



LUND
UNIVERSITY

Faculties of Humanities and Theology

RYSA23, Russian: Specialisation, 7.5 credits

Ryska: Specialiseringskurs, 7,5 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 2017-04-18 to be valid from 2017-04-18, autumn semester 2017.

General Information

The course is offered as a freestanding course. It can normally be included in a first or second cycle degree.

Language of instruction: Swedish

Main field of studies

Russian

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

- account for basic knowledge within a chosen specialisation

Competence and skills

- refer to and critically assess a few relevant sources within a chosen specialisation
- execute a minor research assignment of an investigative nature within a chosen specialisation

Judgement and approach

- identify their need of further knowledge in order to develop their skills within the research area of the chosen specialisation

Course content

The course includes study of a selection of theories and methodological approaches (including hermeneutics, narratology, semiotics and translation theory). The next step involves examining the application of the theories and methods in studies within one of the areas of fiction, documentary prose, cultural history or translation. As a part of this study, the students are to write a summary of 3–4 articles within one of these areas of analysis, resulting in a research plan in which an independent question within a chosen field is defined. Finally, the students are to use this research plan to write a minor paper in order to prepare for the coming Bachelor's degree project.

Course design

The course consists of lectures and 3–5 compulsory seminars. Components involving peer review may also be included.

Assessment

The assessment is based on 3–5 seminars, 2–4 summaries, a research plan and a minor paper.

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.

The examiner may deviate from the regular form of assessment if it cannot be implemented during a re-examination, and if it complies with the learning outcomes of the course.

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 with Distinction on the whole course, the student must have been awarded this grade on all components.

Entry requirements

To be admitted to the course, students must have passed RYSA01 or the equivalent.

Further information

1. The course is offered at the Centre for Languages and Literature, Lund University.
2. The course is a module of the course Russian: Level 2 (RYSA20).
3. 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.

Subcourses in RYSA23, Russian: Specialisation

Applies from H17

1701 Specialisation, 7,5 hp
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction