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Faculties of Humanities and Theology

**EUHA02, European Studies: The EU and the European  
Integration Process, 7.5 credits**  
*Europastudier: EU och den europeiska integrationsprocessen, 7,5  
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 2023-03-07 to be valid from 2023-03-15, autumn semester 2023.

### General Information

The course is a compulsory component of the Bachelor of Arts programme in European Studies. It can normally be included in a general degree at both first and second cycle level.

*Language of instruction:* Swedish  
Occasional lectures in English may be included.

*Main field of studies*

European Studies

*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 students shall be able to:

#### Knowledge and understanding

- on a general level give an account of the history of the European integration process and the European Union,
- on a general level give an account of EU's institutions and present-day policy,
- give an account of and problematise current, European social issues such as national and ethnic identities, multilingualism, nationalism and xenophobia, migration processes and culture and social policy,

## Competence and skills

- write shorter written assignments that treat a delimited societal problem relevant to the contemporary cultural and socio-political development in Europe,
- apply humanities perspectives on the contemporary cultural and socio-political development in Europe,
- discuss political possibilities and problems related to the European integration process and the European Union,
- perform subject-related searches for information and master subject-related reference management

## Judgement and approach

- critically reflect on current themes such as nationalism, migration, identity, multilingualism and security and socio-political processes in present day Europe,
- relate critically to the construction of local, regional, national and transnational identities,
- reflect on the contribution of the humanities to the understanding of contemporary cultural and socio-political development in Europe.

## Course content

The course covers Europe's socio-political contemporary history with a focus on the European integration process and the European Union. The course addresses the EU's institutions and policies. The history of the European Union, its present day and future are discussed in relation to themes such as nationalism, migration, ethnic minorities, multilingualism, religion and security issues in present day Europe. Furthermore, important political and cultural demarcations in Europe, such as between west and east and between the national and the supranational, will be problematised.

## Course design

The teaching consists of lectures and seminars, some of which one or two of the seminars are compulsory.

If, due to circumstances beyond their control, such as accidents, sudden illness or similar, students are unable to carry out a compulsory component, the University is responsible for ensuring that an equivalent alternative or another time for the component is offered. This also applies to students participating in activities in an elected position as a student representative.

## Assessment

Assessment is based on a written take-home examination.

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

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This is a translation of the course syllabus approved in Swedish

Marking scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction.

## **Entry requirements**

General requirements and studies equivalent of the courses History 1b or 1a1+1a2 and Social Studies 1b or 1a1+1a2 from Swedish Upper Secondary School.

## **Further information**

- The course is offered by the Centre for Languages and Literature, Lund University.
- The number of credits allocated for course content that is shared in whole or in part with another course can only be credited once for a degree.
- For further details, see current registration and information materials.

## Subcourses in EUHA02, European Studies: The EU and the European Integration Process

Applies from H23

2301 The EU and the European Integration Process, 7,5 hp  
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction