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Ancient culture studies 726 (AKG 726)

Qualification	Postgraduate
Faculty	Faculty of Humanities
Module credits	20.00
Programmes	BAHons Ancient Languages and Cultures Studies
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Department	Ancient and Modern Languages and Cultures
Period of presentation	Year

Module content

Mythology and religion in the Ancient World

A study of Ancient Near Eastern mythology and religious beliefs and their influence on African and Middle-Eastern culture and/or a study of the religion of ancient Israel and/or a study of Greco-Roman mythology and religious beliefs and its profound and ongoing influence upon Western arts. Attention is paid to both state and private religious practices in the Ancient World. Language students will read capita selecta of relevant literature from the Hebrew/Greek/Latin literary corpus.

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