

MA Translation and Professional Language Skills (THPL-AFM48)

Course and Award Details

Course title	MA Translation and Professional Language Skills
Route(s)	MA Translation and Professional Language Skills - French MA Translation and Professional Language Skills - French and German MA Translation and Professional Language Skills - French and Italian MA Translation and Professional Language Skills - French and Russian MA Translation and Professional Language Skills - French and Spanish MA Translation and Professional Language Skills - German MA Translation and Professional Language Skills - German and Spanish MA Translation and Professional Language Skills - Italian MA Translation and Professional Language Skills - Italian and German MA Translation and Professional Language Skills - Italian and Spanish MA Translation and Professional Language Skills - Russian MA Translation and Professional Language Skills - Russian and German
Awarding body	University of Bath
Award	Masters Degree not mainly by Research
Award name	Masters - Postgraduate Taught
Course mode of delivery	Full time
Course length	1 years
Entry point	September 2024
Main location of study	University of Bath, Main Campus, Claverton Down
Course-owning school/department	Politics, Languages and International Studies

Course Description

Course Summary	Gain the sought-after skills you need for a career in specialist language work on this practical and respected master's course.
Course Description	<p>Our MA Translation and Professional Language Skills course prepares you to work as a professional linguist at a high level.</p> <p>Throughout the course, you'll develop the skills required in a number of roles within international organisations and language service providers. You'll mostly work with the written word to provide translations and specialised language services, such as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- editing- proofreading- précis-writing (a type of summary writing used by the United Nations). This is only available on course pathways that include French, Spanish or Russian <p>Through your core units, you'll advance your editing, revision, and proofreading abilities. According to many employers and agencies, they seek these key areas of expertise in people they recruit.</p> <p>You can then complement these fundamental skills with optional units in specialisms like liaison interpreting, public speaking, the use of translation technology, and even how to set up and run your own language services company.</p>

Bath has longstanding links with international organisations like the United Nations and European Union. We make use of these links to keep our programmes up to date with the professional world and to set up external training opportunities where possible.

>Watch our recent webinar about this course(<https://vimeo.com/825522796>)

Learn from experts in the field

You'll learn from highly experienced tutors who work, or have previously worked as, professional linguists in various settings. This will allow you to benefit from their wealth of experience, contemporary knowledge, and industry networks.

Use specialist facilities

Depending on your choice of optional units, you will have access to our professional-grade interpreting labs and on-campus TV studio. These are equipped with interpreter consoles and microphones, interpreter booths, and online conference facilities. Access to these labs is exclusive to students studying interpreting units.

Gain important career skills

On completion of this course, you'll leave with:

- a proven ability to work with varied and challenging texts, providing a strong foundation for working at an international level
- experience of working to deadlines and using style guides
- contacts and relationships with potential employers from career-focused talks and/or external training
- access to our close-knit alumni network of linguists who work in international organisations, private bodies and independent agencies
- evidence of translation skills, including the dissertation you'll complete at the end of the taught part of the course
- a greater level of intercultural awareness, which is important for working in an international role

You'll also have the opportunity to study a number of extracurricular units to enhance your core learning. These will cover a range of topics, including law, economics, and globalisation.

In addition to this, we regularly invite speakers and trainers from the course's professional network to deliver career-focused talks and additional training sessions.

Training opportunities

Where possible, we use our extensive network of contacts to organise external training opportunities. These are often with the language services of international organisations, government departments or translation companies.

These opportunities can provide you with invaluable insights into the work of professional linguists and are highly valued by employers. However, they are not compulsory or guaranteed. Your language combination and your progress on the course will be considered when matching you with potential training opps, along with any other relevant information.

If you do undertake additional training, you will be able to hone your skills as a linguist by carrying out authentic tasks and receiving direct feedback from experts in the field.

Our students have previously undertaken training with many organisations, including:

- the United Nations
- institutions of the European Union
- the Council of Europe

Graduate Prospects

Our MA Translation and Professional Languages Skills course is vocational and has an excellent international reputation.

Many of our graduates have gone on to a range of careers in specialist language work. Others have used the transferable skills gained to pursue further study, or careers in teaching, publishing, and design.

Recent graduates have gone on to work for:

- European Central Bank
- United Nations
- GCHQ
- International Atomic Energy Agency
- International Court of Justice
- Expedia
- Healthline
- Wine & Spirit Education Trust

Associations and resources

By studying this course, you will be able to access a number of tools and online resources to support your learning. These include:

- Chartered Institute of Linguists (CIOL)(<https://www.ciol.org.uk/student-affiliate>) - CIOL representatives will host a presentation (either on-campus or online) giving tips on how to start your career as a linguist, updates on CIOL activities and membership options. You'll also be able to access The Linguist, CIOL's publication
- Conférence Internationale Permanente d'Instituts Universitaires de Traducteurs et Interprètes (CIUTI)(<https://www.ciuti.org/>) - This course is recognised by CIUTI for its quality and relevance. You will have access to the latest developments in the interpreting and translation professions
- Institute of Translation and Interpreting (ITI)(<https://www.iti.org.uk/>) - You will receive information about the only UK-based independent professional membership association for translators, interpreters and all those involved in supplying language services
- National Network for Translation (NNT) (<https://www.routesintolanguages.ac.uk/activities/national-network-translation>) - You will be notified about national and regional events, and other related activities
- XTRF(<https://xtrf.eu/>) - You will be able to make use of XTRF, a cutting-edge translation management system (TMS) used by many translation agencies. TMSs like XTRF play a crucial and expanding role in the translation industry, so building your understanding of how they work could give you an advantage over other translators.

Contact hours

You are expected to spend approximately 35 hours per week studying, with around 10 of those hours being structured classes.

This will be made up of a combination of lectures, seminars, workshops, independent study, and tutorials. You will work as an individual and as part of small groups.

Delivery methods

The following list provides an indication of some of the learning and teaching methods used on the course:

- Lectures
- Seminars
- Tutorials
- Workshops

Assessment summary

You will experience a balance of different forms of assessment designed to support your professional development. This will include coursework, examinations, and a dissertation.

You will receive formative (unassessed) feedback on your progress in preparation for your graded assessments.

We can make reasonable adjustments to assessment procedures for students with disabilities. Take a look at our Disability Service's pages([/professional-services/disability-service/](#)) for information.

Assessment methods

The following list provides an indication of some of the assessment methods used on the course:

Dissertation
Examinations
Coursework

Budgeting statement

You will need to budget at least £100 for the cost of photocopying, printing and binding. You will also need to budget for the cost of text books.

Training costs

If you choose to pursue a training opportunity outside of the course, you will be responsible for any travel or accommodation costs.

However, we do offer a number of bursaries to help students complete external training.

Additional Costs

If you receive an offer, you will need to pay a non-refundable deposit of £1,000 when you accept to secure your place. This will be deducted from your tuition fee when you register.

There is a one-off application fee of £50, payable during the online application process through the online store(<http://store.bath.ac.uk/product-catalogue/postgraduate-deposits-application-fee-payment/faculty-of-humanities-and-social-sciences/department-of-politics-languages-and-international-studies/application-fee-for-politics-languages-international-studies-postgraduate-programmes>).

Course Assessment Regulations**Applicable Assessment Regulations**

Postgraduate Taught Assessment Regulations - <https://www.bath.ac.uk/publications/postgraduate-taught-assessment-regulations/>

Exemptions from Regulations

Not specified

Course Progression Requirements

Not specified

Course Structure**Year 1****MA Translation and Professional Language Skills - French**

Period of study	Module code	Module title	Module status	Level	Credits	Option choice rules
AY	PL00000	Academic integrity training & test	Extra	Foundation (FHEQ level 3)	0	
AY	PL52119	Editing and revision	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	15	
AY	PL52131	French to English translation	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	10	
S1	TPLS S1 options CT PG					Group: OPTIONS Select no more than 15 credits from OPTIONS in this period Select 20 credits from OPTIONS overall
	PL52127	Enterprise skills for linguists	Part 4 Taught Optional	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	
	PL52141	Introduction to proofreading	Part 4 Taught Optional	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	
	PL52155	Public speaking	Part 4 Taught Optional	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	
S2	PL52175	Translation technology	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	
S2	PL52176	Translation theory and practice	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	10	
S2	TPLS French S2 options CT PG					Group: OPTIONS Select no more than 10 credits from OPTIONS in this period Select 20 credits from OPTIONS overall
	PL52132	French / English public service and commercial interpreting	Part 4 Taught Optional	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	
	PL52152	Précis-writing for the United Nations	Part 4 Taught Optional	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	
DIS	PL52117	Dissertation or project	PGT Project/Dis Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	30	

Additional rules for module selection

None

MA Translation and Professional Language Skills - French and German

Period of study	Module code	Module title	Module status	Level	Credits	Option choice rules
AY	PL00000	Academic integrity training & test	Extra	Foundation (FHEQ level 3)	0	
AY	PL52119	Editing and revision	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	15	
AY	PL52131	French to English translation	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	10	
AY	PL52138	German to English translation	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	10	
S1	TPLS S1 options CT PG					Group: OPTIONS Select no more than 10 credits from OPTIONS in this period Select 10 credits from OPTIONS overall
	PL52127	Enterprise skills for linguists	Part 4 Taught Optional	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	
	PL52141	Introduction to proofreading	Part 4 Taught Optional	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	
	PL52155	Public speaking	Part 4 Taught Optional	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	
S2	PL52175	Translation technology	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	
S2	PL52176	Translation theory and practice	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	10	
S2	TPLS French/German S2 options CT PG					Group: OPTIONS Select no more
	PL52132	French / English public service and	Part 4 Taught	Masters UG & PG	5	

		service and commercial interpreting	Taught Optional	UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)		than 5 credits from OPTIONS in this period Select 10 credits from OPTIONS overall	
	PL52139	German / English public service and commercial interpreting	Part 4 Taught Optional	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5		
S2	TPLS S2 precis writing option CT PG						Group: OPTIONS
	PL52152	Précis-writing for the United Nations	Part 4 Taught Optional	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	Select no more than 5 credits from OPTIONS in this period Select 10 credits from OPTIONS overall	
DIS	PL52117	Dissertation or project	PGT Project/Dis Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	30		
Additional rules for module selection							
None							

MA Translation and Professional Language Skills - French and Italian

Period of study	Module code	Module title	Module status	Level	Credits	Option choice rules	
AY	PL00000	Academic integrity training & test	Extra	Foundation (FHEQ level 3)	0		
AY	PL52119	Editing and revision	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	15		
AY	PL52131	French to English translation	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	10		
AY	PL52144	Italian to English translation	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	10		
S1	TPLS S1 options CT PG						Group: OPTIONS
	PL52127	Enterprise skills for linguists	Part 4 Taught Optional	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	Select no more than 10 credits from OPTIONS in this period	

	PL52141	Introduction to proofreading	Part 4 Taught Optional	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	in this period Select 10 credits from OPTIONS overall	
	PL52155	Public speaking	Part 4 Taught Optional	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5		
S2	PL52175	Translation technology	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5		
S2	PL52176	Translation theory and practice	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	10		
S2	TPLS French/Italian S2 options CT PG						Group: OPTIONS
	PL52132	French / English public service and commercial interpreting	Part 4 Taught Optional	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	Select no more than 5 credits from OPTIONS in this period	
	PL52145	Italian / English public service and commercial interpreting	Part 4 Taught Optional	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	Select 10 credits from OPTIONS overall	
S2	TPLS S2 precis writing option CT PG						Group: OPTIONS
	PL52152	Précis-writing for the United Nations	Part 4 Taught Optional	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	Select no more than 5 credits from OPTIONS in this period Select 10 credits from OPTIONS overall	
DIS	PL52117	Dissertation or project	PGT Project/Dis Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	30		

Additional rules for module selection

None

MA Translation and Professional Language Skills - French and Russian

Period of study	Module code	Module title	Module status	Level	Credits	Option choice rules
AY	PL00000	Academic integrity	Extra	Foundation	0	

AY	PL00000	Academic integrity training & test	Extra	Foundation U (FHEQ level 3)			
AY	PL52119	Editing and revision	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	15		
AY	PL52131	French to English translation	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	10		
AY	PL52160	Russian to English translation	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	10		
S1	TPLS S1 options CT PG						Group: OPTIONS
	PL52127	Enterprise skills for linguists	Part 4 Taught Optional	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	Select no more than 10 credits from OPTIONS in this period	
	PL52141	Introduction to proofreading	Part 4 Taught Optional	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	Select 10 credits from OPTIONS overall	
	PL52155	Public speaking	Part 4 Taught Optional	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5		
S2	PL52175	Translation technology	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5		
S2	PL52176	Translation theory and practice	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	10		
S2	TPLS French/Russian S2 options CT PG						Group: OPTIONS
	PL52132	French / English public service and commercial interpreting	Part 4 Taught Optional	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	Select no more than 5 credits from OPTIONS in this period	
	PL52161	Russian / English public service and commercial interpreting	Part 4 Taught Optional	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	Select 10 credits from OPTIONS overall	
S2	TPLS S2 precis writing option CT PG						Group: OPTIONS
	PL52152	Précis-writing for the United Nations	Part 4 Taught Optional	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	Select no more than 5 credits from OPTIONS	

				level 7)		in this period Select10 credits from OPTIONS overall
DIS	PL52117	Dissertation or project	PGT Project/Dis Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	30	
Additional rules for module selection						
None						

MA Translation and Professional Language Skills - French and Spanish

Period of study	Module code	Module title	Module status	Level	Credits	Option choice rules
AY	PL00000	Academic integrity training & test	Extra	Foundation (FHEQ level 3)	0	
AY	PL52119	Editing and revision	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	15	
AY	PL52131	French to English translation	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	10	
AY	PL52164	Spanish to English translation	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	10	
S1	TPLS S1 options CT PG					Group: OPTIONS Select no more than 10 credits from OPTIONS in this period Select10 credits from OPTIONS overall
	PL52127	Enterprise skills for linguists	Part 4 Taught Optional	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	
	PL52141	Introduction to proofreading	Part 4 Taught Optional	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	
	PL52155	Public speaking	Part 4 Taught Optional	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	
S2	PL52175	Translation technology	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	

			Compulsory	(FHEQ level 7)			
S2	PL52176	Translation theory and practice	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	10		
S2	TPLS French/Spanish S2 options CT PG						Group: OPTIONS
	PL52132	French / English public service and commercial interpreting	Part 4 Taught Optional	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5		Select no more than 5 credits from OPTIONS in this period
	PL52165	Spanish / English public service and commercial interpreting	Part 4 Taught Optional	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5		Select 10 credits from OPTIONS overall
S2	TPLS S2 precis writing option CT PG						Group: OPTIONS
	PL52152	Précis-writing for the United Nations	Part 4 Taught Optional	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5		Select no more than 5 credits from OPTIONS in this period Select 10 credits from OPTIONS overall
DIS	PL52117	Dissertation or project	PGT Project/Dis Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	30		
Additional rules for module selection							
None							

MA Translation and Professional Language Skills - German

Period of study	Module code	Module title	Module status	Level	Credits	Option choice rules
AY	PL00000	Academic integrity training & test	Extra	Foundation (FHEQ level 3)	0	
AY	PL52119	Editing and revision	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	15	
AY	PL52138	German to English translation	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	10	
S1	PL52127	Enterprise skills for linguists	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	
S1	PL52141	Introduction to proofreading	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	
S1	PL52155	Public speaking	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	
S2	PL52139	German / English public service and commercial interpreting	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	
S2	PL52175	Translation technology	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	
S2	PL52176	Translation theory and practice	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	10	
DIS	PL52117	Dissertation or project	PGT Project/Dis Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	30	

Additional rules for module selection

None

MA Translation and Professional Language Skills - German and Spanish

Period of study	Module code	Module title	Module status	Level	Credits	Option choice rules
AY	PL00000	Academic integrity training & test	Extra	Foundation (FHEQ level 3)	0	
AY	PL52119	Editing and revision	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	15	

			Compulsory	(FHEQ level 7)			
AY	PL52138	German to English translation	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	10		
AY	PL52164	Spanish to English translation	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	10		
S1	TPLS S1 options CT PG						Group: OPTIONS
	PL52127	Enterprise skills for linguists	Part 4 Taught Optional	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	Select no more than 10 credits from OPTIONS in this period	
	PL52141	Introduction to proofreading	Part 4 Taught Optional	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	Select 10 credits from OPTIONS overall	
	PL52155	Public speaking	Part 4 Taught Optional	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5		
S2	PL52175	Translation technology	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5		
S2	PL52176	Translation theory and practice	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	10		
S2	TPLS German/Spanish S2 options CT PG						Group: OPTIONS
	PL52139	German / English public service and commercial interpreting	Part 4 Taught Optional	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	Select no more than 5 credits from OPTIONS in this period	
	PL52165	Spanish / English public service and commercial interpreting	Part 4 Taught Optional	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	Select 10 credits from OPTIONS overall	
S2	TPLS S2 precis writing option CT PG						Group: OPTIONS
	PL52152	Précis-writing for the United Nations	Part 4 Taught Optional	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	Select no more than 5 credits from OPTIONS in this period	
						Select 10 credits from OPTIONS overall	

DIS	PL52117	Dissertation or project	PGT Project/Dis Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	30
Additional rules for module selection					
None					

MA Translation and Professional Language Skills - Italian

Period of study	Module code	Module title	Module status	Level	Credits	Option choice rules
AY	PL00000	Academic integrity training & test	Extra	Foundation (FHEQ level 3)	0	
AY	PL52119	Editing and revision	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	15	
AY	PL52144	Italian to English translation	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	10	
S1	PL52127	Enterprise skills for linguists	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	
S1	PL52141	Introduction to proofreading	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	
S1	PL52155	Public speaking	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	
S2	PL52145	Italian / English public service and commercial interpreting	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	
S2	PL52175	Translation technology	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	
S2	PL52176	Translation theory and practice	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	10	
DIS	PL52117	Dissertation or project	PGT Project/Dis Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	30	
Additional rules for module selection						
None						

MA Translation and Professional Language Skills - Italian and

German

Period of study	Module code	Module title	Module status	Level	Credits	Option choice rules
AY	PL00000	Academic integrity training & test	Extra	Foundation (FHEQ level 3)	0	
AY	PL52119	Editing and revision	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	15	
AY	PL52138	German to English translation	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	10	
AY	PL52144	Italian to English translation	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	10	
S1	TPLS S1 options CT PG					Group: OPTIONS Select no more than 10 credits from OPTIONS in this period Select 10 credits from OPTIONS overall
	PL52127	Enterprise skills for linguists	Part 4 Taught Optional	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	
	PL52141	Introduction to proofreading	Part 4 Taught Optional	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	
	PL52155	Public speaking	Part 4 Taught Optional	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	
S2	PL52175	Translation technology	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	
S2	PL52176	Translation theory and practice	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	10	
S2	TPLS Italian/German S2 options CT PG					Group: OPTIONS Select no more than 5 credits from OPTIONS in this period Select 10 credits from OPTIONS overall
	PL52139	German / English public service and commercial interpreting	Part 4 Taught Optional	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	
	PL52145	Italian / English public service and commercial	Part 4 Taught Optional	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	

		interpreting		level 7)	
DIS	PL52117	Dissertation or project	PGT Project/Dis Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	30
Additional rules for module selection					
None					

MA Translation and Professional Language Skills - Italian and Spanish

Period of study	Module code	Module title	Module status	Level	Credits	Option choice rules
AY	PL00000	Academic integrity training & test	Extra	Foundation (FHEQ level 3)	0	
AY	PL52119	Editing and revision	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	15	
AY	PL52144	Italian to English translation	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	10	
AY	PL52164	Spanish to English translation	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	10	
S1	TPLS S1 options CT PG					Group: OPTIONS Select no more than 10 credits from OPTIONS in this period Select 10 credits from OPTIONS overall
	PL52127	Enterprise skills for linguists	Part 4 Taught Optional	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	
	PL52141	Introduction to proofreading	Part 4 Taught Optional	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	
	PL52155	Public speaking	Part 4 Taught Optional	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	
S2	PL52175	Translation technology	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	
S2	PL52176	Translation theory and practice	Part 4 Taught	Masters UG & PG	10	

Compulsory (FHEQ level 7)

S2 TPLS Italian/Spanish S2 options CT PG						Group: OPTIONS
	PL52145	Italian / English public service and commercial interpreting	Part 4 Taught Optional	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	Select no more than 5 credits from OPTIONS in this period
	PL52165	Spanish / English public service and commercial interpreting	Part 4 Taught Optional	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	Select 10 credits from OPTIONS overall
S2 TPLS S2 precis writing option CT PG						Group: OPTIONS
	PL52152	Précis-writing for the United Nations	Part 4 Taught Optional	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	Select no more than 5 credits from OPTIONS in this period Select 10 credits from OPTIONS overall
DIS	PL52117	Dissertation or project	PGT Project/Dis Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	30	

Additional rules for module selection

None

MA Translation and Professional Language Skills - Russian

Period of study	Module code	Module title	Module status	Level	Credits	Option choice rules
AY	PL00000	Academic integrity training & test	Extra	Foundation (FHEQ level 3)	0	
AY	PL52119	Editing and revision	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	15	
AY	PL52160	Russian to English translation	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	10	
S1	TPLS S1 options CT PG					Group: OPTIONS Select no more than 15 credits from OPTIONS in this period Select 20 credits from OPTIONS overall
	PL52127	Enterprise skills for linguists	Part 4 Taught Optional	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	
	PL52141	Introduction to proofreading	Part 4 Taught Optional	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	
	PL52155	Public speaking	Part 4 Taught Optional	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	
S2	PL52175	Translation technology	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	
S2	PL52176	Translation theory and practice	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	10	
S2	TPLS Russian S2 options CT PG					Group: OPTIONS Select no more than 10 credits from OPTIONS in this period Select 20 credits from OPTIONS overall
	PL52152	Précis-writing for the United Nations	Part 4 Taught Optional	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	
	PL52161	Russian / English public service and commercial interpreting	Part 4 Taught Optional	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	
DIS	PL52117	Dissertation or project	PGT Project/Dis Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	30	

Additional rules for module selection

None

MA Translation and Professional Language Skills - Russian and German

Period of study	Module code	Module title	Module status	Level	Credits	Option choice rules
AY	PL00000	Academic integrity training & test	Extra	Foundation (FHEQ level 3)	0	
AY	PL52119	Editing and revision	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	15	
AY	PL52138	German to English translation	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	10	
AY	PL52160	Russian to English translation	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	10	
S1	TPLS S1 options CT PG					Group: OPTIONS Select no more than 10 credits from OPTIONS in this period Select 10 credits from OPTIONS overall
	PL52127	Enterprise skills for linguists	Part 4 Taught Optional	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	
	PL52141	Introduction to proofreading	Part 4 Taught Optional	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	
	PL52155	Public speaking	Part 4 Taught Optional	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	
S2	PL52175	Translation technology	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	
S2	PL52176	Translation theory and practice	Part 4 Taught Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	10	
S2	TPLS Russian/German S2 options CT PG					Group: OPTIONS Select no more
	PL52139	German / English public service and	Part 4 Taught	Masters UG & PG	5	

		public service and commercial interpreting	Taught Optional	UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)		than 5 credits from OPTIONS in this period Select 10 credits from OPTIONS overall	
	PL52161	Russian / English public service and commercial interpreting	Part 4 Taught Optional	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5		
S2	TPLS S2 precis writing option CT PG						Group: OPTIONS
	PL52152	Précis-writing for the United Nations	Part 4 Taught Optional	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	5	Select no more than 5 credits from OPTIONS in this period Select 10 credits from OPTIONS overall	
DIS	PL52117	Dissertation or project	PGT Project/Dis Compulsory	Masters UG & PG (FHEQ level 7)	30		

Additional rules for module selection

None

Year 2

No units found

The availability of optional units is subject to constraints such as staff availability, minimum and maximum group sizes, and timetabling factors, as well as a student's ability to meet any pre-requisite rules.

Learning Outcomes

By the end of the course, you will be able to

	Knowledge and Understanding	Intellectual Skills	Professional and Transferable Skills	Placement	Study Year Abroad
Demonstrate that you can apply the principles and techniques of editing and revision by tackling a wide range of assignments with confidence and success.	✓	✓	✓		
Work independently to produce entirely accurate and coherent finished texts in English that represent	✓	✓	✓		

an improvement on the original versions.

Demonstrate that you have assimilated the professional skills and techniques required in translation and are able to tackle a wide range of translation assignments with confidence.

✓

✓

✓

Critically review and apply current, relevant theoretical frameworks to your practice and carry out independent research.

✓

✓

✓

Communicate clearly, concisely and idiomatically in English, using an appropriate register.

✓

✓

Understand the role of professional linguists and how they interact with clients and end-users.

✓

✓

✓

Demonstrate attention to detail by presenting your work in accordance with specific briefs, including, where appropriate, in-house style guides.

✓

✓

✓

Demonstrate a thorough understanding of translation memory, and terminology management and quality assurance in a CAT tool, and an ability to make efficient use of these features in your own practice.

✓

✓

✓

Demonstrate the intellectual capacity to understand and analyse a speaker's/author's argument and ideas.

✓

✓

✓

Demonstrate an understanding of translation theory and its practical application.

✓

✓

Alternative Courses and Exit Awards

Designated Alternative

Exit awards:

Postgraduate Certificate or Postgraduate Diploma

For further information see <https://www.bath.ac.uk/publications/postgraduate-taught-assessment-regulations/>

For information on possible named exit awards, please contact your Director of Studies

Generated: 23/Sep/2024 00:01:43