

Masters - History: Power, Society and Territory - 120 credits / 4 semesters

Course Objectives

The course proposes a Master's pathway that offers an initiation and training in disciplinary research in History. Students, through the game of options and choice of Teaching Units (UE), specialise in a historical period, whether ancient history or medieval, or modern or contemporary history. Training provides both knowledge and skills in Human Sciences and in the chosen specialty.

Skills and Knowledge Acquired

The course is designed to ensure progressivity in the acquisition of methods, techniques and knowledge, a disciplinary specialisation and, by the set of options available, the acquisition of skills, know-how useful exercise trades in the public service (education, public service, territorial, national) and cultural professions in general (heritage enhancement, archaeology).

The skills assessed are: ability to collect information from sources of history, check the quality of this information, know how to build a bibliography, know how to formulate a problem, know how to present a synthesis, know how to simplify jargon when presenting to different audiences, know how to work as part of a team, and autonomously, know how to carry out scientific research.

Pre-Requisites and Admission Conditions

You must hold a minimum 3-year higher education qualification to be considered (Bac+3). A solid background in history at bachelor level is required as well as a good mastery of written expression. It is requested that one defines the scope of the research topic (presented in 10 lines) when applying.

Further Studies

Obtaining a 2 years Master's degree enables students to pursue a doctorate in History.

Career Options

The specialty best accompanies students towards entry into professional life. This is what aims in preparation for careers in history research or the realisation of internships. The training also allows students to apply for different jobs and competitions in the field of archaeological heritage enhancement, and historical and cultural, in the professions of the territorial civil service and in the field of documentation and information.

Priorities of the Teaching Team

Bring the research students to a high level of scientific production to meet the requirements of the selectivity of recruitment and national and international competition.

Study Abroad

Students will have the opportunity to participate in a work placement or study abroad during their master's degree.

Course Structure

Studies typically include lectures, tutorials and seminars. An internship is also required during the course, as well as the writing of a thesis.

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Further Information

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Target Audience

Post-graduate students

Continuous and ongoing professional training

Timetable

Average course workload:

Master 1: 6-10hrs per week

Master 2: 6-10hrs per week