

SCHOOL OF PHILOSOPHY DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH LANGUAGE & LITERATURE Postgraduate Programme "English Studies: Literature and Culture"

CALL FOR APPLICATIONS MA PROGRAMME 2019-2021

The Department of English Language & Literature welcomes applications for the MA Programme "English Studies: Literature and Culture," specializing in "The Greek Element in Anglophone Literature." Commencing in October 2019, the programme lasts three semesters (18 months) and attendance is mandatory.

"The Greek Element in Anglophone Literature" MA programme consists of six taught courses evenly spread over two semesters and one final dissertation that is written in the third semester. Its courses have a comparative focus and seek to trace the diachronic and ever-fertile links between classical Greek studies, continental philosophy, contemporary theory, and Anglophone literature from the 16th century to the present. The aim of the programme is to explore the intertextual and intercultural connections that arise from the continuously growing interpretation, translation, and rewriting of ancient Greek texts and myths in the western and non-western literary traditions, in early but also late modernity. Further information may be found here: http://en.enl.uoa.gr/postgraduatestudies/m-a-programmes/english-studies-literature-and-culture.html

MA programme specialization: "The Greek Element in Anglophone Literature" Student intake: 15 (maximum)

The language of instruction and assessment (lessons, assignments, student presentations, written and oral examinations, as well as the final dissertation) is English.

Who is eligible to apply:

- Graduates of English language & literature or related university departments, either from Greece or from non-Greek universities officially recognized by the Hellenic NARIC.
- Students expecting to complete their undergraduate studies during the September 2019 exam period, provided they submit the completion certificate from the secretariat before the commencement of the programme in early October.

Entrance Examinations

To be admitted to the programme, applicants need to first pass a written examination and then, if they are successful, an oral examination. It should be noted that both exams are in English.

Application documents

Applicants need to submit the following documents:

- 1. Application on the special form provided
- 2. Full CV on the special form provided
- 3. Certified Copy of Undergraduate degree or official certificate of completion
- 4. Certified Copies of any other degrees earned in relevant subjects
- 5. Official transcript of undergraduate courses passed and grades obtained

- 6. Official recognition from the Hellenic NARIC (http://www.doatap.gr/en/index.php) of any foreign degrees held (or confirmation that the required documents have been submitted and are being processed)
- 7. Two academic reference letters in separate sealed and stamped envelopes on the special form provided
- 8. Certification of English language proficiency (at level C2 "excellent knowledge") for candidates who are not graduates of English language and literature departments
- 9. Certification of Greek language proficiency (at level B1/B2 "good knowledge") for non-Greek candidates (desirable but not essential)
- 10. Where available, certification of proficiency in other languages or copies thereof
- 11. Where available, proof of relevant academic activity (e.g. publications in collected volumes or academic journals, conference papers, etc.)
- 12. Two research papers submitted and graded in the context of a related undergraduate or postgraduate programme of studies

Applications together with all supporting documentation can be submitted from **Monday 2 September to Tuesday 10 September 2019**, **10:30-13:30**, in one of two ways:

- In person at The Department of English Language & Literature Secretariat (411), School of Philosophy, Zografou 157 84, Athens, Greece
- by courier **or** via authorized representative at: The Department of English Language & Literature Secretariat (411), School of Philosophy, Zografou 157 84, Athens, Greece.

Important Dates

Date	Action
12/9/2019	Announcement on the departmental website of the names of candidates who have submitted valid applications
19/9/2019	Written examination (at a time and place to be announced on the departmental website)
23/9/2019	Announcement of candidates successful in the written examination
25/9/2019	Oral examination of candidates successful in the written exam (at a time and place to be announced on the departmental website)
27/9/2019	Announcement on the departmental website of candidates who have been admitted to the programme

Information:

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