# AUC Humanities

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<td>Adaptation Studies 6EC</td>
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<td>Although the originality of a work of literature or art has often been privileged as the main criterion for evaluation, writers, playwrights, filmmakers and artists have always looked to previous works for inspiration. <a href="https://datanose.nl/#course%5B91054%5D">See more</a></td>
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<td>Comparative Philosophy 6EC</td>
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<td>brings the mainstream Western philosophical tradition into dialogue with schools and thinkers of different traditions, such as Asian, Indian, African, and Arabic schools of thought. The course will circle around 6 or 7... <a href="https://datanose.nl/#course%5B95441%5D">See more</a></td>
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<td>Creative Writing 6EC</td>
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<td>This course is a diverse exploration of creative writing as a discipline and an art form. Students will immerse themselves in both the theory and practice of writing creatively. <a href="https://datanose.nl/#course%5B95633%5D">See more</a></td>
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<td>Film Analysis 6EC</td>
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<td>This course uses important case studies from film history from between approximately 1950-2000 to engage students with fundamental debates surrounding the pre-/co-requisite Introduction to Film Studies’ final three major... <a href="https://datanose.nl/#course%5B95210%5D">See more</a></td>
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<td>Film and the Body 6EC</td>
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<td>The body is the focal point of cinema, whether as the fetishized object of the gaze, or the implied but absent observer beyond the camera. In this course, we will explore the discursive and physical space where film and... <a href="https://datanose.nl/#course%5B91145%5D">See more</a></td>
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<td>Global Modern and Contemporary Art 6EC</td>
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<td>This 200-level course, Global Modern and Contemporary Art, expands geographically and temporally on the 100-level survey of art history, Periods and Genres: Modern. During the first half of the semester, we will address... <a href="https://datanose.nl/#course%5B91130%5D">See more</a></td>
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<td>Introduction to Film Studies 6EC</td>
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<td>This course introduces students to Film Studies. It focuses on providing them with a thorough, basic knowledge of film history and film analysis, and its associated terminology and methodology. The course surveys roughly... <a href="https://datanose.nl/#course%5B91130%5D">See more</a></td>
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Introduction to Literature 6EC

This course provides an introduction to the study of poetry and narrative as well as detailed study of the relationship between these texts and their cultural and historical contexts. The course emphasizes the development...

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Introduction to Media Studies 6 EC

This course was previously offered under the name 900153HUM Media & Communication. Students are NOT allowed to take the course with the new name if they received credits for the course with the old name.

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Modernism and Postmodernism 6EC

In this course, we will read some of the major texts that define literary modernism by authors such as Proust, Joyce, Woolf and Bely, as well as manifestations of modernism within the print culture of the period. We will...

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New Media Analysis 6EC

The course will begin by re-defining literacy, exploring the social and political ramifications of the choices made in any given definition. This introductory section will conclude by situating ourselves in the contemporary media landscape and identifying the urgency of the themes that will follow.

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Perspectives on Games 6EC

Over the course of a few decades, video games have grown from technical novelties to pieces of mainstream entertainment with financial stakes rivaling blockbuster films. Their audience, once comprised of specific age and...

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Performing Arts – Music 6EC

During this Performing Arts – Music course students will get acquainted with basic music theory and history as well as explore their own musicality.

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Philosophical Problems 6EC

Course Content The course offers an exploration of central problems and arguments around the theme of ‘foundations’ in Western Philosophy, including: • Ontology and metaphysics (What kinds of things are there in the world?)...

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Topics in Global History 6EC

Students will learn to critically assess claims made in today’s public debates, examine them in a historical perspective, understand key positions taken by historians and social scientists, learn to apply key analytical methods, develop an interdisciplinary perspective, and stake out well-argued positions of their own in writing and speaking. See more

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AUC Academic Core

Big Questions in Time 6EC

Time is a central concept in our thinking, but has profoundly different meanings in different disciplines. In this course we will explore how these perspectives are different, and focus on developing interdisciplinary... See more

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Big Questions on the Environment 6EC

It is fair to say that the environment in general and climate change in particular are the quintessential interdisciplinary issues of our time. They can be studied within the scope of sciences (e.g., earth system science,... See more

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Big Questions in the Anthropocene 6EC

The impact of humans on Earth measured and experienced in what is commonly referred to as the Anthropocene, brings us the questions: how and to what extent has human impact surpassed that of natural forces?’ How do we... See more

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Logic, Information, Argumentation 6EC

This course provides an introduction to basic concepts and tools from logic and argumentation that lie at the heart of rigorous scientific reasoning and practice. See more

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AUC Sciences

Advanced Geosciences 6EC

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Timetable: https://datanose.nl/#course[91110]

Astroparticle Physics 6EC

Astroparticle physics is a multidisciplinary field, which connects the study of the smallest scales (elementary particles) with the largest scales (the Universe). Important topics are the origin of cosmic rays,... See more

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Atmospheric Sciences 6EC

The focus of this interdisciplinary course is on the physics and chemistry of the Earth’s atmosphere. We will work towards understanding sources of atmospheric trace gases and aerosol particles (also known as particulate... See more

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Electrodynamics 6EC

We live in an electromagnetic world: virtually every force (with the exception of gravity) and all the radiation we experience in everyday life is electromagnetic in nature. Maxwell’s equations in their modern form... See more

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Epigenetic Regulations 6EC

Epi-genetics concerns, in its broadest sense, the information that is added to the primary base sequence of DNA. It studies the biochemical processes, biological consequences, and inheritance of this additional information... See more

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Financial Mathematics 6EC

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Hydrology and Watershed Management 6EC

The general aim of this course is to provide the student with a base level of knowledge of hydrologic concepts, processes, methods to structure and analyze water management issues and options, the student should be able to... See more

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International Public Health 6EC

International Public Health is a field that comprises health issues affecting low- and middle-income countries and deals with health challenges transcending national boundaries. Due to the globalizing world, these... See more

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Maker Lab 6EC

AUC's open-inquiry Maker Lab course requires students to define their own research goals and experimental methods. The freedom and flexibility to do so is enabled by ubiquitous solid-state sensors controlled by... See more

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<td>Medicinal Chemistry is an highly interdisciplinary discipline at the interface of chemistry and biology. In this course a general introduction will be given to the process of drug discovery, drug design and synthesis, drug...</td>
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<td>Nutrition and Health 6EC</td>
<td>Almost every person is an ‘expert’ on nutrition and has ideas on the relationship between nutrition and health, either scientifically or not-scientifically proven. A well-known saying is therefore: “More is known about...</td>
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<td>Physical Chemistry 6EC</td>
<td>The course covers the basic principles of quantum mechanics, classical and statistical thermodynamics, and kinetics for useby chemists. You will learn that these three pillars of physics govern how the structure on a...</td>
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<td>Theme Course LEU/HW: Wicked Challenges in Health 6EC</td>
<td>In this 300-level Theme Course students will take an interdisciplinary approach to biomedicine and health. There will be an equal emphasis on interdisciplinary content and interdisciplinary skill development. With regard to...</td>
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<td>Theme Course: Human Evolution 6EC</td>
<td>The evolution of early humans closely relates to the changes in landscape and ecosystems. Human evolution is directly tied to climate change and astronomical climate forcing, as well as to plate tectonic changes in the...</td>
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<td>Theme Health and Well-being: Lifestyle and Disease 6EC</td>
<td>Chronic diseases such as cancer, cardiovascular diseases, musculoskeletal disorders, diabetes mellitus and obesity contribute largely to the global burden of disease. Important risk factors of these diseases are within the...</td>
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<td><strong>Constitutional and Administrative Law 6EC</strong></td>
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<td><strong>Economic Thought in a Historical Perspective 6EC</strong></td>
<td>This course presents an introduction to economic thought seen from a historical perspective. The rationale for taking this perspective is that economic theories did not develop in a vacuum. Indeed, economics was once named...</td>
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<td>This course explores the origins, development and contemporary practices of and debates on European integration.</td>
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<td><strong>Global Environmental Governance 6EC</strong></td>
<td>This course critically examines the past, present and future of global environmental governance (GEG) and international environmental law. Environmental degradation, in its diverse shapes, forms and severities, is one of...</td>
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<td><strong>Inequality and Poverty 6EC</strong></td>
<td>Chile, Spain, Lebanon, Hong Kong – the year of 2019 has seen a dramatic increase in large-scale protests around the world. The multiplicity of these mobilizations has stimulated the question: is there a common thread among...</td>
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<td><strong>International Economic Law 6EC</strong></td>
<td>This course provides an introduction to the fundamentals of the law of international economic relations. It is relatively easy to motivate the study of international trade, finance, and law. The front pages of newspapers,...</td>
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### International law 6EC
This course provides an introduction to public international law. Students are introduced to the basic structures of international law; to some of its central topics; and by means of several ‘close ups’ they are asked to...

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### International Trade, Growth and Development 6EC
This course introduces students to the important contemporary debate on how globalization affects economic growth, development and inequality. Students will obtain a detailed knowledge of the main concepts and theories on...

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### Medical Anthropology 6EC
The discipline of medical anthropology investigates how people’s experiences and conceptions of illness and health are shaped, managed, and articulated within specific cultural and social conditions. It emphasises a...

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### Moot Court Lab 6EC
This course lets student take an intensive approach to preparing for developing and delivering an international legal argument before the International Court of Justice...

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### Nations, Nationalism and Modernity 6EC
This course is an introduction to the multidisciplinary field of Nationalism Studies. We will survey some of the most influential definitions and theories of nationhood and nationalism: primordialism, modernism and...

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### Perception and Attention 6EC
This course introduces you to the problems of perception and attention. Why is perception a problem? Seemingly without effort, our brain constructs a rich world of visual, auditory, and other sensory impressions for us. But...

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### Sustainable City 6EC
Cities are engines of national and global growth. Urban areas generate around 80% of global Gross Domestic Product (GDP). They are also associated with around 70% of global energy consumption and energy-related greenhouse...

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The Middle East Today 6EC

In this course students acquire basic knowledge of society and politics in the Middle East region and develop analytical perspectives through which they can interpret and understand current affairs as well as long-term...See more

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Urban Anthropology Lab 6EC

The majority of today's world population live permanently, or part of their lives, in cities. Cities continue to grow in number and in size: urbanization has reached unprecedented levels. Many scholars view cities. .. See more

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