

## Guidelines for ECLA students who have completed the Academy Year and would like to transfer into the second year of the B.A. programme.

It is possible for current and former AY students to apply for transfer to the B.A. programme. Students who are accepted will enter the second year, and credits earned in the AY programme will count fully towards the completion of the B.A.

This is possible within certain constraints deriving from the structure of the B.A. programme. The main points to take into account for students wishing to apply for transfer in 2009/2010 are the following:

- Transfer students will move into the second year of the degree programme, but the second year core courses will not be available before 2011/2012.
- All degree students are required to take a 'Domain Course', i.e. a year long course in one of their two chosen areas of concentration in each of their first and second years. Students who have attended the AY programme did not have an opportunity to take such a course.

Former AY students will therefore not be required to take a core course in their second year except in term 2 when they will be required to take an AY core course new to the programme. However, these students will be required to complete both their Domain Courses in one year. Otherwise, electives taken during the AY year will count fully towards the degree. In their 4<sup>th</sup> year, former AY students will also have the choice of taking the new second year core courses for elective credit.

### PROGRAMME OVERVIEW for former AY students transferring into the degree programme in 2009/2010.

#### 2009-10: Second Year

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3
¼	Domain Course 1	Domain Course 1	Domain Course 1
¼	Domain Course 2	Domain Course 2	Domain Course 2
¼	Elective 1	Core Course	Elective 1
¼	Elective 2	Core Course	Elective 2

#### 2010-11: Third Year

Students spend the third year of the degree programme studying or working somewhere else in the world.

#### 2011-12: Fourth Year

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3
¼	Individual Project	Individual Project	Individual Project
¼	Core Course	Core Course	Individual Project
¼	Reading Groups	Reading Groups	Individual Project
¼	Elective*	Elective*	Research Seminars

\* Students may opt for the second year core course in terms 1 and 2 instead of taking an elective.