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

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Host Institution Course Details
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Host Institution Campus
Humanities and Theology

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department
Special Area Studies

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