

COURSE DETAIL

EXPERIMENTAL SYNTAX

Country

Singapore

Host Institution

National University of Singapore

Program(s)

National University of Singapore

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Linguistics

UCEAP Course Number

150

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

EXPERIMENTAL SYNTAX

UCEAP Transcript Title

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UCEAP Quarter Units

7.50

UCEAP Semester Units

5.00

Course Description

Fundamental importance is assigned to speakers' introspective judgments of sentence acceptability in syntactic research. However, such judgments can be gravely compromised by instability of different kinds, which calls into question the empirical reliability of such data. This course presents objective and practical methods to collect and analyze acceptability judgments. Topics include experimental design, data visualization, statistical analysis, and the application of experimental methods to theoretical questions. This is a hands-on course, and students are expected to lead discussions on primary research.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

EL4880D

Host Institution Course Title

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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

English Language & Literature

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