COURSE DETAIL

INTRODUCTION TO PHILOSOPHY OF LANGUAGE

Country

United Kingdom - England

Host Institution

King's College London

Program(s)

King's College London

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Philosophy Linguistics

UCEAP Course Number

131

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title

INTRODUCTION TO PHILOSOPHY OF LANGUAGE

UCEAP Transcript Title

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UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

This course is concerned primarily with the question of meaning: what is it for words or sentences to have meaning? In this course, students look at some of the most important theories offered by 20th-century philosophers in response to this question – theories that to this day continue to be hugely influential in linguistics and related fields. With each session focusing on the ideas of an individual thinker, students explore some of the most radical and provocative questions about language.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

5SSEL024

Host Institution Course Title

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Host Institution Campus

King's College London

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

bachelors

Host Institution Department

Philosophy

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