

# 2023

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## Theory 2B (GRA-2-TH2B-18)

### General information

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Course ID

GRA-2-TH2B-18

Course type

Module

Credits (ECTS)

4 ECTS

Language of instruction

Dutch

Study Year

Year 2

Offered by

HKU Media

Contact time (hours)

39

Self-tuition (hours)

73

### Course information

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#### Content 1

This module focuses on critical thinking; you learn to take a position and express a well-founded standpoint. In classes and during self-study you will become acquainted with the current and historical discussions held in field of (applied) art and media. You will work on developing a critical reflective attitude.

Skills like critical reading, listening, watching, researching, writing and presenting form an important basis for reflective and editorial design, and they support the operation of a professional design practice. In this module you will work on developing these skills by reading and discussing texts, writing texts, giving feedback, presenting and making excursions.

On completion of the module, you are capable of questioning the goal of your actions and your position as a designer, and of adopting a standpoint about them.

#### Learning objectives

In this module:

1. you will further develop skills such as critical reading, thinking and writing
2. you will learn to question your own behaviour and take a well-founded standpoint on it
3. you will study the current and historical discussions held in the field of (applied) art and media, both in a professional and a wider cultural and social context, and how you can relate to them

### Competences

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## Competences

- 02. Capacity for critical reflection
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- 03. Capacity for growth and innovation
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- 04. Organisational skills
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- 06. Cultural and contextual awareness
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## Education forms

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### Information Instructional modes

At the end of the module you will have:

1. Read and studied a corpus of discipline-related discussions, and reflected on them both orally and in writing
2. Investigated subjects/themes or sub-areas more closely, digested them and worked them into a document (essay, review, etc.) or presentation

### Attendance / Participation requirement

Successful completion of this module requires active participation and visible commitment during the lessons. During the lessons, you will collaborate with other students and critically discuss each other's work, which offers a better learning experience. To realise the learning outcomes, at least 80% attendance and active participation are minimum requirements.

### Instructional modes

- Working group

## Assessment criteria

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You can demonstrate that you have gained insight in the topical and/or historical discussions that you studied. You can express the key points both orally and in writing, and reflect on them.

Your written or oral presentation demonstrates that you can adopt a well-founded standpoint, and defend it clearly and convincingly.

Your written and oral presentations demonstrate reflection on your research, your learning process and the application of theoretical insights.

Your process report shows that you can assimilate various forms of information and use them to support your own position or standpoint.

### Deliverable

The module is completed by a written or oral piece of work in the form of a review, argument, essay or presentation. In addition you will record what you read and studied in a work file. Reading reports and reflection on the research process form part of the assessment.

## Tests

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## Lecturer / Committee Assessment

### Lecturer Assessment

#### Participation requirements for interim examinations

Je hebt recht op deelname toetsmoment, en/of een herkansing van het toetsmoment als je voldoende aanwezig bent, en pro-actief meedoet.

Er volgt een herkansing als:

1. Het ingeleverde vereiste werk niet genoeg aan de gestelde beoordelingscriteria voldoet en het totaaloordeel niet van het vereiste niveau is. In dat geval zal de student een verbetering (adhv mondeling/schriftelijk gegeven feedback) moeten doorvoeren en het vereiste werk weer opnieuw presenteren (uiterlijk in het eerstvolgende herkansingsmoment).
2. De student niet op komt dagen bij de beoordeling, niet genoeg aanwezig is geweest, of te vaak/te laat naar de les is gekomen.

HKU Media hanteert de regel dat een student alleen aan een 2e of 3e beoordeling kan deelnemen als er een gegrondene reden is om de 1e beoordeling over te doen, namelijk in geval een beoordeling onvoldoende was of in geval een student vooraf heeft gemeld door ziekte of omstandigheden niet aanwezig te kunnen zijn. Mocht een student na drie keer geen voldoende beoordeling hebben, moet de module opnieuw worden gevolgd.

### Tests

- Test 1

Written test

Test weight

100

Minimum grade

A satisfactory result

Credits

4

Grading scale

Differentiated (VG, G, PASS, FAIL)

## Lecturers

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### Lecturer

- A van Haarlem
- K van der Heiden

## Contact person

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