COURSE DETAIL

LANGUAGE AND COGNITION

Country

United Kingdom - England

Host Institution

University College London

Program(s)

University College London

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Psychology

UCEAP Course Number

116

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title

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UCEAP Transcript Title

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UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

This course explores how the human mind and brain understands and produces language in order to communicate. In addition to examining the language abilities of healthy adults, students examine bilingual speakers, patients with language deficits, and computational models that have been developed to explain these remarkable abilities. Students explore how these linguistic abilities relate to other cognitive abilities and examine how concepts and categories are represented, and the processes involved in different types of human reasoning. The course conveys the results and implications of recent research on central cognitive processes involving language, thinking, and the brain systems involved, and describes and discusses the relevant methodologies.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

PSYC0004

Host Institution Course Title

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Host Institution Campus

University College London

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Psychology

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