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## BA MODERN EUROPEAN LANGUAGES AND HISTORY (RV91)

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1. This programme is available at Durham City, in a full-time mode of study. The lead department is the School of Modern Languages and Cultures.
2. Students may choose modules in one of the following Modern Languages: French, German, Italian, Russian, or Spanish.

#### Level 1 (Certificate)

3. Candidates shall study and be assessed in modules to the value of 60 credits chosen from **either** List A **or** List B below:

<b>List A:</b>	<b>Credit value</b>
One core language module chosen from <b>List B1, C2, D2, E2, or F2</b> in the entry for the BA Modern Languages and Cultures #	20
Modules in your selected modern language chosen from <b>List B2, C4, D3, E3, or F4</b> in the entry for the BA Modern Languages and Cultures	40

<b>List B:</b>	<b>Credit value</b>
German Language 1B #	<a href="#">GERM1112</a> 40
Italian Language 1B #	<a href="#">ITAL1102</a> 40
Russian Language 1B #	<a href="#">RUSS1042</a> 40
Spanish Language 1B #	<a href="#">SPAN1072</a> 40
One module in your selected modern language chosen from <b>List C3, D3, E3, or F3</b> in the entry for the BA Modern Languages and Cultures	20

4. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in modules to the value of 60 credits from List C:

<b>List C:</b>	<b>Credit value</b>
One module chosen from <b>Lists A or B</b> in the entry for the BA History	20
One module chosen from <b>List C</b> in the entry for the BA History	20
One module chosen from the Level 1 entry for the BA History	20

#### Level 2 (Diploma)

5. Candidates shall study and be assessed in modules to the value of 120 credits from Lists D1 and D2, including at least 20 credits from List D1:

<b>List D1:</b>	<b>Credit value</b>
One core language module chosen from <b>List I1, J1, J2, K1, K2, L1, L2, M1, or M2</b> in the Level 2 entry for the BA Modern Languages and Cultures #	20-40

<b>List D2:</b>	<b>Credit value</b>
Modules up to the value of 60 credits in your selected modern language chosen from <b>Lists I2, J3, J4, K3, K4, L3, L4, L5, M3</b> in the entry for the BA Modern Languages and Cultures	0-60
Modules up to the value of 80 credits chosen from the Level 2 entry for the BA History	20-80

### **YEAR 3 (Year abroad)**

6. During their year abroad, full-time candidates are required to spend a period of residence of no less than 7 months in a country, or in several countries, where each of the languages which they intend to study at Level 3 are spoken.
7. Part-time candidates are required to spend at least 4 weeks in each country whose language they wish to study at Level 3. These 4 weeks may be spread over the duration of the programme.
8. During the course of their time abroad, students will complete a Target Language Research Project in language they intend to study at Level 3. The task will be submitted before the start of the Michaelmas Term of the candidate's final year of study. Part-time candidates will be assessed at the start of the year in which the Level 3 compulsory language module is taken. The TLRP is not credit-bearing, but will be graded by percentage on the candidate's degree transcript. Candidates who pass will proceed to the BA in Modern European Languages and History with Year Abroad; those who fail will be transferred to the non-year abroad version of the programme.

### **Level 3 (Degree)**

9. Candidates shall study and be assessed in one core language module to the value of 20 credits chosen from **Lists O1, P1, Q1, R1, or S1** in the entry for the BA Modern Languages and Cultures.  
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10. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in modules to the value of 100 credits chosen from List E:

<b>List E:</b>	<b>Credit value</b>
Modules up to the value of 60 credits in your selected modern language chosen from <b>Lists O2, O3, O4, P2, Q2, Q3, Q4, R2, R3, S2, S3, and S4</b> in the entry for the BA Modern Languages and Cultures ∞	20-60
Modules up to the value of 80 credits chosen from the Level 3 entry for the BA History ∞	40-80
20 Credit Dissertation in History ∞	<a href="#">HIST3181</a> 20
OR 40 Credit Dissertation in History ∞	<a href="#">HIST3192</a> 40

### **Assessment, progression and award**

11. Modules marked # must be passed at 40% or above in order to progress to the Ordinary Degree at the next Level.
12. Modules marked ∞ indicate that, at Level 3, all students must submit a dissertation in either Modern Languages or History.
13. Modules marked ~ must be passed at 40% or above. A mark of 30-39% cannot be compensated.
14. Candidates must select at least 100 credits, but no more than 140 credits, from modules offered by each Board of Studies over Level 2 and Level 3, including at least 40 credits from each Board of Studies in each Level.