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UNIVERSITY

Faculties of Humanities and Theology

ETNB03, Ethnology: Rituals, Conceptions and Oral Narrative, 15 credits

*Etnologi: Ritualer, föreställningar och muntligt berättande, 15
höskolepoäng*
First Cycle / Grundnivå

Details of approval

The syllabus was approved by the programmes director by delegation from the pro-dean for first- and second-cycle studies on 2007-10-23 to be valid from 2007-10-23, spring semester 2008.

General Information

Subject: Ethnology

The course is offered as a single course. It can normally be included as part of a first or second cycle degree. With the approval of the relevant authenticating body, it can also be included in certain professional degrees.

Language of instruction: Swedish

Main field of studies

Ethnology

Depth of study relative to the degree requirements

G1N, First cycle, has only upper-secondary level entry requirements

Learning outcomes

On completion of the course the student shall

Knowledge and understanding

- demonstrate basic knowledge of folkloric concepts and perspectives as well as those belonging to other areas of culture studies
- be able to understand and explain the concept of culture in a manner relevant to the discipline of Ethnology

Competence and skills

- be able to carry out a scholarly analysis of cultural forms of expression and be able to present his/her own research findings and those of others both orally and in writing
- be able to identify, describe and problematise various folkloric genres

Judgement and approach

- demonstrate a basic ability to assess various social phenomena according to the principles of culture studies.

Course content

The course provides the students with an introduction to the genres and analysis of folklore and examines the oral histories, frames of reference and formalist behaviour of humans by taking a comparative approach to different periods.

The course consists of the following sub-courses:

1. Folklore: The Ethnology of Oral History and Rituals, 7.5 credits,
2. Folklore: The Analysis of Folklore, 7.5 credits.

Course design

Teaching consists of lectures and seminars. All seminars are compulsory.

Assessment

Examinations take the following forms: oral and/or written tests at the end of each sub-course or continuous assessment in the form of assignments which are discussed at seminars.

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.

To be awarded the grade of Pass on the whole course the student shall have at least the grade of Pass on all sub-courses. To be awarded the grade of Pass with Distinction on the whole course the student shall have the grade of Pass with Distinction on all credits of the course.

Entry requirements

General requirements for university studies in Sweden

Further information

1. The course replaces ETN033.
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 sub-course names in Swedish:
 1. Folklore: berättandets och ritualernas etnografi,
 2. Folkloristik: analyser av folklore.

Subcourses in ETNB03, Ethnology: Rituals, Conceptions and Oral Narrative

Applies from V08

- 0701 Examination, 7,5 hp
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction
- 0702 Examination, 7,5 hp
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction