

COURSE DETAIL

ENGLISH HISTORICAL LINGUISTICS AND DIALECTOLOGY

Country

Germany

Host Institution

Humboldt University Berlin

Program(s)

Humboldt University Berlin

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Linguistics English

UCEAP Course Number

113

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

ENGLISH HISTORICAL LINGUISTICS AND DIALECTOLOGY

UCEAP Transcript Title

ENGLISH HIST LING

UCEAP Quarter Units

4.50

UCEAP Semester Units

3.00

Course Description

This introductory seminar gives a survey of historical change in phonology, morphology/syntax, and the lexicon across the Old, Middle, and (Early/Late) Modern English periods to the present day as well as of current geographical and socio-functional variation in the English language. It thus emphasizes the close relationship between language change and variation. It introduces the concept of the sociolinguistic situation with its various parameters and presents language change and variation as complex processes determined by the interaction of language-internal forces and extralinguistic factors.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

5250046

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Host Institution Campus

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SPRACH- UND LITERATURWISSENSCHAFTLICHE FAKULTÄT

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Anglistik und Amerikanistik

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