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Faculties of Humanities and Theology

## **ISLK13, Islamic Studies: Bachelor's Degree Project, 15 credits**

*Islamologi: Examensarbete för kandidatexamen, 15 högskolepoäng*  
First Cycle / Grundnivå

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### **Details of approval**

The syllabus was approved by The pro-dean for First-Cycle Studies at the Faculties of Humanities and Theology on 2016-05-23 to be valid from 2016-08-29, autumn semester 2016.

### **General Information**

The course is offered as a freestanding course. It may be included in a first or second cycle degree.

*Language of instruction:* Swedish

*Main field of studies*

History of Religions

*Depth of study relative to the degree requirements*

G2E, First cycle, has at least 60 credits in first-cycle course/s as entry requirements, contains degree project for BA/BSc

### **Learning outcomes**

On completion of the course, the students shall be able to

#### **Knowledge and understanding**

- account for specialised knowledge within the topic in Islamology chosen for the degree project
- summarise the current research situation of the chosen issue

#### **Competence and skills**

- independently identify, formulate and solve an issue of a scholarly nature
- independently seek, collect, critically interpret and discuss the information that is relevant for the chosen research assignment

- apply relevant methods and theories to address the problem formulation
- present, discuss and analyse in writing different positions and arguments in good Swedish or English
- use a system of referencing and bibliographies accepted within Islamology
- perform a critical review of another student's degree project

### **Judgement and approach**

- make assessments informed by relevant disciplinary, societal and ethical aspects within the field of religious studies
- assess the role of knowledge within religious studies in society and the responsibility of people for how it is used
- assess and specify their need of further knowledge in religious studies

### **Course content**

In the course, the student is to produce a Bachelor's degree project. The student chooses the specialisation of the project in consultation with the supervisor. The seminars mainly deal with methodological issues, drafts of papers and completed papers.

### **Course design**

The teaching consists of supervision and approximately 6 compulsory seminars.

Supervision is normally limited to the semester when the student was first registered on the course. Exceptions can be made if there are special grounds.

### **Assessment**

The assessment is based on the degree project, the student's defence of their degree project at a seminar and critical review of a fellow student's degree project. If there is no degree project to critically review at the time of assessment, the examiner can take a decision to allow the student to produce a written critical review rather than an oral one.

Passed degree projects at the Faculties of Humanities and Theology can be registered in the LUP Student Papers database if the student so wishes. The student is responsible for uploading the passed degree project as a PDF file in LUP student papers.

*Subcourses that are part of this course can be found in an appendix at the end of this document.*

### **Grades**

Marking scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction.

## **Entry requirements**

To be admitted to the course, the student must have passed History of Religions and Religious Behavioural Science: Method course (RHBC13) and Islamology: Level 3 (ISLC13) or the equivalent.

## **Further information**

1. The course is offered at the Centre for Theology and Religious Studies, Lund University.
2. It replaces ISLK10.
3. The course is module 3 of ISLK03.
4. The credits allocated for course content that in whole or in part is commensurate with another course can only be credited once for a degree. For further details see the current registration information and other relevant documentation.

## Subcourses in ISLK13, Islamic Studies: Bachelor's Degree Project

Applies from H16

1601 Degree Project, 15,0 hp  
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction