

COURSE DETAIL

INTRODUCTION TO HISTORICAL LINGUISTICS

Country

Germany

Host Institution

Humboldt University Berlin

Program(s)

Humboldt University Berlin

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Linguistics German

UCEAP Course Number

101

UCEAP Course Suffix

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UCEAP Official Title

INTRODUCTION TO HISTORICAL LINGUISTICS

UCEAP Transcript Title

HIST LINGUISTICS

UCEAP Quarter Units

4.50

UCEAP Semester Units

3.00

Course Description

The course introduces students to the academic field of historical linguistics, including its fundamental questions, research objectives, and complex methodology. The two major fields of historical linguistics are presented: the description and reconstruction of older documented and undocumented languages and the explanation of language change processes. In addition to the central theme of genetic language relationships (language families), areas and typological language similarities are also discussed.

Language(s) of Instruction

German

Host Institution Course Number

5220091

Host Institution Course Title

INTRODUCTION TO HISTORICAL LINGUISTICS

Host Institution Campus

SPRACH- UND LITERATURWISSENSCHAFTLICHE FAKULTÄT

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Deutsche Sprache und Linguistik

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