**Program Qualifications**

1. Students will have a specialist’s level of English.
2. Students will develop the skills learnt at MA level to a specialist’s level and will develop an awareness of the ethical dimensions of their area of study.
3. Students will be able to respond to and discuss literary and cultural works orally.
4. Students will learn how to be innovative and how to generate new forms of knowledge and modes of understanding.
5. Students will take an active role in ethical issues related to their area of study. They will take responsibility in matters of cultural heritage.
6. Students will have the ability to think analytically and express their judgements, especially in essay form.
7. Students will plan and contribute to academic, social and cultural events, taking responsibility, whether in teams or in individual work.
8. Students will learn to serve society by passing on knowledge in national and international research and educational platforms.
9. Students will have expert knowledge in literary genres and terms.
10. Students will be able to give up-to-date assessments of literary periods in English literature.
11. Students will have an ability to discuss culture in interdisciplinary social and political contexts in which knowledge, ideologies, and power relations operate.
12. Students will have knowledge of main research techniques and methods. They will be able to use contemporary information technologies in their research.
13. Students will be able to assess other literatures than English.
14. Students will have a background in literary theory.