



**LUND**  
UNIVERSITY

Faculties of Humanities and Theology

## **ILHB11, History of Ideas: Global Culture - an Introduction to the Problems of Globalisation, 7.5 credits**

*Idé- och lärdomshistoria: Global kultur - en introduktion till globaliseringens problematik, 7,5 högskolepoäng*

**First Cycle / Grundnivå**

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### **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: History of Ideas and Sciences

The course is offered as a single course. It can normally be included as part of a general degree at the undergraduate or graduate levels. 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*

History of Ideas and Sciences

*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**

- be able to give a basic account of the role of globalisation in the history of ideas
- be able to identify the political and cultural movements which have arisen in connection with globalisation
- be able to describe both the ideas which have led to the globalisation of culture and the ideas which have arisen due to global culture and be able to demonstrate understanding of the differences between these

- be able to discern the processes of globalisation connected to modernisation and technological development which started in the history of ideas of the 19th century both in and beyond Europe.

### **Competence and skills**

- be able to formulate and define a research issue through the production of an assessed written assignment
- be able to analyse contemporary linguistic concepts found in the literature of globalisation in relation to their backgrounds found in the history of ideas.

### **Judgement and approach**

- be able to analyse and reflect critically on the phenomena of globalisation and its ideological, political and social power
- be able to express a viewpoint regarding the consequences of globalisation for the contemporary world.

### **Course content**

The course deals with ideas from various cultures in relation to their geographic areas, in particular using comparative studies between the globalisation processes of the western European and non-western European history of ideas. The course examines both the ideas which have led to the globalisation of culture and the ideas which have arisen due to global culture. Cultural phenomena affecting developments in the areas of technology and communication and which enable the interaction of distant cultures are studied thematically throughout the course.

### **Course design**

Teaching consists of lectures and seminars.

### **Assessment**

Examinations take the form of one or more assessed written assignments.

*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**

General requirements for university studies in Sweden

### **Further information**

1. The course replaces ILH420.
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. Together with other 7.5 credit courses making up a minimum of 22.5 credits, this course gives eligibility to ILHA11 History of Ideas, Level 1. These 7.5 credit courses can be selected from the following disciplines: General History of Ideas, General Cultural History and General History of Mentality with both a Western European and non-Western European specialisation.

Subcourses in ILHB11, History of Ideas: Global Culture - an Introduction to the Problems of Globalisation

Applies from H07

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