Curriculum
MA Intercultural Anglophone Studies
► for students enrolled from Summer Semester 2017

Module areas Modules		ECTS	SWS	Credit Work	Notes on grading rubrics
A	**Intercultural Anglophone Studies in Literature and Language – Foundations**	**28 ECTS**	**10**		
A 1	Seminar (HS) Cultural and Literary Theory/ Theoretical Approaches to Language, Variation and Culture	6	2	Academic essay (ca. 4,000 words)	Pass / Fail
A 2	Seminar (HS) Core Issues	8	2	Term paper (ca. 8,500 words)	Graded (Part of final grade)
A 3	Style and Register (Ü)	4	2	Essay	Graded
A 4	Elective Seminar I (PS or HS)	4	2	Written assignment	Pass / Fail
A 5	Seminar (HS)/Lecture/ Workshop	6	2	Academic essay (ca. 4,000 words)	Pass / Fail
B	**Second Foreign Language**	**8 ECTS**	**8**		
1.	Option B 1 (2 x Grund-kurs)	8	8	Grundkurse: Final exam	Graded
2.	Option B 2 (1 x Grund-kurs, 2 x Aufbau-kurs/Spezialisierungskurs)	8	8	Grundkurs/Aufbaukurse/ Spezialisie-rungskurse: Final exam	Graded
3.	Option B 3 (4 x Aufbau-kurs/Spezialisierungskurs)	8	8	Aufbaukurse/Spezialisierungskurse: Final exam	Graded

C	**Intercultural Anglophone Studies in Literature and Language – Intermediate Level**	**28 ECTS**	**6**		
C 1	Intensive Seminar I (HS)	6	2	Term paper (ca. 4,500 - 6,000 words/ students without BA-thesis) or Academic essay (ca.4,000 words/ students with BA-thesis)	Graded

C 2	Intensive Seminar II (HS)	6	2	Academic essay (ca. 4,000 words)	Pass / Fail
C 3	Elective Seminar II (PS or HS)	4	2	Written assignment	Pass / Fail
C 4	Independent Studies I	12		Written exam (4 h)	Graded (Part of final grade)
D	**Intercultural Anglophone Studies in Literature and Language – Advanced Level**	**24 ECTS**	**4**		
D 1	Advanced Seminar I (HS)	6	2	Academic Essay (ca. 4,000 words)	Pass / Fail
D 2	Advanced Seminar II (OS)	6	2	Academic Essay (ca. 4,000 words)	Pass / Fail
D 3	Independent Studies II	12		Oral exam (1 h)	Graded (Part of final grade)
E	**Intercultural Anglophone Studies in Literature and Language – MA Thesis Module**	**32 ECTS**	**2**		
E 1	Master Seminar (OS)	6	2	Thesis proposal (ca. 4,000 words)	Pass / Fail
E 2	MA Thesis	26		Master's thesis (ca. 23,000 - 30,000 words)	Graded (Part of final grade)

Abbreviations:
OS = Oberseminar (Advanced Seminar); AS = Advanced Seminar; PS = Proseminar (Undergraduate Seminar); Ü = Übung (Exercise); Lecture = Vorlesung

In both special areas, Module A 5 can be replaced by a module from another course of study at the University of Bayreuth, preferably another master's program.
In the special area "linguistics," modules A 4 and C 3 can be substituted with linguistic modules from other master's programs at the University of Bayreuth.
Upon request, students can replace some (or all) of the modules in area B with graded credit work in (and of) the other modules.