COURSE DETAIL

LINGUISTICS: SEMANTICS AND PRAGMATICS

Country

Sweden

Host Institution

Lund University

Program(s)

Lund University

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Linguistics

UCEAP Course Number

159

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title

LINGUISTICS: SEMANTICS AND PRAGMATICS

UCEAP Transcript Title

SEMANTCS&PRAGMATCS

UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

The course gives a basic understanding of concepts within the field of semantics and pragmatics using problem oriented exercises to highlight different traditions, including structural-typological semantics, logical semantics, cognitive semantics, and pragmatic theories of meaning. The course addresses philosophical issues such as: What is meaning? What is the relationship between meaning, world, and mind? Emphasis is placed on more linguistic issues such as: Do different languages have different systems of meaning? What is the relationship between the meaning and structure of language? Is meaning dependent on context?

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

LINC04

Host Institution Course Title

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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Humanities and Theology

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Languages and Literature

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