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Introduction to literary theory 727 (LCC 727)

Qualification	Postgraduate
Faculty	Faculty of Humanities
Module credits	20.00
Programmes	BAHons African Languages BAHons Afrikaans BAHons Literary Theory
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	1 lecture per week
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Department	Afrikaans
Period of presentation	Year

Module content

The place, nature and function of theory of literature, research (hermeneutical, empirical), application; analysis, interpretation, evaluation and canonisation; literary systems (fields); capita selecta from 20th-century perspectives on literature and the study of literature; key issues in literary theory; primary and secondary sources.

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