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Faculties of Humanities and Theology

SPAM07, Spanish: Level 4 Specialising in Linguistics, 30 credits

Spanska: Påbyggnadskurs med språkvetenskaplig inriktning, 30 högskolepoäng

Second Cycle / Avancerad nivå

Details of approval

The syllabus was approved by The pro-dean for First-Cycle Studies at the Faculties of Humanities and Theology on 2015-04-13 to be valid from 2015-04-13, spring semester 2015.

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

A1E, Second cycle, contains degree project for Master of Arts/Master of Science (60 credits)

Learning outcomes

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

Knowledge and understanding

- account for key issues, methods and concepts within Spanish linguistics
- provide a specialised account of the fields within Spanish linguistics that the student has particularly chosen to study

Competence and skills

- use correct and varied spoken and written Spanish adapted to the situation, above all for discussions within linguistics
- independently and expertly formulate, solve and report a research assignment in Spanish linguistics within a predetermined time frame, applying scholarly concepts
- discuss in speech and writing their understanding of Spanish texts with considerable variation in content and language

Judgement and approach

- judge, compile and assess information from different sources for use in the degree project
- make assessments informed by relevant disciplinary, social and ethical aspects within the field of linguistics
- make a scholarly assessment of their own knowledge and skills in relation to the research field.

Course content

The course is intended both for students specialising in Spanish for their degree in Education and for students with other specialisations. It provides students with specialised knowledge of Spanish linguistics. Furthermore, students will become more familiar with the theories and methods of linguistics. Students are also to produce a degree project that is to be critically reviewed at a seminar. Throughout the course, students practise oral and written proficiency.

The elective courses are coordinated with the Master's programme in Language and Linguistics at the Centre for Languages and Literature and are selected in consultation with the lecturer.

The course consists of the following modules:

1. Elective second cycle course I, 7.5 credits,
2. Elective second cycle course II, 7.5 credits,
3. Degree project, 15 credits.

Students are allowed to select one elective course of 15 credits rather than two of 7.5 credits.

Course design

The teaching consists of lectures, seminars and individual and group supervision. It is compulsory for students to defend their own degree project and critically review the degree project of a fellow student.

Assessment

Module 1. Elective course I is assessed in accordance with the relevant course syllabus,

Module 2. Elective course II is assessed in accordance with the relevant course syllabus,

Module 3. The degree project is assessed on the basis of the defence seminar including the critical review of a fellow student's degree project.

Passed degree projects at the Faculties of Humanities and Theology can be registered in the LUP Student Papers database if the student so wishes. The student is responsible for uploading the passed degree project as a PDF file in LUP student papers.

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.

To be awarded a grade of Pass on the course, the student must have been awarded at least the grade of Pass on all modules. To be awarded a grade of Pass with Distinction on the course, the student must have been awarded this grade on the degree project.

Entry requirements

To be admitted to the course, the student must have passed the course Spanish: Level 3, SPAK01, Spanish III, ÄSPA51, Spanish: Level 3, SPAA03 or the equivalent.

Further information

1. The course is offered at the the Centre for Languages and Literature, Lund University.
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. The course is intended both for students specialising in education and for students with other specialisations.
4. Module titles in Swedish:
 1. Valbar kurs I på avancerad nivå,
 2. Valbar kurs II på avancerad nivå,
 3. Examensarbete.

Subcourses in SPAM07, Spanish: Level 4 Specialising in Linguistics

Applies from H18

- 1801 Elective Course I in Spanish Linguistics, 7,5 hp
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction
- 1802 Elective Course II in Spanish Linguistics, 7,5 hp
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction
- 1803 Linguistic Essay, 15,0 hp
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction

Applies from V15

- 1501 Elective Course I in Spanish Linguistics, 7,5 hp
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction
- 1502 Elective Course II in Spanish Linguistics, 7,5 hp
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction
- 1503 Linguistic Essay, 15,0 hp
Grading scale: Fail, Pass