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Faculties of Humanities and Theology

ITAA02, Italian: Level 2, 30 credits
Italienska: Fortsättningskurs, 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 2011-05-11 and was last revised on 2023-03-12. The revised syllabus applies from 2023-03-15, autumn semester 2023.

General Information

The course is offered as a stand-alone course. It can normally be included in a general qualification for both first and second-cycle studies.

Language of instruction: Swedish and Italian

Main field of studies

Italian

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

- in Italian, give an account of Italian literary history from the 17th century until the 19th century,
- give an in-depth account of the structure of the Italian language and how it is used in different spoken and written situations,
- in Italian, describe essential parts of Italian contemporary history,

Competence and skills

- discuss Italian contemporary issues in both culture and literature in Italian,
- in Italian, account for selected grammatical, phonological and textual phenomenon in a contrastive Swedish Italian perspective,
- in Italian, make advanced analyses of structure, theme, style and context in

- literary and technical texts, orally and in writing,
- with the aid of a bilingual dictionary, translate different types of longer texts to Swedish,

Judgement and approach

- discuss and take a position on issues regarding Italian society and language from different perspectives
- assess their own need for further theoretical and advanced knowledge in the subject.

Course content

The course provides students with advanced written and oral language proficiency and specialised knowledge of the Italian language, Italian literature and Italian society, culture and history. Major emphasis is placed on the study and comprehension of texts. The course is more focused on knowledge of language and literature than the previous level and introduces research methodology.

The course consists of three modules:

1. Written Italian, 7,5 credits,
2. Spoken Italian, 7,5 credits,
3. Text and Literary history, 7,5 credits,
4. Culture, society and history, 7.5 credits.

Course design

Teaching takes the form of lectures and group exercises.

Module 4 contains a compulsory oral presentation.

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

The assessment of module 1 is based on a written assignment exam and a written exam;

Module 2: is examined through an oral exam;

Module 3: is examined through an invigilated written exam;

The assessment of Module 4 is based on a take-home exam.

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.

The grade of Pass on module 1 requires at least the grade of Pass on both the written assignment and on written examination. For the grade of Pass with distinction on module 1, the grade Pass with distinction is required on both the written assignment and on written examination.

For the 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 22,5 credits of the course's 7,5 credits and a grade of at least Pass on the remaining credits.

Entry requirements

Admission to the course requires ITAA01, Italian: level 1, or have equivalent knowledge.

Further information

- The course is offered at the Centre for Languages and Literature, Lund University.
- This course replaces ITA502.
- The course content corresponds to ITAA12, which is given as web-based distance course.
- 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.
- Module names in Swedish:
 1. Den skrivna italienskan,
 2. Den talade italienskan,
 3. Text och litteratur,
 4. Kultur och samhälle.

Subcourses in ITAA02, Italian: Level 2

Applies from H23

- 2301 Written Italian, 7,5 hp
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction
- 2302 Spoken Italian, 7,5 hp
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction
- 2303 Text Studies and Literary History, 7,5 hp
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction
- 2304 Culture, Society and History, 7,5 hp
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction

Applies from H07

- 0701 Written Italian, 7,5 hp
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction
- 0702 Spoken Italian, 7,5 hp
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction
- 0703 Textual Studies and Literary History, 7,5 hp
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction
- 0704 Culture and Society, 7,5 hp
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction