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Faculties of Humanities and Theology

NYGA12, Modern Greek: Level 1, 30 credits

Nygrekiska: Grundkurs, 30 högskolepoäng

First Cycle / Grundnivå

Details of approval

The syllabus was approved by the pro-dean for first-cycle studies at the Faculties of Humanities and Theology on 2012-02-08 and was last revised on 2016-02-18. The revised syllabus applies from 2016-02-18, spring semester 2016.

General Information

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

Language of instruction: Modern Greek and Swedish

Main field of studies

Modern Greek

Depth of study relative to the degree requirements

G1F, First cycle, has less than 60 credits in first-cycle course/s as entry requirements

Learning outcomes

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

Knowledge and understanding

- describe parts of modern Greek literature and literary history
- use appropriate terminology to account for modern Greek grammar
- account for the main contents of some works of modern Greek literature
- understand and account for aspects of Greek society and culture based on the texts used in the course

Competence and skills

- follow and understand modern spoken Greek in selected situations
- communicate orally in modern Greek in everyday situations

- write simple texts in modern Greek
- apply modern Greek grammar
- use grammars and dictionaries to translate modern Greek prose texts of moderate everyday difficulty into Swedish

Judgement and approach

- provide a perspective on Greek society within a certain field and make a comparison with Swedish circumstances
- take a critical position on the sources studied within the course and on their acquisition of knowledge within modern Greek

Course content

In the course, students read the literature studied in both the original languages and in translation. Furthermore, the course includes expanded studies of modern Greek literary history and culture. In addition, students pursue their training in both oral and written language proficiency.

The course consists of the following modules:

1. Written Proficiency, 10 credits,
2. Demotic Literature, 10 credits,
3. Oral Proficiency, 5 credits,
4. Grammar, 5 credits.

Course design

The teaching consists of lectures, seminars and group exercises. In its online form, the course makes use of a learning platform. Students are required to participate under these conditions, and to have access to a computer with an Internet connection. The department will provide information about the technical requirements.

Assessment

The assessment of modules 1 and 4 is based on a written exam. The assessment of module 2 is based on both a written and an oral exam. The assessment of module 3 is based on an oral exam.

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.

For a grade of Pass on the whole course, the student must have been awarded this grade on all modules. For a grade of Pass with Distinction on the whole course, the student must have been awarded this grade on at least 20 credits and at least a grade of Pass on the remaining credits

Entry requirements

To be admitted to the course, students must have passed NYGA01 or the equivalent.

Further information

1. The course replaces NYGA02 and NYG612.
2. 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.
3. The course is offered at the Centre for Languages and Literature, Lund University.
4. Module titles in Swedish:
 1. Skriftlig språkfärdighet
 2. Dimotisk litteratur,
 3. Muntlig språkfärdighet,
 4. Grammartik.

Subcourses in NYGA12, Modern Greek: Level 1

Applies from V09

- 0901 Written Proficiency, 10,0 hp
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction
- 0902 Demotic Literature, 10,0 hp
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction
- 0903 Oral Proficiency, 5,0 hp
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction
- 0904 Grammar, 5,0 hp
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction