

# **European Studies: Central and Eastern European, Russian and Euroasian Studies Track**

## **(MAES, Specialisation in Central and Eastern European, Russian and Euroasian Studies Track)**

### **Compulsory Modules (75 ECTS)**

Courses:

- European Civilization, 10 ECTS
- Political and Social History of CEE, 10 ECTS
- Foreign and International Relations in CEE, 10 ECTS

Language (two semesters), 12 ECTS

Seminars:

- Academic Skills Workshop, 4 ECTS
- Methodology (Quantitative Methods **or** Qualitative Methods), 5 ECTS
- MA seminar & thesis (including workshop on the Protection of Intellectual Property Rights), 24 ECTS

*Students need to take all of the above modules in the course of their studies.*

*Please note that European Civilization, the Academic Skills Seminar and Methodology need to be taken in Year I. The MA Thesis Seminar begins in Year I, Semester II and continues in Semesters III and IV.*

### **European Studies courses (min. 20 ECTS)**

- EU Institutions and Decision-Making Process (part 1 and part 2), 10 ECTS
- EU Foreign and Security Policy (part 1 and part 2), 10 ECTS
- EU Administration, Justice and Home Affairs (part 1 and part 2), 10 ECTS
- Europeanization and Transformation of Collective Identities, 10 ECTS
- Citizenship, Migration and Multiculturalism in Europe, 10 ECTS
- Meaning and Value of Democracy from a Philosophical Perspective, 5 ECTS
- Democracy, Identity and Civil Society in CEE, 5 ECTS

*Students need to take a combination of modules from this list amounting to 20 ECTS in total. Please note that some of the modules are offered only every second year.*

### **Optional courses (min. 25 ECTS)**

- Challenges to the European Identity: The Rebirth of Nationalisms in Europe, 5 ECTS
- Central Asia and the Caucasus between Russia, Islam and the Chinese Dragon, 5 ECTS
- Russian Thought on Europe, 5 ECTS
- EU Integration and Politics in the Balkans, 5 ECTS
- Gender, Democracy and Citizenship in CEE, 5 ECTS
- Economy of Central Europe, 5 ECTS
- Totalitarian Systems: Ideology and Terror, 5 ECTS
- Anthropology of Memory and Heritage in Europe, 5 ECTS
- Internship, 5 ECTS

Or other courses approved by the academic coordinator.

*Students choose from the existing offer of courses in English.*

**Total ECTS for the entire programme (two years, 4 semesters): 120 ECTS**