

Study Schedule for MA English: Language, Literatures and Cultures

Winter Semester 2026/2027

Jul 20, 2026

Monday



451139 AM 1: Introduction to Medieval English Literature and Culture, A, PS

Montag

von 10:00 AM bis 12:00 PM

weekly

VG 2.102, Verfügungsgebäude - PIZ 5361

This fundamental course intends to develop and improve your critical competence as well as translation



450404 Academic Writing for MA students (Course 1), Exercise

Montag

von 10:15 AM bis 11:45 AM

weekly

1.165, Oeconomicum

This is an introductory academic writing course for students with no experience in writing academic papers



453169 The First World War in Fiction, HS

Montag

von 12:00 PM bis 2:00 PM

weekly

VG 2.103, Verfügungsgebäude - PIZ 5361

This class includes poetry, short fiction and novels in English dealing with the Great War, paying special



4505155 Research Colloquium, Ko

Montag

von 12:00 PM bis 2:00 PM

weekly

This course is designed for master's students in the final stages of writing their theses in the fields of Anglophone Literature and Culture/ Completion Module/ Masterabschlussmodul M.EP.06a-Anglophone Literature and Culture" and their supervisor's name. Students doing module M.EP. 09a should register in Flexnow for the port and their supervisor's name.



452963 Irish Culture and History (for MA students), Exercise

Montag

von 2:15 PM bis 3:45 PM

weekly

SEP 0.244 (Medienraum), Jacob-Grimm-Haus

The Irish have long been pre-occupied with what it means to be 'Irish', and the meaning has been in constant



453573 Tutorial Vorlesung Litwiss., TU

Montag

von 4:00 PM bis 6:00 PM

weekly

VG 2.105, Verfügungsgebäude - PIZ 5361

This tutorial is taught in conjunction with the lecture "A Cultural History of American Literature III". It will

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453556 Metaphor and Matter in Theory and Practice, HS

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von 4:00 PM bis 6:00 PM

weekly

VG 3.108, Verfügungsgebäude - PIZ 5361

The etymology of the word metaphor – from the Greek metapherein, meaning "to carry over" or "to transfer"



450405 Academic Writing for MA students (Course 2/For advanced students), Exercise

Montag

von 4:15 PM bis 5:45 PM

weekly

SEP 0.244 (Medienraum), Jacob-Grimm-Haus

This course is intended for students who are already familiar with the basic principles of writing term papers

Tuesday



451140 AM 1: Introduction to Medieval English Literature and Culture, B, PS

Dienstag

von 10:00 AM bis 12:00 PM

weekly

This fundamental course intends to develop and improve your critical competence as well as translation skills



453670 HS: Beowulf, HS

Dienstag

von 10:00 AM bis 12:00 PM

weekly

VG 2.102, Verfügungsgebäude - PIZ 5361

*The longest and most complex Old English poem is the topic of this Hauptseminar. Participants will read and discuss the poem in Old English and Old Norse. Recommended reading: Fulk, R. D., ed. and trans. *The Beowulf Manuscript: Complete Texts and The Fight at Finnsburg*. *Dum**



452962 Academic Writing for MA students (Course 3), Exercise

Dienstag

von 10:15 AM bis 11:45 AM

weekly

This course will familiarize you with academic conventions (e.g. style and referencing) and composition



453662 Advanced linguistics: Indefinite anaphora, S

Dienstag

von 10:15 AM bis 11:45 AM

weekly

VG 1.108, Verfügungsgebäude - PIZ 5361

In this class, we'll consider anaphoric dependencies between indefinite noun phrases and pronouns. A

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453504 Kinship: Narratives, Poetics, Theory, HS

Dienstag

von 12:00 PM bis 2:00 PM

weekly

VG 1.103, Verfügungsgebäude - PIZ 5361

In this course, we will consider kinship from various perspectives: We will read prose, poetry, and critical



450369 Introduction to Formal Semantics and Pragmatics, Lecture

Dienstag

von 12:15 PM bis 1:45 PM

weekly

ZHG006, ZHG

As humans, we have remarkable linguistic abilities: we are able to understand an unlimited number of s



450443 Vocabulary Training (Course 1), Exercise

Dienstag

von 12:15 PM bis 1:45 PM

weekly

This is an intermediate - advanced English language course (Vertiefungsmodul). The main aim of the c

Please note: For the modules B.Eng.204/206/207, you need to have completed the B.Eng.201 modul



453663 Advanced linguistics: Agree(ment), S

Dienstag

von 12:15 PM bis 1:45 PM

weekly

KWZ 0.610, KWZ

In English, grammatical information such as [number] and [person] on DPs in subject position determin



4507444 Manuscripts in Vercelli (winter course), HS

Dienstag

von 2:00 PM bis 4:00 PM

weekly

This five-day fieldtrip seminar is offered as an extra supplement (6 credits) in connection with an Aufba



453672 VL Mediävistik: History of the English Language, Lecture

Dienstag

von 2:00 PM bis 4:00 PM

weekly

ZHG105, ZHG

The historical development of the English language, from a variety of formerly continental Germanic dia

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450412 Advanced Grammar and Expression, Exercise

Dienstag

von 2:15 PM bis 3:45 PM

weekly

SEP 0.244 (Medienraum), Jacob-Grimm-Haus

Meeting the practical language standards in academic discourse and communication requires a good command of the various key skills involved. We will focus on more advanced aspects of grammar potentially problematic in these contexts. Assessment will be by means of a portfolio. Please note: Stu



453664 HS Syntax: Locality of movement, HS

Dienstag

von 2:15 PM bis 3:45 PM

weekly

AP26, ZEISS

Syntactic movement is famously unbounded: (1) a. Who₁ did you see __₁? b. Who₁ did Rosa say you



450370 Semantics and Pragmatics Lab Class (Course 1), Exercise

Dienstag

von 2:15 PM bis 3:45 PM

weekly

VG 1.105, Verfügungsgebäude - PIZ 5361

In this class we will work step by step through the analysis of major phenomena in semantics and prag



453774 Critical Data Literacy in the Humanities, S

Dienstag

von 4:00 PM bis 6:00 PM

weekly

0.113, Nikolausberger Weg 23



450338 Medieval Studies Colloquium, S

Dienstag

von 4:00 PM bis 6:00 PM

weekly

KWZ 1.601, KWZ

Das Kolloquium richtet sich vornehmlich an Examenskandidatinnen und -kandidaten und mediävistisch



450344 Tutorial (Course 1) zum AM 1: Introduction to Medieval English Literature and Culture, T

Dienstag

von 4:00 PM bis 6:00 PM

weekly

0.203, Waldweg 26, Altbau - PIZ 4484

This tutorial is designed as a companion to the 'Aufbaumodul 1: Introduction to Medieval English Litera

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455747 Oberseminar English Linguistics, OS

Dienstag

von 4:15 PM bis 5:45 PM

weekly

VG 1.108, Verfügungsgebäude - PIZ 5361

All information about the Oberseminar English Linguistics will be communicated by the LinG mailing list

Wednesday



Course not yet confirmed



450444 Vocabulary Training (Course 2), Exercise

Mittwoch

von 8:15 AM bis 9:45 AM

weekly

SEP 0.244 (Medienraum), Jacob-Grimm-Haus

This is an intermediate - advanced English language course (Vertiefungsmodul). The main aim of the course is to improve the vocabulary of students.

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453667 AM 2/HS: Old Germanic Biblical Verse, S

Mittwoch

von 10:00 AM bis 12:00 PM

weekly

VG 4.102, Verfügungsgebäude - PIZ 5361

Three centuries after Germanic dialects displaced the languages of post-Roman Britain from what would become England, Old English was the dominant language of the British Isles.



450455 Advanced Presentation/Recitation, Exercise

Mittwoch

von 10:15 AM bis 11:45 AM

weekly

SEP 0.244 (Medienraum), Jacob-Grimm-Haus

"Wait, there's one I remember from when I was at school. How did it go...?" Who does not know the um...

The course aims at students who wish to improve their ability to speak in front of audiences and have...

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453652 Advanced linguistics: Listening in the L1 and L2, S

Mittwoch

von 10:15 AM bis 11:45 AM

weekly

0.169, Oeconomicum

Understanding in languages we've grown up with comes easy (first language(s); L1), but it's a challenge

How do we extract words from speech? •

Why does accented speech pose a challenge to the word recognition system? •

How flexible is L2 speech perception? Literature: Cutler, A. (2012). Native listening: Language exper



450371 Semantics and Pragmatics Lab Class (Course 2), Exercise

Mittwoch

von 10:15 AM bis 11:45 AM

weekly

0.168, Oeconomicum

In this class we will work step by step through the analysis of major phenomena in semantics and prag



453189 From the Battle of Agincourt to Afghanistan: Wars in British Literature, Lecture

Mittwoch

von 12:00 PM bis 2:00 PM

weekly

ZHG101, ZHG

This lecture series explores the changing representation of war in British literature from the Battle of Ag



453671 HS: Varieties of English, HS

Mittwoch

von 12:00 PM bis 2:00 PM

weekly

VG 1.104, Verfügungsgebäude - PIZ 5361

Studying the historical varieties of English is an intriguing but also very complicated matter. Undeniably



453507 Introducing Critical Theory II, Lecture

Mittwoch

von 12:00 PM bis 2:00 PM

weekly

VG 1.103, Verfügungsgebäude - PIZ 5361

The two-semester lecture series aims at introducing students to major approaches, traditions, and key



453508 Seduction in American Literature and Culture, HS

Mittwoch

von 12:00 PM bis 2:00 PM

weekly

SEP 0.244 (Medienraum), Jacob-Grimm-Haus

This class sets out to investigate the significance of the theme and practice of seduction in American lit

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459798 Linguistic Thinking and Argumentation, Ko

Mittwoch

von 12:15 PM bis 1:45 PM

weekly

VG 2.105, Verfügungsgebäude - PIZ 5361

Argumentation plays an immensely important role in linguistics as in any other scientific discipline. The



4512075 Hands On Digital Humanities: Sherlock Holmes auf der Spur, Exercise

Mittwoch

von 2:00 PM bis 4:00 PM

weekly

0.113, Nikolausberger Weg 23

Book Studies minor only



451141 AM 1: Introduction to Medieval English Literature and Culture, C, PS

Mittwoch

von 2:00 PM bis 4:00 PM

weekly

VG 2.101, Verfügungsgebäude - PIZ 5361

This fundamental course intends to develop and improve your critical competence as well as translation



453653 Advanced linguistics: First Language Acquisition, S

Mittwoch

von 2:15 PM bis 3:45 PM

weekly

Theo 0.134, Theologicum - PIZ 5276

Learning a language is easy - any child can do it! Notwithstanding its apparent ease, acquiring a language is a complex process. Cambridge University Press.

Saxton, M. (2017). Child language: Acquisition and development (2nd ed.). Sage.



450372 Semantics and Pragmatics Lab Class (Course 3), Exercise

Mittwoch

von 2:15 PM bis 3:45 PM

weekly

VG 2.103, Verfügungsgebäude - PIZ 5361

In this class we will work step by step through the analysis of major phenomena in semantics and pragmatics



450993 MA Colloquium, Ko

Mittwoch

von 4:00 PM bis 6:00 PM

weekly

VG 1.105, Verfügungsgebäude - PIZ 5361

This course is designed for master's students in the final stages of writing their theses in the fields of Anglophone Literature and Culture. Completion Module/ Masterabschlussmodul M.EP.06a-Anglophone Literature and Culture" and their supervisor's name.

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450344 Tutorial (Course 1) zum AM 1: Introduction to Medieval English Literature and Culture, T
Mittwoch
von 4:00 PM bis 6:00 PM
weekly
VG 1.108, Verfügungsgebäude - PIZ 5361
This tutorial is designed as a companion to the 'Aufbaumodul 1: Introduction to Medieval English Litera



4500763 Linguistics in Göttingen / Colloquium series, Ko
Mittwoch
von 4:15 PM bis 5:45 PM
weekly
VG 2.101, Verfügungsgebäude - PIZ 5361
More information can be found on the LinG - Linguistics in Göttingen website. All information about the

Thursday



4504149 Literary and Cultural Theories in Use, HS
Donnerstag
von 8:00 AM bis 10:00 AM
weekly
SEP 0.244 (Medienraum), Jacob-Grimm-Haus
This course is particularly designed for international students in their first or second semester. It introdu



450415 American Culture and History: The American Rhetorical Tradition (for MA students), Exe
Donnerstag
von 8:15 AM bis 9:45 AM
weekly
VG 3.108, Verfügungsgebäude - PIZ 5361
*We will attempt to find themes, motifs, and resonances within the tradition of public American rhetoric fr
From John Winthrop and Jonathan Edwards to Martin Luther King, Jr., and Barack Obama, there have
What are they? Special attention will be given to Abraham Lincoln and his particular importance within
We will emphasize the sermons and speeches themselves rather than secondary sources, so that we*



4512013 Introduction to English Linguistics - FOR MASTER STUDENTS, EPS
Donnerstag
von 8:15 AM bis 9:45 AM
weekly
VG 3.104, Verfügungsgebäude - PIZ 5361
This introductory course intends to give an overview of the different fields of diachronic and synchronic



453190 Survey of English Literature: The Twentieth Century (1900–1960), Lecture
Donnerstag
von 10:00 AM bis 12:00 PM
weekly
ZHG009, ZHG
On or about December 1910, human character changed", Virginia Woolf famously claimed in her essay

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453630 Whispers from the Past: Nineteenth-Century Literature and Its Readership, S

Donnerstag

von 10:00 AM bis 12:00 PM

weekly

VG 3.107, Verfügungsgebäude - PIZ 5361

In this course, we will study how books, their makers - authors and publishers - and readers changed over time.



453512 A Cultural History of American Literature III: 1900-1945 , Lecture

Donnerstag

von 12:00 PM bis 2:00 PM

weekly

ZHG101, ZHG

This third installment of the four-part lecture series, A Cultural History of American Literature, is devoted to the period 1900-1945.



453665 HS Semantics: Dealing with weak meanings, HS

Donnerstag

von 12:15 PM bis 1:45 PM

weekly

VG 3.102, Verfügungsgebäude - PIZ 5361

Much work in linguistic semantics has been based on the, often implicit, assumption that something real is being referred to.



450423 Creative Writing, Exercise

Donnerstag

von 12:15 PM bis 1:45 PM

weekly

1.164, Oeconomicum

This is an intermediate (Vertiefung) / advanced course for students who enjoy creative writing in English.



452806 HS: Introduction to Digital Palaeography (Preparation Vercelli), HS

Donnerstag

von 2:00 PM bis 4:00 PM

weekly

This is an introduction to Western Palaeography taught by the Institute for Digital Humanities. Participation is required for the MA in Digital Humanities.



451262 Academic Writing for MA students (Course 4), Exercise

Donnerstag

von 2:15 PM bis 3:45 PM

weekly

1.164, Oeconomicum

This course will familiarize you with academic conventions (e.g. style and referencing) and composition.



455249 Vocabulary Training (Course 3), Exercise

Donnerstag

von 2:15 PM bis 3:45 PM

weekly

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453769 Semantics Reading Group OS, OS

Donnerstag

von 2:15 PM bis 3:45 PM

weekly

VG 1.104, Verfügungsgebäude - PIZ 5361

The goal of this course is to provide a venue for all matters related to ongoing work in semantics and pragmatics. Please register via Stud.IP for more information.



453575 Tutorial Critical Theory, TU

Donnerstag

von 4:00 PM bis 6:00 PM

weekly

VG 4.106, Verfügungsgebäude - PIZ 5361

This - voluntary but highly recommended - tutorial is taught in conjunction with the class 'Introducing Critical Theory'.



453514 BA & MA Kolloquium, S

Donnerstag

von 4:00 PM bis 6:00 PM

weekly

VG 3.106, Verfügungsgebäude - PIZ 5361

The colloquium invites advanced students who are preparing or already working on their B.A. or M.A. thesis.



450346 Tutorial (Course 2) zum AM 1: Introduction to Medieval English Literature and Culture, T

Donnerstag

von 4:00 PM bis 6:00 PM

weekly

VG 1.106, Verfügungsgebäude - PIZ 5361

This tutorial is designed as a companion to the 'Aufbaumodul 1: Introduction to Medieval English Literature and Culture'.



451262 Academic Writing for MA students (Course 4), Exercise

Donnerstag

von 4:15 PM bis 5:45 PM

weekly

VG 2.107, Verfügungsgebäude - PIZ 5361

This course will familiarize you with academic conventions (e.g. style and referencing) and composition.



450373 Semantics and Pragmatics Lab Class (Course 4), Exercise

Donnerstag

von 4:15 PM bis 5:45 PM

weekly

VG 4.107, Verfügungsgebäude - PIZ 5361

In this class we will work step by step through the analysis of major phenomena in semantics and pragmatics.

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Friday



4506865 Tutorial--Literary and Cultural Theories in Use, TU

Freitag

von 10:00 AM bis 12:00 PM

weekly

SEP 0.244 (Medienraum), Jacob-Grimm-Haus

This is the mandatory tutorial for Literary and Cultural Theories in Use. The tutorial will allow students to

Please register for the course "Literary and Cultural Theories in Use" (Thursday, 8-10, Katharina Nam



453515 Thomas Paine: What's "Common" about Common Sense?, HS

Freitag

von 10:00 AM bis 12:00 PM

weekly

VG 1.108, Verfügungsgebäude - PIZ 5361

This course will focus on the influential and controversial work of Thomas Paine. The struggles between



453167 The Theatre of Samuel Beckett, HS

Freitag

von 2:00 PM bis 4:00 PM

weekly

VG 2.103, Verfügungsgebäude - PIZ 5361

Introduction to the Plays of Samuel Beckett (MA Seminar) This seminar offers an intensive exploration