

## MAEL Curricular Design

### I. STUDENTS IN THE THESIS OPTION SHOULD SATISFY THE FOLLOWING REQUIREMENTS:

- **6 credits of core methodology courses** (Ingl 5015 English and American Literary Criticism; Ingl 6605 Research Methods in Literature)
- **At least 15 credits in Period courses: courses to be taken from at least 5 out of 6 periods\***
  - **Period 1:** Ingl 6478 Old English Language and Literature
  - **Period 2:** Ingl 6247 Sixteenth-Century Literature; Ingl 6441 Shakespeare: Texts and Contexts
  - **Period 3:** Ingl 6479 Neoclassical Literature; Ingl 6487 The Romantic Movement: The First Generation; Ingl 6076 The Romantic Movement: The Second Generation; Ingl 6448 The Victorian Novel; Ingl 6477 Victorian Poetry and Prose
  - **Period 4:** Ingl 6059 Early American Literature to 1820
  - **Period 5:** Ingl 6476 Fiction 1900-1945, Ingl 6075 Drama from 1880-1945
  - **Period 6:** Poetry since 1945
- **9 credits to be distributed among topic courses, or additional Period courses, if students wish to obtain greater depth in a particular period. Up to 9 credits may be taken from other areas: courses from the English MAEE.** (Ingl 6516 Puerto Rican Literature in English; Ingl 6518 Literature of the Anglophone Caribbean; Ingl 6526 Postcolonial Theory and Literature from British Postcolonies; Ingl 6527 Novels from the British Isles; Ingl 6997 Topics in a Genre or Mode; Ingl 6009 Models for Teaching Literature)
- **At most 6 credits in 6999** (INGL 6999 Master's thesis)

### II. STUDENTS IN THE EXAM OPTION SHOULD SATISFY THE FOLLOWING REQUIREMENTS:

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\*The six periods have been defined as the following:

Period 1: Old and Middle English

Period 2: Shakespeare and the Renaissance to 1660

Period 3: British Literature from 1660-1900

Period 4: American Literature till 1900

Period 5: The Twentieth Century through World War II

Period 6: Literature since World War II