

# COURSE DETAIL

## ONE WORLD, ONE LANGUAGE

**Country**

Sweden

**Host Institution**

Lund University

**Program(s)**

Lund University

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Philosophy Linguistics Communication

**UCEAP Course Number**

142

**UCEAP Course Suffix****UCEAP Official Title**

ONE WORLD, ONE LANGUAGE

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

ONE WORLD/ONE LANG

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

6.00

**UCEAP Semester Units**

4.00

## Course Description

The course is an introduction to the central topics of the philosophy of language seen from a global, multilingual perspective. It focuses on the commonalities of the natural languages that allow them to generate meaningful expressions, to be about things in the world, and to influence and be influenced by what we think. Topics addressed in the course include the nature of meaning and reference, whether there is a universal language of thought, how language influences thought, if translation is really possible, whether we can have private languages, and how the languages of animals and machines relate to ours.

### Language(s) of Instruction

English

### Host Institution Course Number

SASH81

### Host Institution Course Title

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### Host Institution Course Details

<http://www.ht.lu.se/en/course/SASH81/>

### Host Institution Campus

Humanities and Theology

### Host Institution Faculty

### Host Institution Degree

### Host Institution Department

Special Area Studies

### Course Last Reviewed

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