

Q200 Comparative Literature
Q20Y Comparative Literature with a Year Abroad

Overall programme structure(s) and requirements, levels and modules

You must take 120 credits in each year of study, meeting all programme and pathway requirements, and will only be able to progress to the next developmental year if you have met the progression requirements. To be eligible for the award of your degree you must have passed a minimum of 315 credits, including 90 credits at level 6.

You must take a minimum of 270 credits in Comparative Literature modules over the period of your studies. Some of these credits will be from compulsory modules, and some will be optional modules which you can choose each year. You may also take up to 120 credits outside your subject area in the course of your degree.

Students taking the 4-year programme with a year abroad will take an additional 120-credit Year Abroad Assessment module. Credits taken as part of the Year Abroad do not count towards the overall requirements shown above.

The regulations below outline the requirements for which modules you have to take in each year of study, and what you have to achieve to progress to the next year.

Year 1 – Level 4

You must take the following **90 credits of compulsory modules**:

- 30 credits COM4207 Scene of Learning (compulsory module)
- 15 credits COM4209 Myth, Modernity, and Metamorphoses (compulsory module)
- 15 credits COM4208 Brief Encounters: Around the World in Short Stories (compulsory module)
- 15 credits COM4206 Introduction to Comparison (compulsory module)
- 15 credits COM4210 Understanding Culture (compulsory module)

You must choose **30 credits of elective modules** from the list below. When choosing elective modules, you must ensure that the module fits into your timetable.

15 credit modules Semester A	15 credit modules Semester B	15 credit Yearlong (Semester A and Semester B) modules	30 credit Yearlong (Semester A and Semester B) modules
SML4200 Men, Women, and Song: Love Poetry in the Middle Ages			COM4006 Culture and Language
			CAT4200 Introductory Catalan (beginner)
	CHI4201 Deconstructing 'China' in the Western Imagination		CHI4200 Introductory Chinese (beginner)
			FRE4204 Introductory French (beginner)
FRE4042 Picturing a Nation: France and its Image from Marianne to #JesuisCharlie	FRE4041 Postcolonial Francospheres: Memories of Colonialism in the French-Speaking World		FRE4202, French I Intensive (Post-GCSE)
			FRE4200, French I (Post-A Level)
GER4202 Introductory German Part I	GER4203 Introductory German Part II		GER4201, Introductory German (beginner)
GER4060 Germany Today	GER4061 Austria Today		GER4205, German I Intensive (Post-GCSE)
GER064X German Play			GER4204, German I (Post A-Level)
	HSP4011 Catalan Culture: Art, Literature and Football		HSP4200 Introductory Spanish (beginner)
			HSP4201 Spanish I (Post A Level)
			HSP4202 Spanish I N (Native Speaker)

15 credit modules Semester A	15 credit modules Semester B	15 credit Yearlong (Semester A and Semester B) modules	30 credit Yearlong (Semester A and Semester B) modules
POR4036 Colonial Power and Desire: Narratives of Dissent in Portugal and Brazil			POR4200 Introductory Portuguese (beginner)
			POR4201 Portuguese I (Post A Level)
RUS4029 Short Stories and Important People	RUS4205 Reading Contemporary Russia		RUS4203 Introductory Russian (beginner)
	RUS4046 Russian Language Play		RUS4204 Russian I Intensive (Post GCSE)
			RUS4201 Russian I (Post A level)
			RUS4202 Russian I N (Native Speaker)
LAN4001 German Language and Culture I (a) (beginner part 1)	LAN4002 German Language and Culture I (b) (beginner part 2)	LAN4101 German Language and Culture I (a) (beginner part 1)	LAN4000 German Language and Culture I (beginner)
		LAN4102 German Language and Culture I (b) (beginner part 2)	
LAN4011 French Language and Culture I (a) (beginner part 1)	LAN4012 French Language and Culture I (b) (beginner part 2)	LAN4111 French Language and Culture I (a) (beginner part 1)	LAN4010 French Language and Culture I (beginner)
		LAN4112 French Language and Culture I (b) (beginner part 2)	
LAN4021 Spanish Language and Culture I (a) (beginner part 1)	LAN4022 Spanish Language and Culture I (b) (beginner part 2)	LAN4121 Spanish Language and Culture I (a) (beginner part 1)	LAN4020 Spanish Language and Culture I (beginner)
	LAN4023 Spanish Language and Culture I (a) (beginner part 1)	LAN4122 Spanish Language and Culture I (b) (beginner part 2)	

15 credit modules Semester A	15 credit modules Semester B	15 credit Yearlong (Semester A and Semester B) modules	30 credit Yearlong (Semester A and Semester B) modules
LAN4041 Japanese Language and Culture I (a) (beginner part 1)	LAN4042 Japanese Language and Culture I (b) (beginner part 2)	LAN4141 Japanese Language and Culture I (a) (beginner part 1)	LAN4040 Japanese Language and Culture I (beginner)
		LAN4142 Japanese Language and Culture I (b) (beginner part 2)	
LAN4051 Modern Arabic Language and Culture I (a) (beginner part 1)	LAN4052 Modern Arabic Language and Culture I (b) (beginner part 2)	LAN4151 Modern Arabic Language and Culture I (a) (beginner part 1)	LAN4050 Modern Arabic Language and Culture I (beginner)
LAN4081 Mandarin Chinese Language and Culture I (a) (beginner part 1)	LAN4082 Mandarin Chinese Language and Culture I (b) (beginner part 2)	LAN4181 Mandarin Chinese Language and Culture I (a) (beginner part 1)	LAN4080 Mandarin Chinese Language and Culture I (beginner)
	LAN4083 Mandarin Chinese Language and Culture I (a) (beginner part 1)	LAN4182 Mandarin Chinese Language and Culture I (b) (beginner part 2)	
		LAN4171 Italian Language and Culture I (a) (beginner part 1)	
		LAN4131 Bengali Language and Culture I (a)	
		LAN4132 Bengali Language and Culture I (b)	

Progression requirements from Year 1 to Year 2

To successfully progress from Year 1 to Year 2 you must pass a minimum of 90 credits and achieve an average mark of 40.0 or higher across all the credits you have taken.

Year 2 – Level 5

You must take the following **75 credits**:

- 15 credits COM200 The Scene of Reading (compulsory module)

- 60 credits optional modules to be chosen from COM-/SML- coded modules at level 5

You will choose the remaining **45 credits** from:

- optional modules offered in Comparative Literature
- all modules offered in the School of Languages, Linguistics and Film
- all modules offered in the Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences

Registration is subject to space available on modules, and with the guidance of your advisor. At least 15 credits of these modules must be at level 5. You may choose up to 30 credits at level 4 or level 6 with the agreement of your advisor.

Progression Requirements from Year 2 to Final Year (Q200)

To successfully progress from Year 2 to the Final Year, you must pass a minimum of 90 credits in Year 2 and have passed a minimum of 195 credits in total from Year 1 and Year 2 and achieve an average mark of 40.0 or higher across all the credits you have taken, weighted at 1:3 for Year 1 and Year 2 respectively.

Progression Requirements from Year 2 to Year Abroad (Q20Y)

To successfully progress to the Year Abroad you must achieve an average of 2:1 (minimum 60.0 weighted average mark), with no failed modules (after resit as appropriate). Students who do not meet the progression requirement (after resit as appropriate) for the 4-year programme, will be transferred to the 3-year programme and the progression requirements for Q200 as shown above apply.

Year Abroad - Level 5 (Q20Y)

You will take modules to the equivalent of 120 credits at the host institution during your year abroad, and the assessment results will be converted into a single mark attributed to the compulsory Year Abroad module for your programme. Students who fail to pass the Year Abroad will be transferred to the 3-year programme and the progression requirements for Q200 as shown above apply.

Final Year – Level 6

You must take the following **75 credits**:

- 15 credits The Scene of Writing (compulsory module)
- 60 credits optional modules in COM-/SML- coded modules at level 6.

You will choose the remaining **45 credits** from:

- optional modules offered in Comparative Literature
- all modules offered in the School of Languages, Linguistics and Film
- all modules offered in the Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences

Registration is subject to space available on modules, and with the guidance of your advisor. At least 15 credits of these modules must be at level 6. You may choose up to 30 credits at level 5. You are not allowed to take level 4 modules in your final year.

Note that the programme structure only requires you to take a minimum of 90 credits at level 6; you must also **pass** a minimum of 90 credits at level 6 to be eligible for your degree and may wish to bear this in mind when making module choices.

Requirements for award

To be eligible for award, you must pass a minimum of 315 credits in total, including a minimum of 90 credits at level 6, but not including the Year Abroad module (as applicable).