Module name	The Sign, the Conscious and the Unconscious according to Julia Kristeva / Le Signe, le conscient et l'insconscient d'après Julia Kristeva
Erasmus code	
ISCED code	
Language of instruction	English or French
Website	
Prerequisites	None
ECTS points hour equivalents	Contact hours (work with an academic teacher): 30 Total number of hours with an academic teacher: 60 Non-contact hours (students' own work): 60 Total number of non-contact hours: 60 Total number of ECTS points for the module: 4 ECTS
Educational outcomes verification methods	Either an essay or an oral exam
Description	This course begins with the semiotics of Julia Kristeva: her concept of the linguistic sign. It proceeds to examine the conscious and unconscious in the theory of this thinker. Hers is a contribution to the investigation of the human mind, informed by Georg Wilhelm Friedrich Hegel, psychoanalysis and her own research, which should be taken into account by representatives of cognitive science; Kristeva refers to one of them: Zenon Pylyszyn and his "Computation and Cognition: Issues in the foundation of cognitive science." Her theory is everevolving as she is sensitive to the latest developments in the academia as well as individual and social life.
Practice	None