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Honours in Department of Modern Greek and Byzantine Studies
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Overview
‘Honours’ is an intensive full-time year program of advanced study. It offers students the opportunity to explore in depth topics of their interest in Greek culture, literature, history or society. It offers additional skills and qualifications and makes you more competitive in seeking employment. It is an essential step for further study at Masters and PhD levels.

Entry requirements
Entry Requirements for Honours and Unit Descriptions of Honours Seminar and Thesis Units can be found in the Subject Area section for the Department of European Studies in the Arts and Social Sciences Undergraduate Handbook. Please also see the Sydney Courses Honours page for more information.

Students need to have completed a major in Modern Greek Studies with a credit average (of at least 70%).

Students whose bachelor's degree was undertaken at another university and students who completed their bachelor's degrees at the University of Sydney more than two years ago should contact the Honours Coordinator to discuss whether the classes they have taken are equivalent to these prerequisites.

Structure
The Honours program in Modern Greek Studies consists of:

1. Two seminars, one per semester, worth 20% each; and
2. A dissertation of 18000-20000 words on a topic of interest to the student, written under the guidance of one or more members of academic staff, worth 60%.
Seminars
Students should consult with the Honours Coordinator regarding seminar offerings in the current year.

Thesis
Students should contact the Honours Coordinator to discuss their preferred field of Honours study. The Chair of the Department will then be able to suggest the most appropriate member of staff within the department to supervise the dissertation.

The list below, whilst not exhaustive, gives an idea of the areas of interest of staff from the Department.

Prof Vrasidas Karalis supervises in The Relevance of Late Byzantine Art to Contemporary Artistic Movements * The teaching of Greek as a second language * The Fate of the Greek Minority in Asia Minor * Anthropological Readings of Nikos Kazantzakis and Patrick White * The Cyprus Question between 1930 and 1960 * Greek film and literature.

Dr Anthony Dracopoulos supervises in 19th and 20th Century Greek Poetry * Modernism *Post-war Greek Culture * Comparative Literature * The teaching of Greek as a second language.

Enrolment
In the first instance you should discuss your intention to apply for Honours with the Honours Coordinator. Once you have been accepted into the Honours program by the Honours Coordinator (or Coordinators for Joint Honours) please go to Sydney Courses and locate your Degree with Honours (e.g. Bachelor of Arts Honours). Click on ‘Apply’ on the right-hand side.

Please note: although there is a note below ‘Apply’ that indicates that the information is for prospective students, current students are also deemed ‘prospective students’ for Honours and therefore need to apply through Sydney Student.

Contacts
If you are thinking of undertaking Honours, contact the Honours Coordinator to discuss further your Honours year and to guide you in the selections of units of study.