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Faculties of Humanities and Theology

## SPAC12, Spanish: Preparatory Course, 15 credits

*Spanska: Preparandkurs, 15 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 2019-11-11 to be valid from 2019-11-11, autumn semester 2020.

### General Information

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

*Language of instruction:* Spanish and Swedish

*Main field of studies*

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*Depth of study relative to the degree requirements*

GXX, First cycle, in-depth level of the course cannot be classified

### Learning outcomes

On completion of the course, the students shall be able to

#### Knowledge and understanding

- describe some common grammatical structures in Spanish with appropriate terminology and compare them with Swedish
- describe in Spanish some important features of Spanish and Latin-American culture and compare them with the Swedish situation
- provide a basic account in Spanish of language variation in the Hispanophone world
- describe in Spanish the subject matter of texts in different genres

### Competence and skills

- communicate in speech and writing in simple and correct Spanish
- read and report in simple Spanish the subject matter of extended fiction and non-fiction texts in Spanish
- provide a basic account of varieties within the Spanish language and of the cultural diversity within the Hispanophone world

### **Judgement and approach**

- identify their need of further knowledge in Spanish

### **Course content**

The course provides students with further study of vocabulary and grammatical structures through the study of texts primarily on cultural topics. In addition to specialised text study, the course includes exercises in listening, speaking and writing in Spanish in communicative situations. On completion of the course, students shall be able to meet the requirements for higher education studies in Spanish based on upper secondary school studies.

The course consists of the following modules:

1. Spanish and Latin-American Texts and Written Proficiency I, 5 credits,
2. Spanish and Latin-American Texts and Written Proficiency II, 5 credits,
3. Oral Proficiency, 5 credits.

### **Course design**

The teaching consists of lectures and group exercises remotely supported by an online virtual learning environment. Students are required to participate under these conditions, and to have access to a computer with an Internet connection. The department will provide information about the technical requirements.

### **Assessment**

The assessment of module 1 is based on a written exam performed with digital tools. The assessment of module 2 is based on a written exam performed with digital tools. The assessment of module 3 is based on an oral exam performed in groups with digital tools.

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.

For a grade of Pass on the whole course, the student must have been awarded at least this grade on all modules. For a grade of Pass with Distinction on the whole course, the student must also have been awarded this grade for at least 10 of the

credits of the course.

## **Entry requirements**

To be admitted to the course, students must have passed SPAB11 Spanish: Beginners' Course or the equivalent .

## **Further information**

1. The course is offered at the Centre for Languages and Literature, Lund University.
2. This distance learning course corresponds to the course Spanish: Preparatory Course, SPAB12, 15 credits, that is taught on campus.
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. For further details see the current registration information and other relevant documentation.

## Subcourses in SPAC12, Spanish: Preparatory Course

Applies from H20

- 2001 Spanish and Latin-American Texts and Written Proficiency I, 5,0 hp  
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction
- 2002 Spanish and Latin-American Texts and Written Proficiency II, 5,0 hp  
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction
- 2003 Oral Proficiency, 5,0 hp  
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction