

Faculties of Humanities and Theology

ÖCKK01, Central and Eastern European Studies: Level 3 - B. A. Course, 30 credits

Öst- och centraleuropakunskap: Kandidatkurs, 30 högskolepoäng First Cycle / Grundnivå

Details of approval

The syllabus was approved by the programmes director by delegation from the prodean for first- and second-cycle studies on 2007-06-18 to be valid from 2007-06-18, autumn semester 2007.

General Information

The course is offered as a single course. It can normally be included as part of a general degree at the undergraduate or graduate levels.

Language of instruction: Swedish

Main field of studies	Depth of study relative to the degree requirements
Central and Eastern European Studies	G2E, First cycle, has at least 60 credits in first-cycle course/s as entry requirements, contains degree project for BA/BSc

Learning outcomes

On completion of the course the student shall

Knowledge and understanding

- be able to demonstrate in-depth knowledge of complex cultural and historical issues which are particularly relevant to Central and Eastern Europe
- be able to demonstrate a basic knowledge and understanding of scholarly theory and method, with an emphasis on aspects central to historical or cultural studies

Competence and skills

- be able to autonomously discern, formulate, and, from various perspectives, analyse scholarly issues, thereby demonstrating that he/she can apply a scholarly approach
- be able to demonstrate a well-developed ability to express him/herself both orally and in writing, in particular in scholarly genres
- demonstrate a well-developed ability to evaluate critically his/her own scholarly texts and those of others
- be able to search for, structure and give details on scholarly information relevant to historical and cultural studies and concerning Central and Eastern Europe

Judgement and approach

- be able to examine critically various types of information from within the subject area
- demonstrate a well-developed ability to assess his/her own work critically.

Course content

The course deals with selected theories and methods from the discipline of History and adopts a broad outlook to other disciplines. Students read scholarly works - both overviews and those concerning specific issues relevant to Central and Eastern Europe. The course literature examines various research traditions and theoretical schools. Students are expected to write a degree project on a subject chosen in consultation with the examiner, of approximately 30-40 pages in length. The project is then discussed critically at a seminar together with a previously appointed student examiner.

The course consists of the following sub-courses:

- 1. Method and Theory, 7.5 credits,
- 2. Literature Course, 7.5 credits,
- 3. Degree Project, 15 credits.

Course design

Teaching consists of seminars. Obligatory, assessed seminars are scheduled in all subcourses.

Assessment

Sub-course 3 is examined by the submission of a degree project which is discussed orally at a seminar. Performance in this seminar contributes to the final grade. In the remaining sub-courses, examination can take the form of assessed seminars, written and/or oral examinations, and written assignments.

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 Pass on the whole course the student shall have the grade of Pass on all sub-courses. To be awarded the grade of Pass with Distinction on the whole course the student shall have the grade of Pass with Distinction on the degree essay and least a grade of Pass on the remaining sub-courses.

Entry requirements

To be eligible for the course requires the successful completion of ÖCKA01, or the equivalent.

Further information

- 1. The course replaces ÖCK650.
- 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 sub-course names in Swedish:
 - 1. Metod och teori,
 - 2. Litteraturkurs,
 - 3. Examensarbete.

Subcourses in ÖCKK01, Central and Eastern European Studies: Level 3 - B. A. Course

Applies from H07

- 0701 Examination, 7,5 hp Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction0702 Examination, 7,5 hp
- Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction
- 0703 Examination, 15,0 hp Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction