

Rhaeto-Romance Language and Literature

Degree conferred

Philosophiae Doctor in Lingua et Litteris rhaeto-romanis / Doctor of Philosophy in Rhaeto-Romance Language and Literature (PhD)

Commencement of studies

An application for admission may be submitted at any time.

Regulation

<http://studies.unifr.ch/go/dGLfK> (French and German only)

Application procedure

Candidates with Swiss qualifications

<https://studies.unifr.ch/go/Uj3b4>

Candidates with foreign qualifications

<https://studies.unifr.ch/go/2KPbe>

that the following aspects are taken into consideration:

- A) general academic training
- B) thematic specialisation
- C) soft skills/basic competences

For parts A and B, the following study credits may be taken into account: visiting doctoral conferences, doctoral seminars and scientific workshops, taking part in a session with a presentation and writing a scientific article. For the thesis project, essential basic skills (part C) can be acquired by attending courses at the University of Fribourg and/or other universities.

Professors who are eligible to supervise theses

- Prof. Raphael Berthele

Areas of specialisation:

- Contact linguistics
- Variation linguistics
- Psycholinguistics and cognitive linguistics

Theses can be supervised in German, English or French.

- Prof. Alexandre Duchêne

Areas of specialisation:

- Critical sociolinguistics
- Language anthropology
- Language policy

Theses can be supervised in German, English or French.

- Prof. Matthias Grüner

Areas of specialisation:

- Synchronic and diachronic description of Rhaeto-Romance
- Variation linguistics
- Contact linguistics
- Sociolinguistics of the trilingual canton of Graubünden

Theses can be supervised in German, French or Rhaeto-Romance.

Studies organisation

Structure of studies

ECTS credits can be earned.

Doctoral school

<http://studies.unifr.ch/go/phd-multilingualism>
<http://studies.unifr.ch/go/phd-language-and-cognition>
<https://language.cuso.ch>

<http://studies.unifr.ch/go/fr-phd-comparative-literature> (French)
<http://studies.unifr.ch/go/de-phd-comparative-literature> (German)

Admission

In order to be admitted to a doctorate the candidate must have

When creating a specific project-related programme, bear in mind

been awarded an academic **bachelor's and master's degree** or an equivalent qualification from a university recognised by the University of Fribourg.

Before applying for a doctorate the candidate must contact **a professor** who would be willing to supervise the thesis work.

There is **no general right** to be admitted to a doctorate.

The respective conditions of admission for each doctoral study programme are reserved.

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<http://www.unifr.ch/phd>