MA Translation and Adaptation Studies

PROGRAMME INFORMATION

All new students take two 30-credit compulsory modules, **Translation Studies I: Problems, Theories, Terms** and **Adaptation in Theory and Practice** in Semester 1

**Full-time students** will complete 180 credits in total comprising of the above 60 credits of compulsory modules (Semester 1), 60 credits of optional modules (Semester 2), and a 60-credit dissertation or practice project.

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| Compulsory | COM7210 Translation Studies I: Problems, Theories, Terms (30 credits, Semester 1)  COM7212 Adaptation in Theory and Practice (30 credits, Semester 1) |
| Core | **You will choose one of the following supervised projects**:  COM7215 Translation and Adaptation Research Dissertation (60 credits)  COM7216 Translation and Adaption Studies Practice Project (60 credits) |
| Elective | **You will choose**:  Optional modules (60 credits, Semester 2) |

**Elective Choices** – You can also choose to take 30 credits of Level 7 options from the Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences with your **Advisors Permission**. Please be aware that selecting modules from outside of your programme and the School, is a request. We cannot guarantee that you will be placed onto these modules as they may be subject to meeting a pre-requisite or having space available.

**MODULE REGISTRATION**

### **How do I register for my modules?**

You will register for your modules using [MySIS](https://mysis.qmul.ac.uk/). The Module Registration Task will become available to you after you have completed the Pre-Enrolment task. Please log in and select the 'Module Registration' option. Your core or compulsory modules may have already been pre-selected for you and they cannot be changed.

Before you start making module selections in MySIS please read the guidance below.

When you come to select the elective modules that you want to take you will be able to review the description of a module within MySIS by clicking on the module name.

It is not possible to submit or approve a partial module selection, so make sure you have selected modules from both Semesters.

**Please submit your selections in MySIS by 19th September 2025**.

Your submission will be considered after this date in the School’s approval process and may not be confirmed until after the Induction Meeting, where you will also be allocated an academic adviser who can offer further advice on your choice of elective modules.

Some modules may become over or under subscribed, so you may be asked to change your selection at that time. You can request changes to approved modules within the first two weeks of Semester 1 using the same MySIS task.

To make this process easier, we will ask you to provide us with some reserve modules. When you submit your main selection of modules, MySIS will open a new screen for you to select your reserves. You will need to select the required number of reserve modules from each selection box to be able to complete the submission.

Please consider your reserve modules carefully and ensure they are modules you would be happy to take. We will make every effort to allocate you to your first-choice modules, but this may not always be possible.

Access to materials in QMplus (online learning environment) will be available within 24 hours of your module registration being approved.

**Guidance on making your selections**

Please view the list of modules for your programme on the following page before making your selections in MySIS.

**Module descriptions** are available from the QMUL Module Directory at [**www.qmul.ac.uk/modules**](http://www.qmul.ac.uk/modules).

**Module timetables** are published from 1st September at [**timetables.qmul.ac.uk**](https://timetables.qmul.ac.uk/default.aspx)**.**

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| **MA Translation and Adaptation Studies**  **2025-2026** | | | |
| * Full-time students will take the two 30-credit compulsory modules (Semester 1) as shown on the list below. * You will **choose 60 credits of optional modules** (Semester 2) from the modules marked as Optional below. * You will also **choose a 60-credit dissertation or project** from the modules marked as Core below. | | | |
| **SEMESTER 1** | | **Selection** | **Credits** |
| **COM7210** | **Translation Studies I: Problems, Theories, Terms** | **Compulsory** | **30** |
| **COM7212** | **Adaptation in Theory and Practice** | **Compulsory** | **30** |
| **SEMESTER 2** | | **Selection** | **Credits** |
| COM7213 | Practical Translation Skills | Optional | 30 |
| COM7214 | Screenwriting: Prose to Film | Optional | 30 |
| SML7200 | Translation Studies II: Translation and its Technologies | Optional | 30 |
| **SUPERVISED PROJECT (you will choose one of the following):** | | **Selection** | **Credits** |
| **COM7215** | **Translation and Adaptation Research Dissertation** | **Core** | **60** |
| **COM7216** | **Translation and Adaption Studies Practice Project** | **Core** | **60** |
| **Please submit your selections using the Module Registration Task in** [**MySIS**](https://mysis.qmul.ac.uk/) **by:**  **19 September 2025** | | | |