmette | FR [q1+q2] [30h+15h] [5 Credits]  | | x | x |
| <input type="radio"/> | BHIST1313 | Current issues and debates about historiography and the profession of the historian | Eric Bousmar Nathalie Tousignant | FR [q1+q2] [30h+15h] [5 Credits]  | | x | x |
| <input type="radio"/> | BHIST1227 | Palaeography and Diplomatics | Philippe Desmette | FR [q1] [30h] [4 Credits]  | | x | x |

Choice one course among the following:

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| ☒ | BHIST1229 | Seminar of history of Antiquity | | FR [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits]  | | x | |
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| ☒ BHIST1231 | Medieval History Seminar | Eric Bousmar Philippe Desmette (coord.) | FR [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] 🌐 | | x | |
| ☒ BHIST1230 | Seminar on the history of modern times | Serge Dauchy Philippe Desmette | FR [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] 🌐 | | x | |
| ☒ BHIST1228 | Seminar of contemporary history | Béregère Piret Nathalie Tousignant | FR [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] ⊕ 🌐 | | x | |

○ **Choice one course among the following:**

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| ☒ BHIST1229A | Seminar of history of Antiquity - (Advanced level) | | FR [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] ⊕ 🌐 | | x | x |
| ☒ BHIST1231A | Medieval History Seminar - (Advanced level) | | FR [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] 🌐 | | x | x |
| ☒ BHIST1230A | Seminar on the history of modern times - (Advanced level) | | FR [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] 🌐 | | x | x |
| ☒ BHIST1228A | Seminar of contemporary history - (Advanced level) | | FR [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] ⊕ 🌐 | | x | x |

○ **Choose 5 courses (25 credits) among the following:**

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| ☒ BHIST1140 | The History of Western Societies | Philippe Desmette (coord.) Florence Liard | FR [q1] [45h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | | x | x |
| ☒ BHIST1115 | History of Belgium and the Low Countries | Eric Bousmar | FR [q2] [45h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | | x | x |
| ☒ BHIST1282 | History of Antiquity | Florence Liard | FR [q2] [60h] [5 Credits] ⊕ 🌐 | | x | x |
| ☒ BHIST1283 | Medieval History | Eric Bousmar | FR [q1] [60h] [5 Credits] ⊗ 🌐 | | x | x |
| ☒ BHIST1284 | History of Modern Times | Serge Dauchy Philippe Desmette | FR [q1] [60h] [5 Credits] ⊕ 🌐 | | x | x |
| ☒ BHIST1285 | Contemporary History | Béregère Piret | FR [q2] [60h] [5 Credits] ⊗ 🌐 | | x | x |

○ **One course (5 credits) to be chosen from among :**

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| ☒ BHIST1312 | Historical anthropology | Eric Bousmar | FR [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] ⊕ 🌐 | | x | x |
| ☒ BHIST1314 | The History of Justice | Serge Dauchy | FR [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | | x | x |
| ☒ BHIST1310 | Images, films and society | Nathalie Tousignant | FR [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | | x | x |
| ☒ BHIST1311 | Introduction to historical geography | Sébastien Dubois | FR [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | | x | x |

BACHELOR IN HISTORY [SUPPLEMENTARY BACHELOR IN HISTORY FOR THE HOLDER OF A BACHELOR IN PHILOSOPHY]

- Mandatory
- ☒ Optional
- △ Not offered in 2026-2027
- ⊗ Not offered in 2026-2027 but offered the following year
- ⊕ Offered in 2026-2027 but not the following year
- △ ⊕ Not offered in 2026-2027 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...)

○ Content:

○ **Dual-degree bachelor's programme in History for the holder of a Bachelor in Philosophy**

This dual-degree bachelor's programme in History consists of a minimum of 60 or 64 credits, provided that the student has completed all the units of the History thematic module in the bachelor's programme in Philosophy. If this is not the case, the student must add the 4 courses of this module to this programme.

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| ○ BHIST1226 | Historiography | Philippe Desmette | FR [q1] [45h] [4 Credits] 🌐 | | x | x |
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| ○ BHIST1115 | History of Belgium and the Low Countries | Eric Bousmar | FR [q2] [45h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | | x | x |
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○ Choose one course among the following:

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| ⊗ BPOLS1121 | Contemporary History | Béregère Piret | FR [q2] [30h+11h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | | x | |
| ⊗ BESPO1164 | Geopolitics | Jeroen Joly | EN [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | | x | |
| ○ BHIST1112 | Documentary resources in history | | FR [q1] [30h+15h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | | x | x |
| ○ BHIST1286 | Sources for the different periods of History | Eric Bousmar (coord.) Dominique Longrée Béregère Piret | FR [q1] [60h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | | x | x |
| ○ BHIST1118 | Initiation to historical research | Philippe Desmette | FR [q1+q2] [30h+15h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | | x | x |
| ○ BHIST1313 | Current issues and debates about historiography and the profession of the historian | Eric Bousmar Nathalie Tousignant | FR [q1+q2] [30h+15h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | | x | x |
| ○ BHIST1227 | Palaeography and Diplomatics | Philippe Desmette | FR [q1] [30h] [4 Credits] 🌐 | | x | x |

○ Choice one course among the following:

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| ⊗ BHIST1229 | Seminar of history of Antiquity | | FR [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] 🌐 | | x | |
| ⊗ BHIST1231 | Medieval History Seminar | Eric Bousmar Philippe Desmette (coord.) | FR [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] 🌐 | | x | |
| ⊗ BHIST1230 | Seminar on the history of modern times | Serge Dauchy Philippe Desmette | FR [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] 🌐 | | x | |
| ⊗ BHIST1228 | Seminar of contemporary history | Béregère Piret Nathalie Tousignant | FR [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] 🌐 | | x | |

○ Choice one course among the following:

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| ⊗ BHIST1229A | Seminar of history of Antiquity - (Advanced level) | | FR [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] 🌐 | | x | x |
| ⊗ BHIST1231A | Medieval History Seminar - (Advanced level) | | FR [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] 🌐 | | x | x |
| ⊗ BHIST1230A | Seminar on the history of modern times - (Advanced level) | | FR [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] 🌐 | | x | x |
| ⊗ BHIST1228A | Seminar of contemporary history - (Advanced level) | | FR [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] 🌐 | | x | x |

○ Choose two courses among the following:

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| ⊗ BHIST1312 | Historical anthropology | Eric Bousmar | FR [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | | x | x |
| ⊗ BHIST1311 | Introduction to historical geography | Sébastien Dubois | FR [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | | x | x |
| ⊗ BHIST1314 | The History of Justice | Serge Dauchy | FR [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | | x | x |
| ⊗ BHIST1310 | Images, films and society | Nathalie Tousignant | FR [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 | | x | x |

BACHELOR IN HISTORY [DUAL-DEGREE BACHELOR IN HISTORY FOR THE HOLDER OF A BACHELOR IN LAW]

- Mandatory
- ⊗ Optional
- △ Not offered in 2026-2027
- ⊙ Not offered in 2026-2027 but offered the following year
- ⊕ Offered in 2026-2027 but not the following year
- △ ⊕ Not offered in 2026-2027 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...)

o Content:

o Dual-degree bachelor's programme in history for the holder of a Bachelor in Law

This dual-degree bachelor's programme in history consists of 85 or 89 credits.

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| <input type="radio"/> | BROMA1100 | European Comparative Literature | Isabelle Ost | FR [q2] [45h] [5 Credits] | | | | | X | X |
| <input type="radio"/> | BHIST1112 | Documentary resources in history | | FR [q1] [30h+15h] [5 Credits] | | | | | X | X |
| <input type="radio"/> | BHIST1118 | Initiation to historical research | Philippe Desmette | FR [q1+q2] [30h+15h] [5 Credits] | | | | | X | X |

o Choose one course among the following:

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| <input checked="" type="radio"/> | BHIST1116 | Archaeology and cultural heritage of Antiquity | Florence Liard | FR [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] | | | | | X | X |
| <input checked="" type="radio"/> | BHIST1218 | History of Art from the Middle Ages to the Modern Day | | FR [q2] [45h] [5 Credits] | | | | | X | X |
| <input type="radio"/> | BHIST1286 | Sources for the different periods of History | Eric Bousmar (coord.) Dominique Longrée Béregère Piret | FR [q1] [60h] [5 Credits] | | | | | X | X |
| <input type="radio"/> | BHIST1227 | Palaeography and Diplomatics | Philippe Desmette | FR [q1] [30h] [4 Credits] | | | | | X | X |
| <input type="radio"/> | BHIST1226 | Historiography | Philippe Desmette | FR [q1] [45h] [4 Credits] | | | | | X | X |

o Choose 4 courses (20 credits) among the following :

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| <input checked="" type="radio"/> | BHIST1282 | History of Antiquity | Florence Liard | FR [q2] [60h] [5 Credits] | | | | | X | X |
| <input checked="" type="radio"/> | BHIST1283 | Medieval History | Eric Bousmar | FR [q1] [60h] [5 Credits] | | | | | X | X |
| <input checked="" type="radio"/> | BHIST1284 | History of Modern Times | Serge Dauchy Philippe Desmette | FR [q1] [60h] [5 Credits] | | | | | X | X |
| <input checked="" type="radio"/> | BHIST1285 | Contemporary History | Béregère Piret | FR [q2] [60h] [5 Credits] | | | | | X | X |

o Choice one course among the following:

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| <input checked="" type="radio"/> | BHIST1229 | Seminar of history of Antiquity | | FR [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] | | | | | X | |
| <input checked="" type="radio"/> | BHIST1231 | Medieval History Seminar | Eric Bousmar Philippe Desmette (coord.) | FR [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] | | | | | X | |
| <input checked="" type="radio"/> | BHIST1230 | Seminar on the history of modern times | Serge Dauchy Philippe Desmette | FR [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] | | | | | X | |
| <input checked="" type="radio"/> | BHIST1228 | Seminar of contemporary history | Béregère Piret Nathalie Tousignant | FR [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] | | | | | X | |

o Choice one course among the following:

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| <input checked="" type="radio"/> | BHIST1229A | Seminar of history of Antiquity - (Advanced level) | | FR [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] | | | | | X | X |
| <input checked="" type="radio"/> | BHIST1231A | Medieval History Seminar - (Advanced level) | | FR [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] | | | | | X | X |
| <input checked="" type="radio"/> | BHIST1230A | Seminar on the history of modern times - (Advanced level) | | FR [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] | | | | | X | X |
| <input checked="" type="radio"/> | BHIST1228A | Seminar of contemporary history - (Advanced level) | | FR [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] | | | | | X | X |
| <input type="radio"/> | BHIST1310 | Images, films and society | Nathalie Tousignant | FR [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] | | | | | X | X |
| <input type="radio"/> | BHIST1313 | Current issues and debates about historiography and the profession of the historian | Eric Bousmar Nathalie Tousignant | FR [q1+q2] [30h+15h] [5 Credits] | | | | | X | X |

o Choose 3 courses (15 credits) minimum among the following :

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| <input checked="" type="radio"/> | BHIST1312 | Historical anthropology | Eric Bousmar | FR [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] | | | | | X | X |
| <input checked="" type="radio"/> | BHIST1314 | The History of Justice | Serge Dauchy | FR [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] | | | | | X | X |
| <input checked="" type="radio"/> | BHIST1310 | Images, films and society | Nathalie Tousignant | FR [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] | | | | | X | X |
| <input checked="" type="radio"/> | BHIST1311 | Introduction to historical geography | Sébastien Dubois | FR [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] | | | | | X | X |
| <input checked="" type="radio"/> | BHIST1315 | Quantitative methods for historians | Nathalie Tousignant | FR [q2] [30h] [4 Credits] | | | | | X | X |

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| ⊗ BHIST1230 | Seminar on the history of modern times | Serge Dauchy Philippe Desmette | FR [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] 🌐 | | x | x |
| ⊗ BHIST1228 | Seminar of contemporary history | Bérengère Piret Nathalie Tousignant | FR [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] 🌐 | | x | x |
| ⊗ BHIST1293 | Research Seminar : Civilizations of Ancient Greece and Rome | Florence Liard | EN [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] 🌐 | | x | x |
| ⊗ BHIST1291 | Seminar on 19th and 20th c. European history | | EN [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] 🌐 | | x | x |

o Choisir 1 séminaire parmi les suivants : 6 crédits

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| ⊗ BHIST1229A | Seminar of history of Antiquity - (Advanced level) | | FR [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] 🌐 | | x | x |
| ⊗ BHIST1231A | Medieval History Seminar - (Advanced level) | | FR [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] 🌐 | | x | x |
| ⊗ BHIST1230A | Seminar on the history of modern times - (Advanced level) | | FR [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] 🌐 | | x | x |
| ⊗ BHIST1228A | Seminar of contemporary history - (Advanced level) | | FR [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] 🌐 | | x | x |
| ⊗ BHIST1293A | Research Seminar : Civilizations of Ancient Greece and Rome - (Advanced level) | | EN [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] 🌐 | | x | x |
| ⊗ BHIST1291A | Seminar on 19th and 20th c. European history - (Advanced level) | | EN [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] 🌐 | | x | x |

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

- BCOMU1212** "Socio-histoire des médias" has prerequisite(s) BPOLS1113
- BPOLS1113 - [Media institutions analysis](#)
- BHIST1228** "Séminaire d'histoire contemporaine" has prerequisite(s) BHIST1111 ET BHIST1112 ET BHIST1118
- BHIST1111 - [Source Criticism](#)
 - BHIST1112 - [Documentary resources in history](#)
 - BHIST1118 - [Initiation to historical research](#)
- BHIST1229** "Séminaire d'histoire de l'antiquité" has prerequisite(s) BHIST1111 ET BHIST1112 ET BHIST1118
- BHIST1111 - [Source Criticism](#)
 - BHIST1112 - [Documentary resources in history](#)
 - BHIST1118 - [Initiation to historical research](#)
- BHIST1230** "Séminaire d'histoire des temps modernes" has prerequisite(s) BHIST1111 ET BHIST1112 ET BHIST1118
- BHIST1111 - [Source Criticism](#)
 - BHIST1112 - [Documentary resources in history](#)
 - BHIST1118 - [Initiation to historical research](#)
- BHIST1231** "Séminaire d'histoire du moyen âge" has prerequisite(s) BHIST1111 ET BHIST1112 ET BHIST1118
- BHIST1111 - [Source Criticism](#)
 - BHIST1112 - [Documentary resources in history](#)
 - BHIST1118 - [Initiation to historical research](#)
- BHIST1286** "Heuristique des différentes périodes de l'histoire" has prerequisite(s) BHIST1112
- BHIST1112 - [Documentary resources in history](#)

- BHIST1291** "Seminar on 19th and 20th c. European history" has prerequisite(s) BHIST1111 ET BHIST1112 ET BHIST1118
- BHIST1111 - [Source Criticism](#)
 - BHIST1112 - [Documentary resources in history](#)
 - BHIST1118 - [Initiation to historical research](#)
- BHIST1293** "Research Seminar : Civilizations of Ancient Greece and Rome" has prerequisite(s) BHIST1111 ET BHIST1112 ET BHIST1118
- BHIST1111 - [Source Criticism](#)
 - BHIST1112 - [Documentary resources in history](#)
 - BHIST1118 - [Initiation to historical research](#)
- BHIST1313** "Séminaire : enjeux et débats. L'historiographie et le métier d'historien" has prerequisite(s) BHIST1229 OU BHIST1231 OU BHIST1230 OU BHIST1293 OU BHIST1228 OU BHIST1291
- BHIST1229 - [Seminar of history of Antiquity](#)
 - BHIST1231 - [Medieval History Seminar](#)
 - BHIST1230 - [Seminar on the history of modern times](#)
 - BHIST1293 - [Research Seminar : Civilizations of Ancient Greece and Rome](#)
 - BHIST1228 - [Seminar of contemporary history](#)
 - BHIST1291 - [Seminar on 19th and 20th c. European history](#)
- BROMA1294** "Auteurs latins I" has prerequisite(s) BLANG1116 OU BROMA1122
- BLANG1116 - [Initiation to Latin](#)
 - BROMA1122 - [Translation and explanation of Latin texts](#)
- BSOCA1313** "Sociologie historique de l'intégration européenne" has prerequisite(s) BESPO1160 OU BESPO1161 OU BESPO1162
- BESPO1160 - [Sociology](#)
 - BESPO1161 - [Sociology](#)
 - BESPO1162 - [Political science](#)
- BSPOL1315** "Régimes politiques" has prerequisite(s) BESPO1162
- BESPO1162 - [Political science](#)
- BSPOL1316** "Système politique européen" has prerequisite(s) BESPO1162
- BESPO1162 - [Political science](#)

The programme's courses and learning outcomes

For each UCLouvain training programme, a [reference framework of learning outcomes](#) specifies the 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.

Detailed programme per annual block

HISB1BA - 1ST ANNUAL UNIT

- Mandatory
- ⌘ Optional
- △ Not offered in 2026-2027
- ⊙ Not offered in 2026-2027 but offered the following year
- ⊕ Offered in 2026-2027 but not the following year
- △ ⊕ Not offered in 2026-2027 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...)

o Content:

o Core Courses

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| ● BFILO1114 | Philosophy | Laurent Van Eynde | [FR] [q1] [60h] [5 Credits] ⊕ |
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| ○ BROMA1100 | European Comparative Literature | Isabelle Ost | FR [q2] [45h] [5 Credits] |
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○ Choose one course among the following:

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| ⊗ BESPO1176 | Law | Diane Bernard | FR [q1] [45h] +15h] [5 Credits] |
| ⊗ BESPO1160 | Sociology | Benedikte Zitouni | FR [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] |
| ⊗ BESPO1161 | Sociology | Benedikte Zitouni | NL [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] |

○ Specialised courses

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| ○ BHIST1140 | The History of Western Societies | Philippe Desmette (coord.) Florence Liard | FR [q1] [45h] [5 Credits] |
| ○ BHIST1111 | Source Criticism | Eric Bousmar | FR [q1] [30h] +15h] [5 Credits] |
| ○ BHIST1112 | Documentary resources in history | | FR [q1] [30h] +15h] [5 Credits] |
| ○ BHIST1118 | Initiation to historical research | Philippe Desmette | FR [q1+q2] [30h] +15h] [5 Credits] |
| ○ BHIST1115 | History of Belgium and the Low Countries | Eric Bousmar | FR [q2] [45h] [5 Credits] |
| ○ BHIST1116 | Archaeology and cultural heritage of Antiquity | Florence Liard | FR [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] |

○ Choose one course among the following:

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| ⊗ BPOLS1121 | Contemporary History | Bérengère Piret | FR [q2] [30h] +11h] [5 Credits] |
| ⊗ BESPO1164 | Geopolitics | Jeroen Joly | FR [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] |

○ Languages

Student must choose 15 credits of language courses all over the three years of the bachelor's programme.

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| ○ BLANG1120 | English | Marleen Cré | EN [q1+q2] [0h] +45h] [5 Credits] |
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○ Choose one course among the following:

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| ⊗ BLANG1130 | Dutch | Matthieu Sergier | NL [q1+q2] [45h] [5 Credits] |
| ⊗ BLANG1116 | Initiation to Latin | Muriel Lenoble | FR [q1+q2] [60h] [5 Credits] |
| ⊗ BROMA1122 | Translation and explanation of Latin texts | Didier Xhardez | FR [q1] [30h] +15h] [5 Credits] |

HISB1BA - 2ND ANNUAL UNIT

- Mandatory
- ⊗ Optional
- △ Not offered in 2026-2027
- ⊖ Not offered in 2026-2027 but offered the following year
- ⊕ Offered in 2026-2027 but not the following year
- △ ⊕ Not offered in 2026-2027 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...)

o Content:**o Core Courses**

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| ○ BHIST1218 | History of Art from the Middle Ages to the Modern Day | | FR [q2] [45h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
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o Choose one course among the following:

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| ⊗ BFILO1222 | Psychology | Mauricio Garcia Penafiel | FR [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
| ⊗ BDROI1220 | Economics | Xavier Wauthy | FR [q2] [45h +15h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
| ⊗ BDRAN1220 | Economics | Bertrand Hamaide | FR [q1] [45h +15h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |

o Specialised courses

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| ○ BHIST1286 | Sources for the different periods of History ■ | Eric Bousmar (coord.) Dominique Longrée Béregère Piret | FR [q1] [60h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
| ○ BHIST1227 | Palaeography and Diplomatics | Philippe Desmette | FR [q1] [30h] [4 Credits] 🌐 |
| ○ BHIST1226 | Historiography | Philippe Desmette | FR [q1] [45h] [4 Credits] 🌐 |
| ○ BHIST1282 | History of Antiquity <i>Students must take this course in even-numbered years.</i> | Florence Liard | FR [q2] [60h] [5 Credits] ⊕ 🌐 |
| ○ BHIST1284 | History of Modern Times <i>Students must take this course in even-numbered years.</i> | Serge Dauchy Philippe Desmette | FR [q1] [60h] [5 Credits] ⊕ 🌐 |
| ○ BHIST1283 | Medieval History <i>Students must take this course in odd-numbered years.</i> | Eric Bousmar | FR [q1] [60h] [5 Credits] ⊖ 🌐 |
| ○ BHIST1285 | Contemporary History <i>Students must take this course in odd-numbered years.</i> | Béregère Piret | FR [q2] [60h] [5 Credits] ⊖ 🌐 |
| ○ BHIST1312 | Historical anthropology <i>Students must take this course in even-numbered years.</i> | Eric Bousmar | FR [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] ⊕ 🌐 |

o Choose two seminars among the following:

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| ⌘ BHIST1229 | Seminar of history of Antiquity 🟡 Students must take this course in odd-numbered years. | | FR [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] 🌐 |
| ⌘ BHIST1231 | Medieval History Seminar 🟡 | Eric Bousmar Philippe Desmette (coord.) | FR [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] 🌐 |
| ⌘ BHIST1230 | Seminar on the history of modern times 🟡 | Serge Dauchy Philippe Desmette | FR [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] 🌐 |
| ⌘ BHIST1228 | Seminar of contemporary history 🟡 Students must take this course in even-numbered years. | Bérengère Piret Nathalie Tousignant | FR [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] 🌐 |
| ⌘ BHIST1293 | Research Seminar : Civilizations of Ancient Greece and Rome 🟡 Students must take this course in even-numbered years. | Florence Liard | EN [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] 🌐 |
| ⌘ BHIST1291 | Seminar on 19th and 20th c. European history 🟡 Students must take this course in odd-numbered years. | | EN [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] 🌐 |

o Languages

Student must choose 15 credits of language courses all over the three years of the bachelor's programme.

o Choose one course among the following:

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| ⌘ BLANG1130 | Dutch | Matthieu Sergier | NL [q1+q2] [45h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
| ⌘ BGERM1101 | English : History of literature and analysis of texts I | | EN [q2] [60h +30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
| ⌘ BLANG1121 | Spanish | Cristal Huerdo Moreno | ES [q1+q2] [60h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
| ⌘ BROMA1117 | Italian I | | IT [q1+q2] [15h +60h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
| o BMHAL1131 | German: Written Language Mastery | Isabel Kniebs | DE [q1+q2] [0h +60h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
| ⌘ BLANG1116 | Initiation to Latin | Muriel Lenoble | FR [q1+q2] [60h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
| ⌘ BROMA1122 | Translation and explanation of Latin texts | Didier Xhardez | FR [q1] [30h +15h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
| ⌘ BROMA1294 | Latin authors I 🟡 | Dominique Longrée | FR [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |

o Module to choose from

The student chooses a thematic module or the interdisciplinary module:

- in block 2: choice of 5 credits (even years) or 10 credits (odd years);
- in block 3: choice of 15 credits (even years) or 20 credits (odd years).

⌘ Module Letters and civilisations

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| ✂ BROMA1194 | History of French Literature I (XVII and XVIII) | Andrea Schellino | ES [q1] [60h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
| ✂ BROMA1111 | History of the French Language | Anne Dister | ES [q2] [45h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
| ✂ BDURA1000 | Environmental Challenges and Issues | Christine Frison | ES [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
| ✂ BMUN1000 | Model United Nations | Emmanuel Klimis | ES [q1+q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |

✂ Module European Studies

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| ✂ BHIST1122 | History of European Integration | Nathalie Tousignant | ES [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
| ✂ BESPO1162 | Political science | Olivier Paye | ES [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
| ✂ BDURA1000 | Environmental Challenges and Issues | Christine Frison | ES [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
| ✂ BMUN1000 | Model United Nations | Emmanuel Klimis | ES [q1+q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |

✂ Module Political Sciences and communication

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| ✂ BESPO1162 | Political science | Olivier Paye | ES [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
| ✂ BPOLS1113 | Media institutions analysis | | ES [q2] [30h +4h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
| ✂ BDURA1000 | Environmental Challenges and Issues | Christine Frison | ES [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
| ✂ BMUN1000 | Model United Nations | Emmanuel Klimis | ES [q1+q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |

✂ Interdisciplinary module

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| ✂ BROMA1194 | History of French Literature I (XVII and XVIII) | Andrea Schellino | ES [q1] [60h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
| ✂ BROMA1298 | History of French literature (XIX and XX) | Andrea Schellino | ES [q1] [60h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
| ✂ BROMA1111 | History of the French Language | Anne Dister | ES [q2] [45h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
| ✂ BFILO1311 | Philosophy of culture and history | Laurent Van Eynde | ES [q2] [45h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
| ✂ BHIST1122 | History of European Integration | Nathalie Tousignant | ES [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
| ✂ BESPO1162 | Political science | Olivier Paye | ES [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
| ✂ BPOLS1113 | Media institutions analysis | | ES [q2] [30h +4h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
| ✂ BSPOL1316 | The European Political System 🇪🇺 | Denis Duez | ES [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |

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| ⌘ BHDPO1319 | Intercultural relations and migrations | Maryam Kolly | FR [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
| ⌘ BSOCA1313 | Historical sociology of European integration 🟡 | Florence Delmotte | FR [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
| ⌘ BCOMU1212 | Social-history of media 🟡 | Geoffroy Patriarche | FR [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
| ⌘ BDROI1221 | History of the institutions and of law II (contemporary period) | | FR [q2] [45h +15h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
| ⌘ BRELI1000 | Occidental Religions and Society : judaism, christianity, islam | Raphaël Gély (coord.) | FR [q1] [45h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
| ⌘ BDURA1000 | Environmental Challenges and Issues | Christine Frison | FR [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
| ⌘ BMUN1000 | Model United Nations | Emmanuel Klimis | EN [q1+q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |

HISB1BA - 3RD ANNUAL UNIT

- Mandatory
- ⊗ Optional
- △ Not offered in 2026-2027
- ⊖ Not offered in 2026-2027 but offered the following year
- ⊕ Offered in 2026-2027 but not the following year
- △ ⊕ Not offered in 2026-2027 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...)

o Content:**o Specialised courses**

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| ○ BHIST1282 | History of Antiquity <i>Students must take this course in even-numbered years.</i> | Florence Liard | FR [q2] [60h] [5 Credits] ⊕ 🌐 |
| ○ BHIST1284 | History of Modern Times <i>Students must take this course in even-numbered years.</i> | Serge Dauchy Philippe Desmette | FR [q1] [60h] [5 Credits] ⊕ 🌐 |
| ○ BHIST1283 | Medieval History <i>Students must take this course in odd-numbered years.</i> | Eric Bousmar | FR [q1] [60h] [5 Credits] ⊖ 🌐 |
| ○ BHIST1285 | Contemporary History <i>Students must take this course in odd-numbered years.</i> | Bérengère Piret | FR [q2] [60h] [5 Credits] ⊖ 🌐 |
| ○ BHIST1312 | Historical anthropology <i>Students must take this course in even-numbered years.</i> | Eric Bousmar | FR [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] ⊕ 🌐 |
| ○ BHIST1311 | Introduction to historical geography | Sébastien Dubois | FR [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
| ○ BHIST1314 | The History of Justice | Serge Dauchy | FR [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
| ○ BHIST1310 | Images, films and society | Nathalie Tousignant | FR [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
| ○ BHIST1315 | Quantitative methods for historians | Nathalie Tousignant | FR [q2] [30h] [4 Credits] 🌐 |
| ○ BHIST1313 | Current issues and debates about historiography and the profession of the historian ■ | Eric Bousmar Nathalie Tousignant | FR [q1+q2] [30h +15h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |

o Choose one seminar among the following:

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| ⊗ BHIST1229A | Seminar of history of Antiquity - (Advanced level) <i>Students must take this course in odd-numbered years.</i> | | FR [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] ⊖ 🌐 |
| ⊗ BHIST1231A | Medieval History Seminar - (Advanced level) | | FR [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] 🌐 |
| ⊗ BHIST1230A | Seminar on the history of modern times - (Advanced level) | | FR [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] 🌐 |

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| ⌘ BHIST1228A | Seminar of contemporary history - (Advanced level) Students must take this course in even-numbered years. | | FR [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] ⊕ 🌐 |
| ⌘ BHIST1293A | Research Seminar : Civilizations of Ancient Greece and Rome - (Advanced level) Students must take this course in even-numbered years. | | EN [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] ⊕ 🌐 |
| ⌘ BHIST1291A | Seminar on 19th and 20th c. European history - (Advanced level) Students must take this course in odd-numbered years. | | EN [q1+q2] [30h] [6 Credits] 🌐 |

o Module to choose from

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- in block 3: choice of 15 credits (even years) or 20 credits (odd years).

⌘ Module Letters and civilisations

| | | | |
|-------------|---|-----------------------|---|
| ⌘ BROMA1298 | History of French literature (XIX and XX) | Andrea Schellino | FR [q1] [60h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
| ⌘ BRELI1000 | Occidental Religions and Society : judaism, christianity, islam | Raphaël Gély (coord.) | FR [q1] [45h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
| ⌘ BFILO1311 | Philosophy of culture and history | Laurent Van Eynde | FR [q2] [45h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
| ⌘ BDURA1000 | Environmental Challenges and Issues | Christine Frison | FR [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
| ⌘ BMUN1000 | Model United Nations | Emmanuel Klimis | EN [q1+q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |

⌘ Module European Studies

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| ⌘ BSPOL1316 | The European Political System 🟡 | Denis Duez | FR [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
| ⌘ BHDPO1319 | Intercultural relations and migrations | Maryam Kolly | FR [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
| ⌘ BSOCA1313 | Historical sociology of European integration 🟡 | Florence Delmotte | FR [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
| ⌘ BDURA1000 | Environmental Challenges and Issues | Christine Frison | FR [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
| ⌘ BMUN1000 | Model United Nations | Emmanuel Klimis | EN [q1+q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |

⌘ Module Political Sciences and communication

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| ⌘ BCOMU1212 | Social-history of media 🟡 | Geoffroy Patriarche | FR [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
| ⌘ BDROI1221 | History of the institutions and of law II (contemporary period) | | FR [q2] [45h +15h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
| ⌘ BSPOL1315 | Political Systems 🟡 | Denis Duez | FR [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
| ⌘ BDURA1000 | Environmental Challenges and Issues | Christine Frison | FR [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |

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| ⌘ BMUN1000 | Model United Nations | Emmanuel Klimis | EN [q1+q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
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⌘ Interdisciplinary module

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|-------------|---|-----------------------|---|
| ⌘ BROMA1194 | History of French Literature I (XVII and XVIII) | Andrea Schellino | FR [q1] [60h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
| ⌘ BROMA1298 | History of French literature (XIX and XX) | Andrea Schellino | FR [q1] [60h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
| ⌘ BROMA1111 | History of the French Language | Anne Dister | FR [q2] [45h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
| ⌘ BFILO1311 | Philosophy of culture and history | Laurent Van Eynde | FR [q2] [45h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
| ⌘ BHIST1122 | History of European Integration | Nathalie Tousignant | FR [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
| ⌘ BESPO1162 | Political science | Olivier Paye | FR [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
| ⌘ BPOLS1113 | Media institutions analysis | | FR [q2] [30h +4h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
| ⌘ BSPOL1316 | The European Political System 🟡 | Denis Duez | FR [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
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| ⌘ BRELI1000 | Occidental Religions and Society : judaism, christianity, islam | Raphaël Gély (coord.) | FR [q1] [45h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
| ⌘ BDURA1000 | Environmental Challenges and Issues | Christine Frison | FR [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |
| ⌘ BMUN1000 | Model United Nations | Emmanuel Klimis | EN [q1+q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐 |

HISB1BA - Information

Access Requirements

Decree of 7 November 2013 defining the landscape of higher education and the academic organization of studies.

The admission requirements must be met prior to enrolment in the University.

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

SUMMARY

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- [Special requirements to access some programmes](#)

General access requirements

Except as otherwise provided by other specific legal provisions, admission to undergraduate courses leading to the award of a Bachelor's degree will be granted to students with one of the following qualifications :

1. A Certificate of Upper Secondary Education issued during or after the 1993-1994 academic year by an establishment offering full-time secondary education or an adult education centre in the French Community of Belgium and, as the case may be, approved if it was issued by an educational institution before 1 January 2008 or affixed with the seal of the French Community if it was issued after this date, or an equivalent certificate awarded by the Examination Board of the French Community during or after 1994;
2. A Certificate of Upper Secondary Education issued no later than the end of the 1992-1993 academic year, along with official documentation attesting to the student's ability to pursue higher education for students applying for a full-length undergraduate degree programme;
3. A diploma awarded by a higher education institution within the French Community that confers an academic degree issued under the above-mentioned Decree, or a diploma awarded by a university or institution dispensing full-time higher education in accordance with earlier legislation;
4. A higher education certificate or diploma awarded by an adult education centre;
5. A pass certificate for one of the [entrance examinations](#) organized by higher education institutions or by an examination board of the French Community; this document gives admission to studies in the sectors, fields or programmes indicated therein;
6. A diploma, certificate of studies or other qualification similar to those mentioned above, issued by the Flemish Community of Belgium, the German Community of Belgium or the Royal Military Academy;
7. A diploma, certificate of studies or other qualification obtained abroad and deemed equivalent to the first four mentioned above by virtue of a law, decree, European directive or international convention;

Note:

Requests for equivalence must be submitted to the Equivalence department ([Service des équivalences](#)) of the Ministry of Higher Education and Scientific Research of the French Community of Belgium in compliance with the official deadline.

The following two qualifications are automatically deemed equivalent to the Certificate of Upper Secondary Education (Certificat d'enseignement secondaire supérieur – CESS):

- European Baccalaureate issued by the Board of Governors of a European School,
- International Baccalaureate issued by the International Baccalaureate Office in Geneva.

8. Official documentation attesting to a student's ability to pursue higher education (diplôme d'aptitude à accéder à l'enseignement supérieur - DAES), issued by the Examination Board of the French Community.

Specific access requirements

- Access to bachelor programmes for candidates of nationality outside the European Union who are not assimilated to Belgian nationals is subject to the following criteria:
 - not have obtained a secondary education diploma for more than 3 years maximum. Example: for an admission application for the academic year 2025-2026, you must have obtained your diploma during the academic years 2022-2023, 2023-2024 ou 2024-2025. In the French Community of Belgium, the academic year runs from September 14 to September 13
 - not already hold an undergraduate degree
- Candidates, whatever their nationality, with a secondary school diploma **from a country outside the European Union**, must have obtained an average of 13/20 minimum or, failing that, have obtained this average, have passed one year of study in Belgium (for example special Maths / sciences). A non-successful year will not be taken into consideration.

- For any secondary school diploma **from a European Union country**, the admission request must contain the equivalence of your diploma or, at the very least, proof of the filing of the equivalence request with the Wallonia-Brussels Federation (French Community of Belgium). For any information relating to obtaining an equivalence, please refer to [the following site](#).
- For any secondary school diploma **from a country outside the European Union**, the admission application must contain the [equivalence of your diploma](#) issued by the Wallonia-Brussels Federation (French Community of Belgium). If you have a restrictive equivalence for the programme of your choice, in addition of it, you **must** have either the [DAES](#) or a certificate of successful completion of the [examination giving access to 1st cycle studies](#) when you submit your application

Access based on validation of professional experience

Admission to undergraduate studies on the basis of accreditation of knowledge and skills obtained through professional or personal experience (Accreditation of Prior Experience)

Subject to the general requirements laid down by the authorities of the higher education institution, with the aim of admission to the undergraduate programme, the examination boards accredit the knowledge and skills that students have obtained through their professional or personal experience.

This experience must correspond to at least five years of documented activity, with years spent in higher education being partially taken into account: 60 credits are deemed equivalent to one year of experience, with a maximum of two years being counted. At the end of an assessment procedure organized by the authorities of the higher education institution, the Examination Board will decide whether a student has sufficient skills and knowledge to successfully pursue undergraduate studies.

After this assessment, the Examination Board will determine the additional courses and possible exemptions constituting the supplementary requirements for the student's admission.

Special requirements to access some programmes

- Admission to **undergraduate studies in engineering: civil engineering and architect**

Pass certificate for the [special entrance examination for undergraduate studies in engineering: civil engineering and architect](#).

Admission to these courses is always subject to students passing the special entrance examination. Contact the faculty office for the programme content and the examination arrangements.

- Admission to **undergraduate studies in veterinary medicine**

[Admission to undergraduate studies in veterinary medicine is governed by the Decree of 16 June 2006 regulating the number of students in certain higher education undergraduate courses \(non-residents\)](#).

- Admission to **undergraduate studies in physiotherapy and rehabilitation**

[Admission to undergraduate studies in physiotherapy and rehabilitation is governed by the Decree of 16 June 2006 regulating the number of students in certain higher education undergraduate courses \(non-residents\)](#).

- Admission to **undergraduate studies in psychology and education: speech and language therapy**

[Admission to undergraduate studies in psychology and education: speech and language therapy is governed by the Decree of 16 June 2006 regulating the number of students in certain higher education undergraduate courses \(non-residents\)](#).

- Admission to **undergraduate studies in medicine and dental science**

[Admission to undergraduate studies in medicine and dental science is governed by the Decree of 16 June 2006 regulating the number of students in certain higher education undergraduate courses \(non-residents\)](#).

Note: students wishing to enrol for a **Bachelor's degree in Medicine** or a **Bachelor's degree in dental science** must first sit an [aptitude test \(fr\)](#).

- Access to **Bachelor of Science in Business Engineering**

The Bachelor of Science in Business Engineering is a joint program organised by KU Leuven and UCLouvain Saint-Louis Bruxelles. In order to register, all candidate must first submit an application via the [KU Leuven admission platform](#). The [conditions of access](#) to this programme are specific.

- Access to **Bachelor in Droit – Rechten – Laws**

The Bachelor in Droit – Rechten – Laws is a joint program organised by KU Leuven and UCLouvain Saint-Louis Bruxelles. In order to register, all candidate must first submit an application via the [KU Leuven admission platform](#). The [conditions of access](#) to this programme are specific.

Teaching method

Courses, seminars

Teaching methods vary according to the content and objectives of the course or seminar. They may include: presentations followed by discussions and question and answer sessions between the course lecturer and students; student presentations; or lectures followed by discussions. Specialised courses are taught in small groups, and the teaching staff are composed of lecturer-researchers who are available to students.

Being located in Brussels means that students have the opportunity to access major library collections and archives, which are essential in learning about the work of a historian. The programme also includes a practical introduction to the use of non-textual sources, such as images, monuments and historic sites.

Methodological assistance

UCLouvain Saint-Louis Bruxelles places great importance on educational support for all bachelor's programmes. The Academic Guidance Service (AGS) offers a range of learning support activities and is available to meet students who wish to do so.

Evaluation

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

Examinations are held in January, June and September. First-year students who do not achieve passing grades in the January session have up to two opportunities to retake specific examinations, in June and/or September. In the second and third years, students have two opportunities during the academic year to take their exams.

Assessment can be written, oral or based on the presentation of a work. Specific courses and practical seminars require active participation, which may be assessed. Assessment procedures are specified in the course descriptions.

Mobility and/or Internationalisation outlook

Exchange programmes

Students can take part in an exchange programme during the first term of the third year. Selection is based on credits already earned, marks and motivation.

Three types of exchange are available:

1. Erasmus exchanges with universities in European Union countries
2. Erasmus Belgica exchanges with Dutch-language Belgian universities
3. exchanges with universities outside Europe.

Find out more about the [destinations](#).

Language study grants

Students who have submitted a motivated request and have obtained sufficient marks in their June exams can obtain a grant for taking language courses in a European country during a holiday period. The proposed destinations include

Spain, Italy, Germany, the UK and the Netherlands. The grant covers up to half the cost of the language course and accommodation.

Find out more about the [language stays and study grants](#).

Possible trainings at the end of the programme

The bachelor's degree in history gives direct access to the master's degree in history (120 and 60) organised under the Fédération Wallonie-Bruxelles.

Master's degrees available at UCLouvain

Direct access

- [Master \[120\] in History](#) (Louvain-la-Neuve) et [Master \[60\] in History](#) (Louvain-la-Neuve)

Other master's degrees available on completion of the programme

The bachelor's degree in history also allows access to other master's degree programmes organised by UCLouvain, subject to compliance with the admission requirements for these programmes. In some cases, this requires the completion of certain course units (see the admission requirements for the master's degree programme in question).

- [Master \[120\] in History of Art and Archaeology : General](#) (Louvain-la-Neuve) [Master \[60\] in History of Art and Archaeology : General new#](#) (Louvain-la-Neuve)
- [Master \[120\] in History of Art and Archaeology: Musicology](#) (Louvain-la-Neuve) et [Master \[60\] in History of Art and Archaeology: Musicology](#) (Louvain-la-Neuve)
- [Master \[120\] in Ancient Languages and Literatures: Oriental Studies](#) (Louvain-la-Neuve) et [Master \[60\] in Ancient Languages and Literatures : Oriental Studies](#) (Louvain-la-Neuve)
- [Master \[120\] in Philosophy](#) (Louvain-la-Neuve) et [Master \[60\] in Philosophy](#) (Louvain-la-Neuve)
- [Master \[120\] in European Studies](#) (Louvain-la-Neuve)
- [Master \[120\] in Political Sciences: General](#) (Louvain-la-Neuve)
- [Master \[60\] in Information and Communication](#) (Louvain-la-Neuve)
- [Master \[120\] in Political Sciences: International Relations](#) (Louvain-la-Neuve)
- [Master \[120\] in Sociology](#) (Louvain-la-Neuve)
- [Master \[120\] in Anthropology](#) (Louvain-la-Neuve)
- [Master \[60\] in Sociology and Anthropology](#) (Louvain-la-Neuve)
- [Master \[120\] in Criminology](#) (Louvain-la-Neuve)
- [Master \[120\] in Population and Development Studies](#) (Louvain-la-Neuve)
- [Master \[120\] in Sciences of Religions](#) (Louvain-la-Neuve)

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