COURSE DETAIL

INTRODUCTION TO MIDDLE HIGH GERMAN

Country

Germany

Host Institution Humboldt University Berlin

Program(s) Humboldt University Berlin

UCEAP Course Level Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s) German

UCEAP Course Number 101

UCEAP Course Suffix

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UCEAP Official Title INTRODUCTION TO MIDDLE HIGH GERMAN

UCEAP Transcript Title INTRO MID HIGH GER

UCEAP Quarter Units 4.50

UCEAP Semester Units

Course Description

This course introduces students to German texts of the Middle Ages from a linguistic perspective. The class familiarizes students with the writing system, phonology, morphology and sentence structure of Middle High German. Topics include graphematics and phonetic processes, which take place from Middle to New High German, peculiarities of the inflectional system of verbs and nouns, possibilities of sentence-linking, labeling of sentence negation and use of genitive. In addition, students explore how word meanings and their development can be understood. The goal of this course is to teach students how to apply linguistic techniques of indexing, analyzing and translating Middle High German texts with the help of dictionaries and grammar books.

Language(s) of Instruction

German

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