

## Master's Programme in Area and Cultural Studies - Preliminary Teaching Programme 2025-2026

| Code     | Course title                                                          | Scope (cr) | Period(s) | Equivalencies                                                      | Implementation method                                                                     | Teaching language(s) | Open for exchange students                             |
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| ALKU-301 | Alue- ja kulttuurintutkimus tieteenalana                              | 5          | 1-2       | -                                                                  | kontaktiopetus, ryhmätyöt,                                                                | Finnish              | Not open for exchange students                         |
| ALKU-302 | Methods for Area and Cultural Studies                                 | 5          | 1-2       | ICE-3042                                                           | Online course (no specific time)                                                          | English              | Open for all exchange students                         |
| ALKU-303 | Mediatization and digital religion in Asia                            | 5          | 3         | ALKU-304, ALKU-AA311, ALKU-AA312, ALKU-AA316; TUM-3243; KUMA-US304 | Online course (no specific time)                                                          | English              | Open only for exchange students of the study programme |
| ALKU-304 | Islam ja nationalismi Etelä-Aasiassa                                  | 5          | 4         | TUM-3312, TUM-3243, TUM-3244 ja KUMA-US304                         | Contact teaching                                                                          | Finnish              | Not open for exchange students                         |
| ALKU-304 | Concepts of post- and de-colonial studies                             | 5          | 4         | ALKU-303                                                           | Online course (no specific time)                                                          | English              | Open only for exchange students of the study programme |
| ALKU-305 | Transcultural Flows and Asian Diasporas                               | 5          | 1-2       | ICE-GT323 + ALKU-303/305/AA312+AA313+AA315                         | Online course (no specific time)                                                          | English              | Open for all exchange students                         |
| ALKU-305 | Sustainable Stewardship of Nature and Indigenous Ecological Knowledge | 5          | 3-4       | <b>KUKA-103</b> ; KUKA-AL216; ALKU-EH514 ALKU-EH513 ALKU-EH512     | Online course (no specific time)                                                          | English              | See KUKA                                               |
| ALKU-306 | Tutkielmaseminaari: Islamilainen teologia ja islamin tutkimus         | 5          | 1-4       | <b>TUM-3108</b>                                                    | Contact teaching                                                                          | English              | Not open for exchange students                         |
| ALKU-306 | Tutkielmaseminaari: Euroopan kulttuurien tutkimus, jatkava ryhmä      | 5          | 1-2       | -                                                                  | Contact teaching, intensiivipäivä klo 10-15 kerran kuussa (syyskuu-joulukuu) perjantaisin | Finnish              | Not open for exchange students                         |
| ALKU-306 | Tutkielmaseminaari: Euroopan kulttuurien tutkimus, aloittava ryhmä    | 5          | 3-4       | -                                                                  | Contact teaching                                                                          | Finnish              | Not open for exchange students                         |
| ALKU-306 | Tutkielmaseminaari: Lähi-idän tutkimus, jatkava ryhmä                 | 5          | 1-2       | -                                                                  | Contact teaching                                                                          | Finnish              | Not open for exchange students                         |

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| ALKU-306   | Thesis Seminar: Asian Studies                                                  | 5 | 3-4 | -                                                      | Contact teaching                                 | English         | Not open for exchange students                         |
| ALKU-306   | Tutkielmaseminaari: Lähi-idän tutkimus, aloittava ryhmä                        | 5 | 3-4 | -                                                      | Contact teaching                                 | Finnish         | Not open for exchange students                         |
| ALKU-306   | Tutkielmaseminaari: Latinalaisen Amerikan tutkimus & Pohjois-Amerikan tutkimus | 5 | 3-4 | -                                                      | Contact teaching                                 | suomi, englanti | Not open for exchange students                         |
| ALKU-AA311 | Modern Korean Identity: National History, Religion and Public Discourse        | 5 | 3-4 | ALKU-303, ALKU-304, ALKU-AA311, ALKU-AA313, ALKU-AA315 | Contact teaching                                 | English         | Open only for exchange students of the study programme |
| ALKU-AA312 | Ks. ALKU-303                                                                   | 5 | -   | -                                                      | -                                                | -               | -                                                      |
| ALKU-AA313 | Mandarin Travel and Cross-Border Cultural Writing                              | 5 | 4   | KIM-AA304, KIM-AA305, KIM-AA306                        | Blended teaching (contact and distance teaching) | English         | Open only for exchange students of the study programme |
| ALKU-AA314 | Governance and Politics in China                                               | 5 | 2   | ALKU-AA316, ALKU 303                                   | Blended teaching (contact and distance teaching) | English         | Not open for exchange students                         |
| ALKU-AA314 | Consumption in East Asian Economies                                            | 5 | 3   | ALKU-AA316, ALKU-331                                   | Online course (no specific time)                 | English         | Open only for exchange students of the study programme |
| ALKU-AA315 | Ks. ALKU-305, ALKU-AA311                                                       | 5 | -   | -                                                      | -                                                | -               | -                                                      |
| ALKU-AA316 | Ks. ALKU-303, ALKU-AA314                                                       | 5 | -   | -                                                      | -                                                | -               | -                                                      |
| ALKU-E311  | -                                                                              | 5 | -   | -                                                      | -                                                | -               | -                                                      |
| ALKU-E312  | Ks. alla                                                                       | 5 | -   | -                                                      | -                                                | -               | -                                                      |
| ALKU-E313  | Ks. alla                                                                       | 5 | -   | -                                                      | -                                                | -               | -                                                      |
| ALKU-E314  | -                                                                              | 5 | -   | -                                                      | -                                                | -               | -                                                      |
| ALKU-E315  | Ks. alla                                                                       | 5 | -   | -                                                      | -                                                | -               | -                                                      |
| ALKU-E316  | -                                                                              | 5 | -   | -                                                      | -                                                | -               | -                                                      |
| ALKU-E317  | Ks. alla                                                                       | 5 | -   | -                                                      | -                                                | -               | -                                                      |
| ALKU-E318  | -                                                                              | 5 | -   | -                                                      | -                                                | -               | -                                                      |
| ALKU-E319  | -                                                                              | 5 | -   | -                                                      | -                                                | -               | -                                                      |
| ALKU-E320  | Sound Studies Workshop                                                         | 5 | 3-4 | REE-521, REE-543                                       | Contact teaching                                 | English/suomi   | Open for all exchange students                         |
| ALKU-E321  | Ks. alla                                                                       | 5 | -   | -                                                      | -                                                | -               | -                                                      |
| ALKU-E322  | -                                                                              | 5 | -   | -                                                      | -                                                | -               | -                                                      |

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| ALKU-EH511   | Environmental Humanities Forum                                  | 5 | 1-4 | ALKU-305                                                                                                                                               | Self-study course | English | Open for all exchange students |
| ALKU-L3110   | Approaches to Latin American Studies                            | 5 | 2   | -                                                                                                                                                      | Contact teaching  | English | Yes                            |
| ALKU-L3120   | Keski-Andien arkeologian ja varhaishistorian erityiskysymyksiä  | 5 | 3   | -                                                                                                                                                      | Contact teaching  | Finnish | Not open for exchange students |
| ALKU-L3130   | Yhdysvaltojen ja Latinalaisen Amerikan suhteet                  | 5 | 4   | -                                                                                                                                                      | Contact teaching  | Suomi   | Not open for exchange students |
| ALKU-L314    | Identity in Brazil                                              | 5 | 2   | ALKU-L3130, KIM-PO307, KIM-PO308, KIM-PO001, KIM-PO002, KIM-PO003 and ICE-GT321                                                                        | Contact teaching  | English | Open for all exchange students |
| ALKU-L3150   | Monuments, Colonialism, and Contested Public Spaces             | 5 | 1   | ALKU-303, ALKU-L3120, ALKU-L3170, ALKU-L317, ALKU-E320, ALKU-P315, ICE-GT322, KUMA-501, KUMA-502, KUMA-503, HISM-321, HISM-321, KUMA-TA302, KUMA-TA313 | Online            | English | Yes                            |
| ALKU-L3160   | -                                                               | 5 | -   | -                                                                                                                                                      | -                 | -       | -                              |
| ALKU-L3170   | Arts and Politics in Latin America: from Muralism to Street Art | 5 | 3   | ALKU-L3120                                                                                                                                             | Contact teaching  | English | Yes                            |
| ALKU-L318    | Race in Latin America: The Brazilian case                       | 5 | 1   | ALKU-L314, ALKU-L3120, ICE-GT321                                                                                                                       | Contact teaching  | English | Open for all exchange students |
| ALKU-LIJ311  | Lähi-idän kansainvälinen politiikka                             | 5 | 2   | -                                                                                                                                                      | Contact teaching  | Finnish | Not open for exchange students |
| ALKU-LIJ3112 | -                                                               | 5 | -   | -                                                                                                                                                      | -                 | -       | -                              |
| ALKU-LIJ312  | Ilm. myöh.                                                      | 5 | 4   | -                                                                                                                                                      | Contact teaching  | Suomi   | Not open for exchange students |
| ALKU-LIJ3122 | -                                                               | 5 | -   | -                                                                                                                                                      | -                 | -       | -                              |
| ALKU-LIJ317  | Haredijuutalaisuus: näkökulmia historiaan ja nykypäivään        | 5 | 3   | -                                                                                                                                                      | Contact teaching  | Finnish | Not open for exchange students |
| ALKU-LIJ3172 | -                                                               | 5 | -   | -                                                                                                                                                      | -                 | -       | -                              |
| ALKU-LIJ318  | Ilm. myöh.                                                      | 5 | 4   | -                                                                                                                                                      | Contact teaching  | Finnish | Not open for exchange students |
| ALKU-LIJ321  | Theories and Methods in Islamic Studies                         | 5 | 1-2 | -                                                                                                                                                      | Contact teaching  | English | Open for all exchange students |

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| ALKU-LIJ322                                         | -                                                                                          | 5 | -   | -                                                                        | -                                | -       | -                              |
| ALKU-LIJ323                                         | Vähemmistöjen oikeusoppi                                                                   | 5 | 3   | -                                                                        | Contact teaching                 | Finnish | Not open for exchange students |
| ALKU-LIJ324                                         | Suufipyhymykset ja -pyhäköt                                                                | 5 | 3   | TUM-3243, TUM-3244, TUM-3312                                             | Contact teaching                 | Finnish | Not open for exchange students |
| ALKU-LIJ324                                         | Persialainen runous ja islam                                                               | 5 | 4   | TUM-3312                                                                 | Contact teaching                 | Finnish | Not open for exchange students |
| ALKU-LIJ325                                         | -                                                                                          | 5 | -   | -                                                                        | -                                | -       | -                              |
| ALKU-P3110                                          | Ilm. myöh.                                                                                 | 5 | -   | -                                                                        | -                                | -       | -                              |
| ALKU-P312                                           | Ilm. myöh.                                                                                 | 5 | -   | -                                                                        | -                                | -       | -                              |
| ALKU-P313                                           | Osana kurssia "Pohjois-Amerikan ympäristöhistoriaa" ALKU-P315                              | 5 | 3-4 | -                                                                        | Contact teaching                 | suomi   | Not open for exchange students |
| ALKU-P314                                           | Rivers and Trails of North America: Gateways of Trade, Imperialism and Cultural Encounters | 5 | 4   | KUKA-AM503                                                               | Contact teaching                 | English | Open for all exchange students |
| ALKU-P314                                           | Lakota: History, Culture and Contemporary Life of an Indigenous people                     | 5 | 1   | KUKA-AM507                                                               | Contact teaching                 | English | Open for all exchange students |
| ALKU-P315                                           | Pohjois-Amerikan ympäristöhistoriaa                                                        | 5 | 3-4 | ALKU-P314, ALKU-P316, ALKU-EH512-515                                     | Contact teaching                 | Finnish | Not open for exchange students |
| ALKU-P316                                           | Hidden in Plain Sight: Minority Perspectives on American Popular Culture                   | 5 | 3-4 | KUKA?                                                                    | Contact teaching                 | English | Open for all exchange students |
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| <b>Muiden ohjelmien järjestämä soveltuva opetus</b> |                                                                                            |   |     |                                                                          |                                  |         |                                |
| KIM-KY336                                           | Gender and Identity in African Literatures                                                 | 5 | 3-4 | ALKU-LIJ317                                                              | Contact teaching                 | English | Open for all exchange students |
| KUMA-AR511                                          | Water Worlds                                                                               | 5 | 2   | ALKU-EH512/EH513/EH514/EH514, ALKU-302, ALKU-305, ALKU-AA315, ALKU-AA316 | Online course (no specific time) | English | Open for all exchange students |

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| HISM-312     | Modern Theoretical Discussion Pain in Nineteenth-Century Britain - Cultural Perspectives | 5 | 3      | KUKA-AL219, ALKU-E317, ALKU-E320 | Online course (no specific time)                 | English | Open only for exchange students of the study programme |
| ENS-305      | Nordic Societies and Cultures                                                            | 5 | 1      | ALKU-E312                        | -                                                | English | See ENS                                                |
| ENS-334      | Geopolitics and Cooperation in Norden from Scandinavianism to NATO                       | 5 | 3      | ALKU-E312, ALKU-E320             | -                                                | English | See ENS                                                |
| ENS-331      | Neoliberalism in Norden                                                                  | 5 | 2      | ALKU-E320                        | -                                                | English | See ENS                                                |
| ENS-330      | Nordic Colonialism                                                                       | 5 | 4      | ALKU-E321, ALKU-E317             | -                                                | English | See ENS                                                |
| ENS-328      | Football and society in Europe and Norden from the 1950s onwards                         | 5 | 4      | ALKU-E315                        | -                                                | English | See ENS                                                |
| ENS-339/H324 | Traces of past and present: A walking course                                             | 5 | 1-2    | ALKU-E317                        | -                                                | English | See ENS                                                |
| ENS-309      | Politics of the European Union                                                           | 5 | 2      | ALKU-E320                        | -                                                | English | See ENS                                                |
| ENS-H322     | How imperialism changed the world                                                        | 5 | 2      | ALKU-E321                        | -                                                | English | See ENS                                                |
| ENS-S322     | Populism, polarization and the media                                                     | 5 | 1      | ALKU-E315                        | -                                                | English | See ENS                                                |
| ENS-376      | Asylum and Europe - policies, narratives and experiences                                 | 5 | 3      | ALKU-E319, ALKU-E321, ALKU-303   | -                                                | English | See ENS                                                |
| REE-524      | Comparative Authoritarianism in Central Eastern Europe and Eurasia                       | 5 | 3 or 4 | REE-542, REE-541, ALKU-E313      | Blended teaching (contact and distance teaching) | English | Open for all exchange students                         |
| REE-541      | Ethnicity and Nationalism in Former Yugoslavia                                           | 5 | 4      | REE-542, ALKU-E313               | Contanct teaching                                | English | Open for all exchange students                         |
| REE-541      | Culture Wars in Europe: Navigating Political and Ethical Divides.                        | 5 | 1 or 2 | REE-543, ALKU-E313               | Blended teaching (contact and distance teaching) | English | Open for all exchange students                         |
| REE-542      | Extremism in Eastern Europe                                                              | 5 | 4      | REE-543, ALKU-E313               | Contanct teaching                                | English | Open for all exchange students                         |

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| REE-543 | Spatiality, Security and the Rule of Law: Western Balkan Responses | 5 | 3 | REE-541, ALKU-E313 | Contanct teaching | English | Open for all exchange students |
| REE-543 | Puolalaisen elokuvan analyysi                                      | 5 | 3 | ALKU-E313          | Contanct teaching | Finnish | Not open for exchange students |