## LSU PhD Program in Comparative Literature

The Ph.D. program is built around a core curriculum grounded in the history of literary criticism and theory. With the guidance of faculty, students develop their own degree plans and research agendas, meant to combine the study of literature, literary theory, language, philosophy, art, history, and other cultural phenomena in exciting, fruitful, and innovative ways.

Literature draws upon the strengths of its affiliated departments:

English, French Studies, Foreign Languages (Arabic, Chinese, Classics, German, Hebrew, Italian, Spanish),
Geography & Anthropology, History, Philosophy & Religious Studies, Theatre, Women & Gender Studies,
and more.

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Baton Rouge is Louisiana's "Capital City" and the hub of all things Louisiana. With a prime, central location—just an hour away from New Orleans and Lafayette—Baton Rouge is the perfect city to explore the eclectic culture of this amazing state. Nicknamed the "Red Stick," Baton Rouge houses over 300 years of history, much of which can be tasted in our delectable food, seen in our distinct architecture and learned through our unique culture.

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