National Research Mordovia State University (MRSU) Faculty of Foreign Languages			
Course Name	Basics of Literary Translation		
Degree Programme	Master's Degree (Track "Translation Studies and Translation Practice (Romance and Germanic Languages)")		
Year of Study	2 year		
Semester	Spring		
ECTS (36 hrs per ECTS)	2 (72 hrs)		
Instructor(s)	Prof. Alina Ivleva, Associate Professor, Department of Speech Theory and Translation, Faculty of Foreign Languages		
Language of Instruction	English, Russian		
Course Requirements	At least B2 English Previously studied courses "Precise Vocabulary Translation ", "Translation of Scientific and Journalistic Texts", "Translation Practice".		
Course Overview	The course is intended to develop and consolidate the skills of students to recognize and correct errors in the translation of fiction texts, a reasoned justification for the need to make changes. The required level of Russian is up from B2+		
Learning Outcomes	 Consolidation of students' skills to conduct a post-translational analysis of the text of the translation of fiction in order to improve the quality of the translation text while maintaining the pragmatic potential as much as possible, taking into account the parameters of the communicative situation; Consolidation in students of the skill of following the literary norm of the target language: spelling, lexical, grammatical and stylistic; Development of students' skills of editing-processing when editing texts of fiction; Development of practical skills in working with a literary text, including the elimination of errors that occur during translation; Development of the ability to take into account the diversity of cultures in the process of intercultural interaction; Development of literary translation skills, taking into account the language requirements of equivalence (lexical, grammatical, syntactic and stylistic) and the needs of the participants in the communicative situation; Consolidation of skills in the use of information retrieval technologies and the use of automated translation programs. 		
Course unit contents	 Weeks 1-6. The genre specificity of literary text Weeks 7-16. Translation features of the of means of artistic expression Weeks 17-18. Preservation of the cultural potential of the original text in literary translation 		

Course Structure	Total number of contact hours: 28		
	• Lectures: 9		
	• Seminars: 18 hrs (9 seminars)		
	Individual consultations: -		
	Self-study: 44 hrs		

Teaching methods	Interactive lectures, discovery learning, cooperative learning, practical		
	learning		
Grading System (including segment percentage)	Oral Q&A sessions on lectures content (30%) Student presentation (10%) Three course tests during the semester (30%) Final oral test (pass-fail) (30%)		
Textbooks and Mandatory Reading	Student presentation (10%)		

Grading system				
Grade	No. of points	Description		
5	86-91	Excellent		
4	71-85	Good		
3	51 - 70	Satisfactory		
2	Below 51 point	Fail		