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**Modulbezeichnung:** Core Module Culture (Core Cult) 10 ECTS  
 (Core Module Culture)

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Lehrende: Doris Feldmann

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Startsemester: WS 2016/2017	Dauer: 1 Semester	Turnus: halbjährlich (WS+SS)
Präsenzzeit: 36 Std.	Eigenstudium: 264 Std.	Sprache: Englisch

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**Lehrveranstaltungen:**

Vampires, Ghosts and Monstrous Doubles: Manifestations of the Uncanny in Victorian Fiction (WS 2016/2017, Hauptseminar, 2 SWS, Doris Feldmann)

**Hauptseminar**

Im Rahmen des Moduls ist eines der angegebenen Hauptseminare zu wählen. Dazu gehört das Selbststudium mit Kontaktzeit.

**Selbststudium mit Kontaktzeit**

Selbststudium im Teilfach mit Kontaktzeit (als Sprechstunde).

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**Inhalt:**

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**Lernziele und Kompetenzen:**

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### **Verwendbarkeit des Moduls / Einpassung in den Musterstudienplan:**

Das Modul ist im Kontext der folgenden Studienfächer/Vertiefungsrichtungen verwendbar:

[1] **English Studies (Master of Arts)**

(Po-Vers. 2016w | PhilFak | English Studies (Master of Arts) | Masterprüfung | Schwerpunkt Linguistics and Applied Linguistics | maximal 30 ECTS | maximal 20 ECTS aus Culture und Literature | Core Module Culture)

[2] **English Studies (Master of Arts)**

(Po-Vers. 2016w | PhilFak | English Studies (Master of Arts) | Masterprüfung | ohne Schwerpunkt | mindestens 30 ECTS aus Culture and Literature | Core Module Culture)

[3] **English Studies (Master of Arts)**

(Po-Vers. 2016w | PhilFak | English Studies (Master of Arts) | Masterprüfung | ohne Schwerpunkt | Mind. zwei Wahlpflichtfächer mit Hausarbeiten | Core Module Culture)

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### **Studien-/Prüfungsleistungen:**

Portfolioprüfung: Hausarbeit und Thesenpapier (nach mündlicher Präsentation) zu Core Module Culture (Prüfungsnummer: 40311)

Prüfungsleistung, mehrteilige Prüfung

Anteil an der Berechnung der Modulnote: 100%

weitere Erläuterungen:

Hausarbeit und Thesenpapier (nach mündlicher Präsentation)

Prüfungssprache: Englisch

Erstablingung: WS 2016/2017, 1. Wdh.: keine Angabe

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