

Anhang 2

MA MAJOR in ENGLISH (90 ECTS)

TIMELINE	FOUNDATIONS	ECTS	SPECIALISATIONS	ECTS	EXTENSIONS	ECTS
Induction Phase	Foundation Lecture Literary Theory Foundation Lecture Language and Society	4 4			Optional (<i>Wahlleistung</i>) ungraded courses taken within the department: Workshops, Seminars, Lectures, Independent, Studies, Tutorials (no more than one).	14
Focussing Phase			Lecture Seminar I Seminar II Seminar III Seminar IV 3 Guest Lecture Attendances	3 7 7 7 7 1		
Completion Phase			Research Module - MA Colloquium (3 semesters) MA Thesis (30,000-40,000 words)	6 30		
TOTAL ECTS/ GRADED ECTS		8/8		68/58		14/14
						90/66

NOTES:

Normal font: ungraded courses

Bold: graded courses

Italics: Total ECTS

- There is a total of 90 ECTS required in the MA Major curriculum; of these, 66 ECTS must be graded. The two Foundation Lectures must be passed.
- MA specialisation: the MA Colloquium, at least 3 graded seminars and the Master Thesis have to be taken within the chosen specialisation in the Major.
- Major/Minor combination: Students doing Major and Minor must technically complete three foundation lectures, but there are only two. The third must be replaced with a free-standing lecture in the student's Major specialisation. Students also need to obtain an additional 1 ECTS from Extensions.
- MA Major students have to do 3 semesters of the MA Colloquium. They can choose in which semesters of their studies they attend the MA Colloquium, but one of those semesters must be the one in which they have registered for their MA Thesis.
- **Combination rules:** Majors have to acquire 14-18 ECTS in the other specialisation.
- In the course of their studies, Majors get 7 grades (2 Foundation Lectures, 4 Seminars, MA Thesis).
- Students from outside Bern with no equivalent are required to take the lecture "Earlier Englishes" as the ungraded Lecture.
- A maximum of one tutorial can be counted towards your degree.