

# Afdelingsleders Evalueringsnotat forår 2015

## Uddannelse (opdelt i BA, tilvalg eller KA): BA & BA-tilvalg

Uddannelsesnævn: Engelsk

Afdelingsleder: Jody Pennington

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Hvilken evalueringsmetode er anvendt:	Mid-terms were either oral or written; end-of-term evaluations were conducted online via Blackboard.
Hvilke konkrete kurser omfatter denne opsummering:	Alle BA, BA-tilvalg, International Communication in English
Beskriv 2 - 3 vellykkede forløb/forhold, der kan være inspiration for andre:	<p>A particular positive element of the evaluations related to the 2nd semester BA course British and Irish History and Society suggests an area of success that could inspire other courses: in their comments, students emphasized that one of the things they have learned most was how to analyze historical source material, a point that numerous students raised along side positive comments about the course content. This is worth highlighting because of the students at English have asked for greater focus on theory and method and this suggests (albeit indirectly) that this increased focus has benefits that the students recognize.</p> <p>Since greater emphasis on theory and method has been a focus area of the <i>uddannelsesnævn</i> with regard to <i>frafald</i>, it is worth noting that the 4th semester BA course Literatures in English 3:</p>

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Geography and Identity was also positively evaluated in this regard. For example, one student wrote "Receiving more critical theories, and a greater understanding of such." Equally important in relation to *dimensionering* has been career relevance; in the evaluations for this course, one student appreciated how the course "Connect[ed] texts to real incidents and events around the world."

Redegør for evt. forløb, der skal rettes op på, hvis de skal udbydes igen:

While the evaluations of the obligatory course "Studium Generale" suggest that the course has improved, students continue to remark on the lack of seminars.

Studium Generale will be in the 3rd semester of the new BA (2015) and will have a group exam, but it is still unclear if we will be able to have seminars for this course.

Anbefalinger til indsatsområder og særlige tiltag, som evalueringerne har givet anledning til:

As noted above, one of the challenges associated with *dimensionering* is the awareness of career relevance of various courses on the English BA. Comments on the evaluations suggest that the relevance is there, but that there is a need to be more explicit in connecting course material (or the degree as a whole) to aspects of career relevance.

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## Uddannelse (opdelt i BA, tilvalg eller KA): MA & MA-tilvalg

Uddannelsesnævn: Engelsk

Afdelingsleder: Jody Pennington

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Hvilken evalueringsmetode er anvendt: Online (SurveyExact) in final session or outside of class via Blackboard

Hvilke konkrete kurser omfatter denne opsummering: All courses on English's MA and MA Minor

Beskriv 2 - 3 vellykkede forløb/forhold, der kan være inspiration for andre: Cultural Industries and Creative Literatures at Work, which are both courses in the module "Applied Humanities," received several comments from students reflecting that the courses achieved their goal of being clearly related to career choices outside the teaching sector.

Redegør for evt. forløb, der skal rettes op på, hvis de skal udbydes igen: None.

Anbefalinger til indsatsområder og særlige tiltag, som evalueringerne har givet anledning til: None.

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