

**Course title:** Introduction to Literary Theory

**Course code:** DF0811 (A)

**Type of course:** compulsory

**Level of course:** BA

**Year of study:** 1<sup>st</sup>

**Semester:** 1<sup>st</sup>

**Number of ECTS credits allocated:** 5

**Name of the lecturer:** Alexandru Călinescu

**Course objective:** Presentation of fundamental knowledge on the literary theory.

**Course contents:** Critical theory and literary history; theories of literature; position of literature; poetics – internal theory of literature; poetics of fiction.

**Recommended reading:** René Wellek, Austin Warren, *Teoria literaturii*, Bucuresti, EPLU, 1967; René Wellek, *Conceptele criticii*, Bucuresti, Editura Univers, 1983; Antoine Compagnon, *Le démon de la théorie*, Seuil, 1998; Gérard Genette, *Figures III*, Seuil, 1972; Vincent Jouve, *Poétique du roman*, A. Colin, 2001, 2<sup>ème</sup> édition

**Teaching methods:** interactive lecture

**Assessment methods:** final written examination

**Language of instruction:** French