

PROGRAMME PROFILE

Educational Programme	Philology/Comparative Literature
Degree Awarded	Bachelor of Arts
Standard Length of Studies (Number of ECTS Credits)	3 years – 6 semesters – 180 ECTS
Type of Study	Full-time
Higher Education Institution	Babeş-Bolyai University Cluj-Napoca, Romania
Faculty / Department	Faculty of Letters
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Profile of the Degree Programme	Philology/Comparative Literature
Target Group / Addressees	The programme is addressed to people who are interested in pursuing a career path that enables them to select a relevant job, such as publishing agent, researcher in philology, press correspondent, teacher, writer etc.
Entrance Conditions	Average of the high school grades
Further Education Possibilities	Master of Arts, specialisation: History of Images – History of Ideas
Description of Study	<p>The programme aims to create specialists in philology by providing a diversity of incentives. Therefore, the curriculum includes a series of courses which combine several methods (comparativism, thematism, archetypology, mythocriticism, psychocriticism, psychohistory, etc.) and bring together several domains (universal literature, history of religions, mythology, philosophy, literary theory, history of arts, history of ideas and mentalities, cultural studies), covering the major ages and literary trends (Antiquity, Middle Ages, Renaissance, Baroque, Enlightenment, Romanticism, Realism, Modernism, Postmodernism), the major literary genres (epic, novel, theater, poetry) and, as an illustration, a few great myths, themes and symbols (the hero, the demonic or the faustic character, eschatology, the woman, the double, love, etc.)</p> <p>Moreover we see how cultural issues, contexts, the self emerge in scholarly discussions, and focus on various influences (social, political, historical and other) which outline a coherent overview. Keeping abreast of other international programmes is another prerequisite. Students will always get an input for further reading.</p>
Purposes of the Programme	<p>Career opportunities – a wide variety of jobs ranging from literary agent, public relations experts, to editorship, working in public institutions as researchers, as broadcasting staff etc.</p> <p>To promote the profession and consolidate its prestige in</p>

	society
Specialization / Area of Expertise	The programme trains specialists in several areas of expertise: comparative and universal literature as well as cultural studies, world literature, researches on the cultural imaginary, literary theory and aesthetics
Practical Training	Pedagogical practice in schools, research in cultural journalism
Final Examinations	BA Research thesis
Gained Abilities and Skills	<p>The graduate student should:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • gain the skills for critical thinking, writing and reading and apply them in a specific context; • become acquainted with the specialized language used in the fields of literature studies; • be able to discern and assess among various critical approaches or philosophical trends • analyze narratological concerns • collect, analyze and interpret quantitative and qualitative data and information, from different comparative sources • display communication skills within interpersonal relations • develop proficiencies which will allow philologists to consolidate their knowledge by pursuing masters and doctoral degree studies
Job Placement, Potential Field of Professional Activity	<p>The competences and abilities developed by the programme allow the graduates to apply for jobs such as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • editor, proof reader, reviewer, reporter • a worker in social and scientific field; after also completing the pedagogical module the graduate may teach students in primary schools, gymnasiums and universities • translator, journalist, press spokesman, media expert, copy editor, expert in documentation, cultural mediator (in public relations, advertising and media, etc.)

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