

Degree Course Scheme

M.A.- Arbeit (mit Kolloquium)				
30 LP				
2. Studienjahr (60 LP)	WPB: Anglophone Literatures in Contemporary Transcultural Contexts 6 LP	WPB: English in Contemporary Transcultural Contexts 6 LP	WPB: Anglophone Cultures in Contemporary Transcultural Contexts 6 LP	Praxismodul: Forschungskolloquium 12 LP
	WPB: Anglophone Literatures in Historical Transcultural Contexts 6 LP	WPB: English in Historical Transcultural Contexts 6 LP	WPB: Anglophone Cultures in Historical Transcultural Contexts 6 LP	WB: Komplementmodul lt. Katalog 12 LP
	Theories and Methods of British and American Transcultural Studies			WB: Komplementmodul lt. Katalog 12LP
	12 LP			
1. Studienjahr (60 LP)	Language Skills 6 LP			
WB: Wahlbereich / WPB: Wahlpflichtbereich / LP: Leistungspunkte lt. ECTS- System (1LP = ca. 30 Zeitstunden)				

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British and American Transcultural Studies

(Master of Arts)

Degree

Master of Arts (M.A.) Postgraduate Course

Standard Period of Study

Four Semesters / Two Years

Start of Course

Winter Term (October, recommended) and
Summer Term (April)

Areas of Study

Linguistics / Literary Studies / Cultural Studies

Access Requirements

- B.A. in English and/or American Studies, or related field in the Humanities. Grade: good (or better)
- 60+ credit points (or equivalent) in English and/or American Studies (or related field in the Humanities)
- Command of English (very good; level C1)
- Knowledge of German (level C1) for foreign course participants

Further Academic Qualifications

Ph. D.

Description

This two-year MA program provides students with the opportunity to take an in-depth look at a range of topics associated with British and American Transcultural Studies – including cultural contact, colonization and migration.

Participants will learn how such phenomena can be investigated and analysed using theoretical and methodological approaches taken from literary studies, linguistics, and cultural studies.

Study Course

Students take courses focusing on the historical and contemporary effects of expansion, colonialization and migration on the English language, English-speaking cultures and literature in English. To improve their understanding of interdisciplinary approaches, participants also take two subject-related courses outside the English department.

In addition to course work, students are given the chance to work independently, to broaden and deepen their knowledge of transcultural processes, and to develop their research methods and professional academic skills in the Master's Thesis and Master's Colloquium.

Applicability

The program aims not only at giving students the specialist skills and knowledge needed to work effectively in English and American Studies but also at helping them attain the English language abilities and professional competence essential to becoming researchers in these and related fields. It thus recognizes and responds to the growing importance and continued relevance of English-speaking cultures in a globalized world.

In addition to offering indispensable skills for further academic qualifications (e.g., doctoral degree), the program provides a basis for a wide range of occupations in education, public relations, the media, culture, and related fields.

