

COURSE DETAIL

PHONETICS I: THE SOUNDS OF ENGLISH

Country

United Kingdom - England

Host Institution

University of London, Queen Mary

Program(s)

University of London, Queen Mary

UCEAP Course Level

Lower Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Linguistics

UCEAP Course Number

57

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

PHONETICS I: THE SOUNDS OF ENGLISH

UCEAP Transcript Title

PHONETICS

UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

This course gives students knowledge of the main processes of phonetic articulation (mode, manner, and place of articulation, airstream mechanisms, voicing, secondary articulations (velarization, palatalization, lip-rounding etc, vowel articulation including backness, height, and roundness, plus a basic understanding of tone and pitch). It also provides students with an understanding of how those processes are used in producing speech sounds, and with an ability to represent different sounds using an international standard (the IPA). In addition, students are able to discriminate sounds aurally, and produce them from IPA script. The course first focuses on the sounds of English before examining sounds that are used in the world's languages. This course is a pre-requisite for the Introduction to Phonology course.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

LIN4212

Host Institution Course Title

PHONETICS I: THE SOUNDS OF ENGLISH

Host Institution Campus

Queen Mary

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Languages Linguistics and Film

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