



Subject areas

Postgraduate English Literature courses



The Department of English Literature is one of the leading departments for the postgraduate study of English Literature and culture in the UK. We are one of the top 30 English departments in the world (QS 2024) and our students explore, research and study a wide range of literary specialisms, from Old English to Digital Cultures and everything in between. Our perspectives on the field - theoretical, historical, and intellectual - are diverse and methodologically rigorous.

Our postgraduate programmes have an excellent staff-to-student ratio and we offer supportive guidance and expert tailored supervision so that students can pursue their own research interests.

Students are part of an <u>active community</u> in the department, with conferences, reading groups and events run by the postgraduate students as well as academic staff. Students are also encouraged to take part in our wide variety of <u>research centres</u> from <u>Reformation and Early Modern Studies</u> to <u>Modernist Cultures</u>.

Each year, students have the opportunity to participate in the department Graduate Conference for MA/MRes/MPhil/PhD students. This is organised by a graduate student committee who are in charge of curating the theme and call for papers, putting together the programme, and managing a small budget to cater the event.

English Literature PhD / MA

Course information for prospective postgraduate students on our PhD English Literature doctoral research degree programme at the University of Birmingham

Comparative Literature and Critical Theories MA

Course information for prospective postgraduate students on our MA Comparative Literature and Critical Theory taught masters degree programme.

Digital Media and Communications MA

Course information for prospective postgraduate students on our MA Digital Media and Communications taught masters degree programme.

Digital Media and Creative Industries MA / PGDip

Course information for prospective postgraduate students on our MA Digital Media and Creative Industries taught masters degree programme.

English Literature MA

Course information for prospective postgraduate students on our MA English Literature taught masters degree programme at the University of Birmingham.

Comparative Literature PhD

Course information for prospective doctoral researchers on the University of Birmingham's PhD Comparative Literature

Fall in with Shakespeare (Online)

Fall in with Shakespeare short course run by The Shakespeare Institute at the University of Birmingham.

Short course

Shakespeare and Creativity MA

Course information for prospective postgraduate students on our MA Shakespeare and Creativity taught masters degree programme at the University of Birmingham.

Shakespeare MA

Course information for prospective postgraduate students on our MA Shakespeare taught masters degree programme at the University of Birmingham.

Shakespeare MA (Online)

Course information for prospective postgraduate students on our distance learning MA Shakespeare taught masters degree programme.







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