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UNIVERSITY

Faculties of Humanities and Theology

## **YIDB03, Yiddisch: History of the Jews in Sweden, 7.5 credits**

*Jiddisch: Judisk historia i Sverige, 7,5 högskolepoäng*

First Cycle / Grundnivå

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### **Details of approval**

The syllabus was approved by the programmes director by delegation from the pro-dean for first- and second-cycle studies on 2008-06-17 to be valid from 2008-06-17, autumn semester 2008.

### **General Information**

Subject: Yiddish

The course is offered as a single course. It can normally be included as part of a first or second cycle degree. With the approval of the relevant authenticating body, it can also be included in certain professional qualifications.

*Language of instruction:* Swedish

*Main field of studies*

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*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 student shall

#### **Knowledge and understanding**

- be able to give an account of the key events in the history of the Jewish people in Sweden
- demonstrate insights into the basic terminology required to describe Jewish history, including relevant concepts and terms such as culture, acculturation and ethnicity
- be able to give an account of parts of the scholarly discussion on the concept of anti-Semitism.

### **Competence and skills**

- be able to discuss the history of the Jewish people in relation to the attitudes and reactions of the majority social groups in Sweden
- be able to reflect on the minority situation of the Jewish people in Sweden in terms of identification, integration and assimilation
- be able to execute basic searches for information on the subject in both physical and virtual libraries.

### **Judgement and approach**

- be able to approach source material of various types in a critical manner.

### **Course content**

The course provides the students with insight into Jewish immigration to Sweden from the 18th century until the forced migration of the second World War. A central part of the course is how the Jewish community has become established in Swedish society. The course also examines the anti-Semitic opposition experienced by the Jewish people in Sweden.

### **Course design**

Teaching consists of lectures, group discussions, and exercises in connection with the course literature.

### **Assessment**

Examination takes the form of a written assignment at the end of the course and continuous assessment in the form of, for example, home assignments and group discussions on prepared subjects.

*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.

### **Entry requirements**

To be eligible for the course students must have successfully completed YIDB02 or 30 higher education credits, or the equivalent.

### **Further information**

1. With the approval of the examiner, the course may constitute a sub-course of HISK01 or an in-depth course of JUDK01.
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.

## Subcourses in YIDB03, Yiddisch: History of the Jews in Sweden

Applies from H08

0801 Jewish: History of the Jews in Sweden, 7,5 hp  
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction