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COURSE PROGRAM

English and American Studies BA

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At our University, student administration and registration are carried out at the Directorate of Education and Quality Assurance: building A/1, mezzanine-floor, Room 17. Accordingly, the Student Services Department of the Directorate of Education and Quality Assurance issues any certificates related to the student's legal status and studies. Website: <https://www.uni-miskolc.hu/hk/english/index.html>

Opening hours for administration

Monday: 9.00 - 11.00

Tuesday: 13.00 - 15.00

Wednesday: 9.00 - 11.00

Thursday: 13.00 - 15.00

Friday: 9.00 - 11.00

Institutes of the Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences, UM

- Institute of Applied Social Sciences
- Institute of Anthropological and Philosophical Sciences
- Institute of Hungarian Language and Literature
- Institute of Modern Philology
- Teacher Education Institute
- History Institute

Bachelor and Master Programs at the Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences, UM

<u>Bachelor Programs</u>	<u>Master Programs</u>
➤ English and American Studies (in English)	➤ Philosophy (in Hungarian)
➤ Germanic Studies (in German)	➤ Translator and Interpreter (in Hungarian, English and German)
➤ Special Needs Education (in Hungarian)	➤ Central European Studies (in English)
➤ Cultural Anthropology (in Hungarian)	➤ Cultural Anthropology (in English)
➤ Hungarian Studies (in Hungarian)	➤ Cultural Mediation (in Hungarian)
➤ International Relations (in Hungarian)	➤ Hungarian Language and Literature Studies (in Hungarian)
➤ Political Science (in Hungarian)	➤ Political Science (in Hungarian)
➤ Archaeology (in Hungarian)	➤ Sociology (in Hungarian)
➤ Liberal Arts (in Hungarian)	➤ History (in Hungarian)
➤ Social Work (both in Miskolc and Ózd) (in Hungarian)	
➤ Sociology (in Hungarian)	
➤ History (in Hungarian)	
➤ Communication and Media Studies (in Hungarian)	
<u>Teacher Training Master Programs</u>	<u>Teacher Training in 5 years</u>
➤ Teacher of English Language and Culture	(17 programs in teacher training in two fields)
➤ Teacher of Health Sciences and Health Care	
➤ Teacher of Ethics	
➤ Teacher of Geography	
➤ Teacher of Economics	
➤ Teacher of Hungarian Language and Literature	
➤ Teacher of Engineering	
➤ Teacher of German Language and Culture	
➤ Teacher of History	
➤ Teacher of Informatics	

Dear Students,

The course program of the Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences of the University of Miskolc, Hungary contains all the information that you will need during your studies in Miskolc.

This booklet contains the model curriculum for the English and American Studies BA program, which you can follow to complete the number of credits specified for the program over the duration of your studies.

In order to obtain a bachelor's's degree, 180 credit points need to be completed.

Please note that in accordance with Article 54.§ (1) of Government Decree No. 87/2015 (9.IV.), the recommended curriculum, with the exception of the individual school placement in the 5-year-long Teacher Training programme, contains a credit value of 30 credits +/- 3 credits per semester, which ensures optimal progress in your studies.

For further information, please contact the Institute of Modern Philology (bolmfi@uni-miskolc.hu) or the Student Services Department of the Directorate of Education and Quality Assurance.

The document on Academic Administrative Procedures, the Neptun User Manual for Students and the Guide for UM Students with Disability, available on the university homepage at <https://www.uni-miskolc.hu/academic-administrative-procedures>, guide you in matters of academic administration. Please read the regulations carefully and follow the instructions.

We wish you success in your studies and a rewarding academic experience!

Management of the Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences,
University of Miskolc, Hungary

Study information

- 1.) The Regulation for the Preparation of the Bachelor's or Master's Thesis of the Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences of the University of Miskolc, which can be downloaded from the Faculty's website (<https://bolcsesz.uni-miskolc.hu/uj/index.php>).
- 2.) **Transfer between programmes** is regulated in the relevant section of the Faculty's Student Requirements Regulations (KHKR), where students should note that transfer between Bachelor's and Master's programmes is only possible within the same degree level and field of study.
- 3.) **The procedure of reclassification between government-subsidised/government (partial) scholarship and fee-based/self-funded forms of higher education programmes** is regulated by the relevant Article of the Student Requirements Regulations (HKR). From the first semester of the academic year 2016/2017, a reclassification procedure from state-subsidised/state (partial) scholarship to fee-based/self-funded forms will apply in the following two cases:
 - a. if the Hungarian state (partial) scholarship student with active student status has not acquired at least an average of 15 credits, or 18 credits in the case of law and science programmes, in the last two semesters, as determined by the Directorate for Education and Quality Assurance at the end of the academic year.
 - b. if the Hungarian state (partial) scholarship student has failed to achieve a weighted grade point average (GPA) as specified in the Student Requirements Regulations (HKR).
- 4.) Students' **enrollment and registration obligations** are regulated by the Student Requirements Regulations. Please note that in order for your term to **be considered active**, you must **register electronically in the Neptun system and attend at least one course**.
- 5.) According to Article 47(1a) of the Act CCIV of 2011 on National Higher Education, a student with student status in a disciplinary MA programme **may also pursue parallel studies in a teacher training MA programme**.

ENGLISH AND AMERICAN STUDIES BA COURSE PROGRAMME (FROM 2022/2023)
COURSE FORMAT: FULL-TIME

Neptun code	Course	No. of lessons/week	No. of lessons/term	Requirements	Credit	Course coordinator	Prerequisite
FOUNDATION COURSES							
Term 1 Year 1							
BTSDN001X01-A	History of Philosophy	2		exam	2	Dr. Nyíró Miklós	
BTANN101ALM-A	Integrated Skills 1.	2		seminar grade	3	Láng Viktória	
BTANN103ALM-A	Reading / Writing 1.	2		seminar grade	3	Dr. Schäffer Anett	
BTANN104ALM-A	Listening 1.	2		seminar grade	3	Láng Viktória	
BTANN105ALM-A	Introduction to British History	2		exam	3	Láng Viktória	
BTANN110ALM-A	Descriptive Grammar 1.	1		exam	4	Magnuczné dr. Godó Ágnes	
BTANN111ALM-A	Grammar in Use 1.	2		seminar grade	3	Julia Váraljai	
BTANN113ALM-A	Remedial Language Development Course 1.	2		signature	0	Láng Viktória	Prerequisite for the Filter Examination, tied to the result of an entry test
BTANN114ALM-A	Culture of the English-Speaking countries	2		exam	3	Láng Viktória	
BTANN112ALM-A	Readings in Contemporary Topics	2		seminar grade	3	Dr. Schäffer Anett	
Total number of credits:					27		
Term 2 Year 1							
BTANN203ALM-A	Integrated Skills 2.	2		seminar grade	3	Láng Viktória	
BTANN205ALM-A	Reading / Writing 2.	2		seminar grade	3	Dr. Schäffer Anett	
BTANN209ALM-A	Introduction to American History	2		exam	3	Láng Viktória	
BTANN212ALM-A	Introduction to English Linguistics	2		seminar grade	3	Magnuczné dr. Godó Ágnes	
BTANN214ALM-A	Introduction to Phonetics	2		seminar grade	3	Robin Lee Nagano	
BTANN217ALM-A	Grammar in Use 2.	2		seminar grade	3	Julia Váraljai	
BTANN218ALM-A	Descriptive Grammar 2.	1		exam	4	Magnuczné dr. Godó Ágnes	

Neptun code	Course	No. of lessons/week	No. of lessons/term	Requirements	Credit	Course coordinator	Prerequisite
BTANN220ALM-A	Remedial Language Development Course 2.	2		signature	0	Láng Viktória	Prerequisite for the Filter Examination, tied to the result of an entry test
BTANN221ALM-A	Listening 2.	2		seminar grade	3	Láng Viktória	
BTANN216ALM-A	FILTER EXAMINATION			complex exam	4	Láng Viktória	BTANN205ALM-A BTANN217ALM-A BTANN218ALM-A
Total number of credits:					29		
CORE COURSES							
Term 1 Year 2							
BTANN306SZM-A	Syntax 1.	2		seminar grade	4	Dr. Pálinkás István	BTANN216ALM-A
BTANN308SZM-A	English Renaissance Culture and Literature	2		seminar grade	3	Dr. Dósa Attila	BTANN216ALM-A
BTANN309SZM-A	Modern British History and Culture	2		exam	3	Láng Viktória	BTANN216ALM-A
BTANN312SZM-A	Applied Linguistics	2		seminar grade	4	Magnuczné dr. Godó Ágnes	BTANN216ALM-A
Total number of credits:					14		
Optional courses (2 credits)¹⁻²							
BTANN302SZV-A	Phonetics - Phonology	2		seminar grade	4	Robin Lee Nagano	Eligible for students in the American and British Studies tracks
BTANN303SZV-A	Sociolinguistics	1		seminar grade	2	Mátyás Anikó	Eligible for students in the American and British Studies tracks

¹ Optional courses can be completed by taking any courses offered by the Faculty of Arts or the Language Teaching Centre.

² Altogether 10 credits are to be obtained from optional courses in the English Studies BA programme.

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BTANN304SZV-A	Popular Culture	2		exam	3	Takács Attila	Eligible for students in the Linguistics and British Studies tracks
					Core (14 cr.) + track (6 cr.) + specialisation (12 cr.) = 32 cr.		
Term 2 Year 2							
BTANN401SZM-A	Academic Projects	2		seminar grade	2	Magnuczné dr. Godó Ágnes	BTANN216ALM-A
BTANN404SZM-A	Syntax 2.	2		exam	3	Dr. Pálincás István	BTANN216ALM-A
BTANN407SZM-A	Romantic Literature and Culture	2		seminar grade	2	Dr. Dósa Attila	BTANN216ALM-A
BTANN408SZM-A	American Literature 1.	2		exam	3	Dr. Lévai Ruth	BTANN216ALM-A
Total number of credits:					10		
Optional courses (3 credits)							
BTANN401SZV-A	Modern American History and Culture	2		exam	2	Láng Viktória	Eligible for everyone
BTANN402SZV-A	Psycholinguistics	1		exam	2	Mátyás Anikó	Eligible for students in the American and British Studies tracks
BTANN403SZV-A	Semantics	1		exam	2	Robin Lee Nagano	Eligible for students in the American and British Studies tracks
BTANN404SZV-A	Lexicology	2		seminar grade	2	Robin Lee Nagano	Eligible for students in the American and British Studies tracks
BTANN405SZV-A	The Gothic Novel 1.	2		exam	3	Dr. Dósa Attila	Eligible for students in the Linguistics and American Studies tracks

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BTANN406SZV-A	British Film	2		exam	3	Dr. Lévai Ruth	Eligible for students in the Linguistics and American Studies tracks
BTANN407SZV-A	Autobiographical Narratives in the 20 th century American Literature	2		exam	3	Dr. Dósa Attila	Eligible for students in the Linguistics and British Studies tracks
BTANN408SZV-A	The Role of the USA in the 20 th Century	2		seminar grade	3	Láng Viktória	Eligible for students in the Linguistics and British Studies tracks
					Core (10 cr.) + track (6 cr.) + specialisation (14 cr.) = 30 credits		
Term 1 Year 3							
BTANN503SZM-A	Presentation skills 1.	2		seminar grade	2	Magnuczné dr. Godó Ágnes	BTANN216ALM-A
BTANN507SZM-A	Discourse Analysis	2		seminar grade	2	Magnuczné dr. Godó Ágnes	BTANN216ALM-A
BTANN509SZM-A	Modernist Art and Literature	2		seminar grade	2	Dr. Dósa Attila	BTANN216ALM-A
BTANN510SZM-A	American Literature 2.	2		seminar grade	2	Dr. Lévai Ruth	BTANN216ALM-A
BTANN513SZM-A	Dissertation Seminar 1.	1		seminar grade	2	Consultant	BTANN216ALM-A
Total number of credits:					10		
Optional courses (3-6 credits)							
BTANN501SZV-A	Syntax	2		exam	3	Dr. Pálinkás István	Eligible for students in the American and British Studies tracks
BTANN502SZV-A	Language Acquisition	2		seminar grade	3	Magnuczné dr. Godó Ágnes	Eligible for students in the American and British Studies tracks

Neptun code	Course	No. of lessons/week	No. of lessons/term	Requirements	Credit	Course coordinator	Prerequisite
BTANN503SZV-A	Multicultural British Literature, Film and Arts	2		seminar grade	3	Dr. Schäffer Anett	Eligible for students in the Linguistics and American Studies tracks
BTANN504SZV-A	The Gothic Novel 2.	2		seminar grade	3	Dr. Dósa Attila	Eligible for students in the Linguistics and American Studies tracks
BTANN505SZV-A	American Indians	2		exam	3	Takács Attila	Eligible for students in the Linguistics and British Studies tracks
BTANN506SZV-A	The Culture and City in the USA	2		seminar grade	3	Takács Attila	Eligible for students in the Linguistics and British Studies tracks
					Core (10 cr.) + tracks (6 cr.) + specialisation (13 cr.) = 29 credits		
Term 2 Year 3							
BTANN601SZM-A	Presentation Skills 2.	1		seminar grade	2	Magnuczné dr. Godó Ágnes	BTANN216ALM-A
BTANN604SZM-A	Contemporary Literature	2		seminar grade	2	Dr. Dósa Attila	BTANN216ALM-A
BTANN605SZM-A	Academic Writing - Dissertation Seminar 2.	1		seminar grade	2	Consultant	
Total number of credits:					6		
Optional courses (3-6 credit)							
BTANN602SZV-A	Pragmatics	2		seminar grade	3	Robin Lee Nagano	Eligible for students in the American and British Studies tracks
BTANN603SZV-A	ELF Communication	2		seminar grade	3	Magnuczné dr. Godó Ágnes	Eligible for students in the American and British Studies tracks
BTANN604SZV-A	Muriel Spark	2		exam	3	Dr. Dósa Attila	Eligible for students in the American Studies and Linguistics tracks

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BTANN605SZV-A	British Culture and Society 2.	2		seminar grade	3	Láng Viktória	Eligible for students in the American Studies and Linguistics tracks
BTANN606SZV-A	American Fiction	2		seminar grade	3	Dr. Dósa Attila	Eligible for students in the British Studies and Linguistics tracks
BTANN607SZV-A	Ethnic Questions in the American Society	2		seminar grade	3	Takács Attila	Eligible for students in the British Studies and Linguistics tracks
					Core (6 cr.) + tracks (6 cr.) + specialisation (11 cr.) = 23 credits		
					Core + tracks: 120 credits Optional: 10 credits Specialisation/minor: 50 credits <hr/> TOTAL: 180 credits		

SPECIALISATION (50 CREDITS)

INTERCULTURAL COMMUNICATION

Neptun code	Course	No. of lessons/week	No. of lessons/term	Requirements	Credit	Course coordinator	Prerequisite
Term 1 Year 2							
BTANN301PER-A	Basics of Communication Theory Verbal and Non-Verbal Communication	2		seminar grade	6	Takács Attila	
BTANN303PER-A	Cultural Theories	2		exam	6	Dr. Lévai Ruth	
Total number of credits:					12		
Term 2 Year 2							
BTANN407PER-A	SSC Oral and Written Communication	2		seminar grade	3	Julia Váraljai	
BTANN408PER-A	Language, Thought and Culture	2		exam	5	Dr. Lévai Ruth	
BTANN305PER A	Media Studies 1.	2		seminar grade	6	Takács Attila	
Total number of credits:					14		
Term 1 Year 3							
BTANN503PER-A	Intercultural Perspectives 1.	2		exam	5	Takács Attila	
BTANN505PER-A	Media Studies 2.	2		seminar grade	5	Takács Attila	
BTANN609PER-A	SSC Written Communication	1		seminar grade	3	Julia Váraljai	
Total number of credits:					13		
Term 2 Year 3							
BTANN603PER-A	Intercultural Perspectives 2.	2		seminar grade	6	Takács Attila	
BTANN608PER-A	Intercultural Projects - Final Assignment	2		seminar grade	5	Dr. Lévai Ruth	
Total number of credits:					11		

COMPULSORY OPTIONAL ACADEMIC TRACKS (completing one chosen track is compulsory)

Neptun code	Course	No. of lessons/week	No. of lessons/term	Requirements	Credit	Course coordinator	Prerequisite
LINGUISTICS							
Term 1 Year 2							
BTANN301NYE-A	Phonetics - Phonology	2		seminar grade	4	Robin Lee Nagano	
BTANN303NYE-A	Sociolinguistics	1		seminar grade	2	Mátyás Anikó	
Total number of credits:					6		
Term 2 Year 2							
BTANN401NYE-A	Psycholinguistics	1		exam	2	Mátyás Anikó	
BTANN402NYE-A	Lexicology	2		seminar grade	2	Robin Lee Nagano	
BTANN403NYE-A	Semantics	1		exam	2	Robin Lee Nagano	
Total number of credits:					6		
Term 1 Year 3							
BTANN501NYE-A	Syntax	2		exam	3	Dr. Pálinkás István	
BTANN504NYE-A	Language Acquisition	2		seminar grade	3	Magnuczné dr. Godó Ágnes	
Total number of credits:					6		
Term 2 Year 3							
BTANN601NYE-A	Pragmatics	2		seminar grade	3	Robin Lee Nagano	
BTANN602NYE-A	ELF Communication	2		seminar grade	3	Magnuczné dr. Godó Ágnes	
Total number of credits:					6		

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BRITISH STUDIES							
Term 1 Year 2							
BTANN301ANI-A	History of British Novel	2		seminar grade	3	Dr. Dósa Attila	
BTANN302ANI-A	British Culture and Society 1.	2		exam	3	Láng Viktória	
Total number of credits:					6		
Term 2 Year 2							
BTANN401ANI-A	British Film	2		exam	3	Dr. Lévai Ruth	
BTANN402ANI-A	The Gothic Novel 1.	2		exam	3	Dr. Dósa Attila	
Total number of credits:					6		
Term 1 Year 3							
BTANN501ANI-A	Multicultural British Literature, Film and Arts	2		seminar grade	3	Dr. Schäffer Anett	
BTANN502ANI-A	The Gothic Novel 2.	2		seminar grade	3	Dr. Dósa Attila	
Total number of credits:					6		
Term 2 Year 3							
BTANN601ANI-A	Muriel Spark	2		exam	3	Dr. Dósa Attila	
BTANN403ANI-A	British Culture and Society 2.	2		seminar grade	3	Láng Viktória	
Total number of credits:					6		
AMERICAN STUDIES							
Term 1 Year 2							
BTANN301AMI-A	Popular culture	2		exam	3	Takács Attila	
BTANN503AMI-A	American film	2		seminar grade	3	Dr. Lévai Ruth	
Total number of credits:					6		
Term 2 Year 2							
BTANN403AMI-A	Autobiographical Narratives in the 20 th century American Literature	2		exam	3	Dr. Lévai Ruth	
BTANN404AMI-A	The Role of the USA in the 20 th Century	2		seminar grade	3	Láng Viktória	

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Total number of credits:					6		
Term 1 Year 3							
BTANN501AMI-A	American Indians	2		exam	3	Takács Attila	
BTANN504AMI-A	The Culture and City in the USA	2		seminar grade	3	Takács Attila	
Total number of credits:					6		
Term 2 Year 3							
BTANN602AMI-A	American Fiction	2		seminar grade	3	Dr. Lévai Ruth	
BTANN603AMI-A	Ethnic Questions in the American Society	2		seminar grade	3	Takács Attila	
Total number of credits:					6		