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Faculties of Humanities and Theology

SVEG35, Language Consultancy: Swedish as a Second Language, 7.5 credits

Språkkonsult: Svenska som andraspråk, 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 2022-05-10 to be valid from 2022-05-10, autumn semester 2022.

General Information

The course is a compulsory course in the Bachelor of Arts programme in Language Consultancy. It can be included in a first or second-cycle degree.

Language of instruction: Swedish

Main field of studies

Swedish with specialization in Language Consultancy

Depth of study relative to the degree requirements

G2F, First cycle, has at least 60 credits in first-cycle course/s as entry requirements

Learning outcomes

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

Knowledge and understanding

- account for and discuss basic concepts in multicultural and multilingual discourse and how attitudes influence the conception of them,
- account for basic concepts and theories in second language learning,
- account for the structure of Swedish from a contrastive perspective,
- account for basic traits of the language development of adult second language learners,

Competence and skills

- analyse authentic second language texts with regard to lexical, syntactical and morphological aspects of Swedish,

- use knowledge of the linguistic development of learners of Swedish as a second language in order to propose measures for language development,

Judgement and approach

- evaluate and take a position on established theories in second language learning.

Course content

The course provides students with an introduction to Swedish as a second language based on concepts and theories of second language learning. Emphasis is placed on the identification of linguistic development and typical traits of adult second language speakers of Swedish. This provides students with tools to understand and describe the second language skills of adults and work actively with language development so that they can prepare themselves for their future role as language consultants in linguistically heterogeneous work environments.

Course design

Teaching consists of lectures and three to five compulsory seminars that require active participation.

If, due to circumstances beyond their control, for example 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 is based on a written 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.

To be awarded a grade of Pass, students must have participated actively in the compulsory seminars and passed the written take-home exam. To be awarded the grade of Pass with Distinction, students must have participated actively in the compulsory seminars and achieved this grade on the written take-home exam.

Entry requirements

To be admitted to the course, students must have 60 credits in Swedish, of which at least 15 credits in grammar and 15 credits in textual analysis and 7.5 credits in socio-

linguistics.

Further information

1. The course is offered at the Centre for Languages and Literature, Lund University.
2. This course replaces SVEG42 Language Consultancy: Swedish as Second Language, 7.5 credits, and both these courses cannot be included in one and the same qualification.
3. For further details, see the current registration information and other relevant documentation.

Subcourses in SVEG35, Language Consultancy: Swedish as a Second Language

Applies from H22

2201 Swedish as a Second Language, 7,5 hp
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction