

AMERICAN LITERATURE

Bachelor in English and American Language, Literature and History Faculty of Liberal Arts

Course information

Bachelor year 2 12 HOURS Spring Semester 5 ECTS

Practical Sessions (TD)

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Course description

American literature from the end of the Civil War (1865) to the Second World War

This tutorial course examines American literature from the end of the Civil War (1865) to the Second World War, focusing on the interwar period – the Roaring Twenties, going up to the Great Depression. The play of influence between the US and Europe will be brought out, in addition to a regionalism witnessing to a uniquely American literary identity.