

COURSE DETAIL

LANGUAGE AND SOCIAL CONTEXT

Country

Australia

Host Institution

University of Sydney

Program(s)

University of Sydney

UCEAP Course Level

Lower Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Linguistics

UCEAP Course Number

14

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

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UCEAP Transcript Title

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UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

This course offers an introduction to the study of the interrelationship between language and society. It is concerned with phenomena of language change and how that leads to varieties in a language. It answers the following questions: How are these varieties linked to social differences? What distinguishes male speech from female speech and what are the linguistic styles of different social classes or ethnic groups? What is slang, or jargon, and what distinguishes a casual conversation from an interview?

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

LNGS1002

Host Institution Course Title

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Host Institution Campus

sydney

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Linguistics

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