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Admission requirements for the Master's study programme Anglophone Studies

This Annex governs the subject-related and language requirements for admission to the Master's study programme Anglophone Studies conducted in English and run by the Faculty of Language, Literature, Culture (Faculty 05).

Evidence of fulfilling the language requirements shall be given on the basis of the current version of the Regulation of Justus Liebig University Giessen on the provision of evidence of language requirements for studies leading to a teaching qualification and for Bachelor's programmes of 6 June 2007.

The language requirements of which evidence is to be provided for admission to the Master's study programme Anglophone Studies must be presented at registration. It is not possible to make up the language requirements within the first two semesters (registration subject to reservations).

Article 1 Subject-related admission requirements

A. English Linguistics

a. Main subject

All Bachelor's degrees are considered to meet the admission requirements for studies in the main subject of **English Linguistics**, provided that the previous studies conveyed knowledge of this subject that is worth 20 credit points and is equivalent to the English Linguistics module (05-Ang-LB-ELing) and an advanced linguistics module in English studies (Applied English Linguistics, 05-Ang-LB-AppIEL; English Historical Linguistics, 05-Ang-LB-HistLing; New Englishes, 05-Ang-LB-NewEng) in the BA course Language, Literatures and Cultures, which forms part of the BA study programme Language, Literature, Culture of JLU Giessen.

b. Subsidiary subject

All Bachelor's degrees are deemed to meet the admission requirements for studies in the subsidiary subject of **English Linguistics**, provided that the previous studies conveyed knowledge of this subject that is worth 10 credit points and is equivalent to the English Linguistics module (05-Ang-LB-ELing) in the BA course Language, Literatures and Cultures, which forms part of the BA study programme Language, Literature, Culture of JLU Giessen.

B. Anglophone Literary, Cultural and Media Studies

a. Main subject

All Bachelor's degrees are deemed to meet the admission requirements for studies in the main subject of **Anglophone Literary, Cultural and Media Studies**, provided that the previous studies conveyed knowledge of this subject that is worth 20 credit points and is equivalent to the contents of the Introduction to Literary and Cultural Studies module, 05-ANG-LB-LitCult, and an advanced module in Anglophone literature or culture (Literary Periods module, 05-ANG-LB-LitPer; Literary Genres module, 05-ANG-LB-LitGen; Literary Theory module, 05-ANG-LB-LitTheo; Cultural Studies module, 05-ANG-LB-CultSt) in the BA course Language, Literatures and Cultures, which forms part of the BA study programme of Language, Literature, Culture of JLU Giessen.

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b. Subsidiary subject

All Bachelor's degrees are deemed to meet the admission requirements for studies in the subsidiary subject or study unit of **Anglophone Literary, Cultural and Media Studies**, provided that the previous studies conveyed knowledge of this subject that is worth 10 credit points and is equivalent to the Introduction to Literary and Cultural Studies module (05-ANG-LB-LitCult) in the BA course English Language, Literatures and Cultures, which forms part of the BA study programme Language, Literature, Culture of JLU Giessen.

C. Teaching English as a Foreign Language

a. Main subject

All Bachelor's degrees are deemed to meet the admission requirements for studies in the main subject of **Teaching English as a Foreign Language**, provided that the previous studies conveyed knowledge of this subject that is worth 20 credit points and is equivalent to the Teaching English as a Foreign Language 1 module, 05-ANG-LB-TEFL-1, and either English Linguistics (05-Eng-L3-P-04) or Literary and Cultural Studies (05-Eng-L3-P-03) in the L3 study programme.

Article 2 Language requirements

Knowledge of English is required for all subjects in the MA Anglophone Studies.

Evidence of English skills must be provided before registration by one of the following means:

1. Skills acquired at school

1a) Evidence of having acquired entitlement to admission to a higher education institution in one of the following states: Australia, Ireland, Canada, New Zealand, USA, United Kingdom, South Africa, Sri Lanka, Ghana, Hong Kong, Malta;

1b) Evidence of having acquired entitlement to admission to a higher education institution in an English educational study programme in a state in which English is the/an official language.

2. Skills acquired at a university

2a) A pass in an English examination at a university at Level C1 of the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages that is no more than two years old;

2b) Successful completion of a Bachelor's study programme with an anglophone focus, which leads to level C1 of the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages.

3. Skills acquired in language tests

Any evidence of a pass in a standardised language test which provides evidence of skills equivalent to Level C1 of the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages is accredited. This includes, for example:

3a) Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) with the following minimum results:

- in the Institutional Testing Programme (ITP), at least 637 out of 677 points;
- in the internet version, at least 110 out of 120 points.

3b) A pass in the Certificate in Advanced English (CAE)

3c) A pass in the Certificate of Proficiency in English (CPE)

3d) International English Language Testing System (IELTS) with a minimum overall grade of 7 and a minimum grade of 6.5 in each test area

3e) UNICert® III