



General information	
Academic subject	Portuguese Culture
Degree course	L-12 Languages and Cultures for Tourism and International Mediation (Lingue e Culture per il Turismo e la Mediazione internazionale)
Academic year	2022-2023
Academic course	I
European Credit Transfer and Accumulation System (ECTS) 6	6
Language	Italian and Portuguese
Academic calendar (starting and ending date)	Second Semester (27.02.2023–19.05.2023)
Attendance	See article 4 of the "Course Guidelines" available on the Course webpage.

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Tutoring (time and day)	Wednesday, 10.30-13.00

Syllabus	
Learning objectives	The course intends to provide the student with a guide in the knowledge of Portuguese culture, retracing those steps in history that are at the origin of the characteristic and fundamental aspects of today's Portugal. At the end of the course the student must be able to describe and analyze cultural phenomena with autonomy of judgment and linguistic expression safety.
Course prerequisites	It is advisable, though not compulsory, that students have a general knowledge of European culture
Contents	The course of Portuguese Culture mostly focuses on some specific aspects of Portuguese literary and non-literary culture, and related contexts
Books and bibliography	Valeria Tocco, <i>Breve storia della letteratura portoghese</i> , Roma, Carocci José Hermano Saraiva, <i>Storia del Portogallo</i> , Milano, Bruno Mondadori José Saramago, <i>Cecità</i> or José Cardoso Pires, <i>Il delfino</i> or José M. Eça de Queiroz, <i>Il mandarino</i> Further anthological material will be indicated during the course and will be made available at the end of the course.
Additional materials	

Work schedule			
Total	Lectures	Hands on (Laboratory, working groups, seminars, field trips)	Out-of-class study hours/ Self-study hours

<b>Hours</b>			
150	48		102
<b>ECTS</b>			
6			
<b>Teaching strategy</b>			
		Lectures and Seminars involving lecturers in other disciplines in order to enhance an interdisciplinary approach to the course topics	
<b>Expected learning outcomes</b>			
<b>Knowledge and understanding on:</b>		Identify different aspects of Portuguese literary and non- literary culture and related contexts, including contemporary issues in the cultures of Portugal and of the Portuguese speaking countries; Analyse primary sources and identify the main features of different text types and literary genres in different cultural contexts; Identify the main methodologies for text analysis.	
<b>Applying knowledge and understanding on:</b>		Read and contextualise a cultural text, identifying its key features; Critically analyse the primary sources and apply the basic methods of inquiry and multimedia tools and to explore socio-cultural processes	
<b>Soft skills</b>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Making informed judgments and choices</i> identify the main cultural issues and text types in their historical evolution, focusing on Portuguese Culture</li> <li>• <i>Communicating knowledge and understanding</i> communicate in Portuguese in a range of specific themes and issues in the culture of Portuguese speaking countries</li> <li>• <i>Capacities to continue learning</i> recognise and critically reflect on the constant historical evolution of texts and forms; apply different tools and methods of inquiry and use the critical material provided to explore the socio-cultural processes at issue .</li> </ul>	
<b>Assessment and feedback</b>			
Methods of assessment		Oral presentation and discussion.	
Evaluation criteria		Will be assessed the ability to understand Portuguese essays and literary texts; the ability to interpret Portuguese-language texts; the capacity to recognize the social and cultural differences of Portuguese-speaking countries.	
Criteria for assessment and attribution of the final mark		The final grade will be the average of the scores awarded to the various skills verified during the oral exam.	
<b>Additional information</b>			
		Check Professor Ugo Serani's page for office hours and any notices about/during the course at the following link: <a href="http://manageweb.ict.uniba.it/docenti/serani-ugo">http://manageweb.ict.uniba.it/docenti/serani-ugo</a> .	