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Faculties of Humanities and Theology

SPAC13, Spanish: Practical Spanish Didactics, 7.5 credits

Spanska: Praktisk spansk didaktik, 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 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 first or second cycle degree.

Language of instruction: Spanish

Main field of studies

Spanish

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 different theories that have been developed within language didactics during the 20th century and up to the present
- account for different methods of teaching key aspects of Spanish language and culture in basic secondary and upper secondary school courses in Spanish

Competence and skills

- choose teaching methods for a certain component and a specific group in basic secondary and upper secondary school courses in Spanish and justify the choices
- discuss advantages and shortcomings of different teaching methods

- simulate a teaching component intended for basic courses in Spanish in a relaxed and correct way, using terminology that is appropriate for the classroom situation

Judgement and approach

- discuss and assess the efficiency of different teaching methods
- identify and assess their own need of knowledge in the area Spanish didactics

Course content

SPAC13 is an introductory course aiming to provide students with initial practical knowledge and experience of teaching Spanish. The course provides students with basic knowledge of the teaching of Spanish on basic secondary and upper secondary school courses and of specific ways of teaching key parts of the Spanish language.

Course design

Teaching consists of 6-8 lectures and live group discussions using digital tools. Attendance at a minimum of 80% of the lectures and participation in all group exercises are compulsory unless there are special circumstances.

Students who have been unable to participate due to circumstances such as accidents, illness or similar will be offered the opportunity to compensate for or re-take compulsory components. This also applies to students who have missed classes because of activities as a student representative. In other cases, there will be no opportunity to compensate for compulsory components.

The course is offered as a distance learning course and makes use of an online learning platform. 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

Assessment of the course is based on 2-3 written assignments and 1-2 oral presentations using 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, the student must have been awarded at least this grade for all the assessed components. For a grade of Pass with Distinction, the student must also have been awarded a grade of Pass with Distinction on at least half of the assessed

components.

Entry requirements

To be admitted to the course, the student must have successfully completed at least Spanish: Level 1, 30 credits, or the equivalent.

Further information

1. The course is offered at the Centre for Languages and Literature, Lund University.
2. The course corresponds to SPDA01.
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 SPAC13, Spanish: Practical Spanish Didactics

Applies from H20

2001 Practical Spanish Didactics, 7,5 hp
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction