

Sample Course Description

Faculty: Foreign Languages

Study program: Master's Degree in Italian Language Teaching

Course Title: Comparative Literature

Course Credits: 5

Language of Instruction: Italian

Course Description: The course provides a theoretical part and a practical part.

The theoretical part has a focus on providing the basic concepts of comparative literature, such as methods, schools of comparative literature, tools of comparative analysis.

The practical part aims to examine, critically, in a comparative perspective, works and authors from world literature, to research the codes of literary communication between different cultures.

The selection of literary works varies based on the opinions of the students.

Course Goals: The formative objectives of this course aim to equip with the basic concepts of comparative methodologies and with a general vision of topics related to the theory of literature and comparative literature. Through the application of comparative methods, the program is realized according to basic theoretical and then practical concepts. The practical part of the program focuses on texts from different literary traditions, both diachronically and synchronically.

Course Requirements: Attendance and engagement during the course, participation in discussions and

Grading: 1,5 ects of the final grade from the course assignment, 3,5 ects the final oral exam.

Course Schedule: A total of 45 hours of teoretichal and practical work in auditorium and 80 hours of individual student work.