Scottish Literature (Combined) (Arts)

University of Glasgow

Venues

Gilmorehill Campus

Content

Year 1: Initially you will be introduced to the rise of the great tradition of Scottish fiction, looking at work by Scott, Hogg and Galt down to Gibbon, Gunn and the moderns like Spark, Kelman and Galloway. Among the poets you study are MacDiarmid, Muir, MacCaig, Morgan and Lochhead. Twentieth-century drama is also covered.

You will also study two other subjects in year 1 according to your interests: see Degrees in Arts, Science and Social Sciences.

Year 2: The following year you will explore older Scottish literature and language, including the great medieval Makars (poets), Dunbar and Henryson, and the great morality play Ane Satyre of the Thrie Estaitis. Eighteenth-century writing, including Ramsay, Smollett and Burns, is also an important part of the programme.

You will also study one or two other subjects in year 2 according to your interests: see Degrees in Arts, Science and Social Sciences.

Years 3 and 4: The topics offered to students at Honours level are: History of Scots (language); history of the Scottish book (language) from beginnings to early modern (pre-1700); Augustans and Romantics; Victorian literature and the 1920s Literary Renaissance; Contemporary Scottish literature; 1 of Modern Scottish poetry or Scottish journeys or Alternative Renaissances; Beginnings to early modern.

If you are taking Scottish Literature with another subject (Joint Honours) you are required to choose three of the courses and you must do a dissertation.

If you are a Single Honours student you must take seven of the courses and you are also required to do a dissertation. One of these seven courses must be a language-based course and another must cover the period before 1700.

Start Date

September

Qualification

Degree

Study Method

Full time

Award Title

MA Hons

UCAS Code

Please refer to list below

Course Length

4 years

Faculty

College of Arts and Humanities

Department

School of Humanities

Entry Requirements

2027 entry requirements

Standard entry: 5 Highers at AAAAB (by end S6 with min BBBB after S5) including English and a humanities subject at AA (AB or BA may be considered).

Entry to year 2 may be possible with 3 Advanced Highers at AAA in relevant subjects.

Widening access entry: 4 Highers at AABB or BBBB (by end S6) including English and a humanities subject. Completion of pre-entry programme is necessary.

Grades and subjects may vary depending on combinations taken.

SCQF Level

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Cost

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Progression Routes

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Combination Courses

Scottish Literature/Celtic Civilisation	QQF5
Scottish Literature/Celtic Studies	QQ25
Scottish Literature/Central and East European Studies	RQR2
Scottish Literature/Comparative Literature	Q291

Scottish Literature/English Language and Linguistics	QQ2J
Scottish Literature/English Literature	QQ2H
Scottish Literature/Film and Television Studies	QW26
Scottish Literature/Geography	LQ72
Scottish Literature/History	QV21
Scottish Literature/History of Art	QV23
Scottish Literature/Latin	QQ26
Scottish Literature/Mathematics	GQ12
Scottish Literature/Music	QW23
Scottish Literature/Politics	LQ22
Scottish Literature/Portuguese	R642
Scottish Literature/Psychology	CQ82
Scottish Literature/Russian	QR27
Scottish Literature/Scottish History	QVF2
Scottish Literature/Sociology	LQ32
Scottish Literature/Spanish	RQ4M
Scottish Literature/Theatre Studies	QW24
Scottish Literature/Theology and Religious Studies	QV26

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