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Faculties of Humanities and Theology

ENGX64, English: Linguistic Option (91-120), 30 credits

*Engelska: Språkvetenskaplig inriktning (91-120 hp), 30
högskolepoäng*

Second Cycle / Avancerad nivå

Details of approval

The syllabus was approved by the programmes director by delegation from the pro-dean for first- and second-cycle studies on 2013-11-04 and was last revised on 2022-02-25 by The pro-dean for First-Cycle Studies at the Faculties of Humanities and Theology. The revised syllabus applies from 2022-02-25, autumn semester 2022.

General Information

The course is offered as a freestanding course for students requiring 120 credits to be admitted to top-up teacher training (KPU).

Language of instruction: English

Main field of studies

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Depth of study relative to the degree requirements

A1N, Second cycle, has only first-cycle course/s as entry requirements

Learning outcomes

On completion of the course the student shall

Knowledge and understanding

- be able to account for key issues and concepts in English linguistics,
- be able to account in depth for the areas of linguistics chosen for specialised study,

Competence and skills

- be able to independently formulate relevant research questions based on the required reading,

- be able to discuss linguistic issues in speech and writing, using appropriate terminology and sophisticated theoretical approaches,
- be able to summarise and describe in depth selected areas of English linguistics in both speech and writing,

Judgement and approach

- be able to distinguish between valid and invalid scientific arguments,
- be able to, informed by linguistic and scientific approaches, critically assess information and sources,
- be able to discuss language and linguistics in relation to wider society, addressing ethnicity, gender and class among other phenomena.

Course content

The idea of the course is to provide students with broadened and specialised knowledge of English and English linguistics without specifying the areas for broadened and specialised study. This means that the course leaves a lot of scope for the student to select courses in consultation with the director of studies of English (or an equivalent authority).

The course includes the following modules:

1. Elective Course in English Linguistics (7.5 credits),
2. Elective Course in English Linguistics or General Linguistics (7.5 credits),
3. Linguistic Paper equivalent to a One-year Master thesis (15 credits). Alternatively: Elective Course in English Linguistics (15 credits). Alternatively: Two or three elective courses in English or general linguistics, one of which must deal with language acquisition (15 credits in total).

It is recommended, but not compulsory, that at least one of modules 1-3 above is concerned with language acquisition and that one module is concerned with sociolinguistics and/or language variation.

The elective courses are normally to be selected among the second-cycle courses offered at Lund University but courses in other cycles can also be selected, subject to an agreement with the director of studies of English (or an equivalent authority).

Any elective courses in General Linguistics must be taught in English and at least to some extent address the English language.

Course design

Teaching normally takes the form of seminars and independent study, in accordance with the course syllabi of the elective courses.

Assessment

1. in accordance with the relevant course syllabus
2. in accordance with the relevant course syllabus
3. Paper and critical review in conjunction with a final seminar if the students chooses Linguistic Paper (15 credits) In all other cases, in accordance with the relevant course syllabus.

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.

The examiner, in consultation with Disability Support Services, may deviate from the regular form of examination in order to provide a permanently disabled student with a form of examination equivalent to that of a student without a disability.

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, students must have been awarded this grade on all modules. For a grade of Pass with Distinction, students must have been awarded this grade on 22.5 credits available on the course and a grade of Pass on the remaining credits.

Entry requirements

To be admitted to the course students must have 90 credits in English specialising in linguistics.

Further information

1. The course is offered at the Centre for Languages and Literature, Lund University.
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. Module titles in Swedish:
 1. Valbar kurs i engelsk språkvetenskap (7,5hp),
 2. Valbar kurs i engelsk eller allmän språkvetenskap (7,5hp),
 3. Språkvetenskaplig uppsats (15hp), alternativt valbar kurs i engelsk språkvetenskap (15hp), alternativt två eller tre valbara kurser i engelsk eller allmän språkvetenskap, varav minst en måste behandla språkinläring (15hp sammanlagt).

Subcourses in ENGX64, English: Linguistic Option (91-120)

Applies from H22

- 2201 Elective Course in English Linguistics, 7,5 hp
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction
- 2202 Elective Course in English or General Linguistics, 7,5 hp
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction
- 2203 Linguistic Essay, 15,0 hp
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction
- 2204 Elective Course in English Linguistics, 15,0 hp
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction
- 2205 Elective Course in English or General Linguistics, 15,0 hp
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction
- 2206 Elective Course in English or General Linguistics, 7,5 hp
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction
- 2207 Elective Course in English or General Linguistics, 7,5 hp
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction
- 2208 Elective Course in English or General Linguistics, 5,0 hp
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction
- 2209 Elective Course in English or General Linguistics, 5,0 hp
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction
- 2210 Elective Course in English or General Linguistics, 5,0 hp
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction

Applies from H13

- 1310 Elective Course in English Linguistics, 7,5 hp
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction
- 1320 Elective Course in English or General Linguistics, 7,5 hp
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction
- 1331 Linguistic Essay, 15,0 hp
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction
- 1332 Elective Course in English Linguistics, 15,0 hp
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction
- 1333 Elective Courses in English or General Linguistics, 15,0 hp
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction