

COURSE DETAIL

LINGUISTICS: THE ORIGINS OF LANGUAGE

Country

Sweden

Host Institution

Lund University

Program(s)

Lund University

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Linguistics

UCEAP Course Number

157

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

LINGUISTICS: THE ORIGINS OF LANGUAGE

UCEAP Transcript Title

ORIGINS OF LANGUAGE

UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

The course deals with current interdisciplinary research on the origins of language. Focus is placed on the relationship between biological and cultural evolution and physiological and neural conditions for language from the perspective of evolution. Furthermore, the course addresses animal communication, experiments on language acquisition in primates and other animals, the relationship between mind and language and different hypotheses on the origins of language and evaluation of these on the basis of empirical evidence.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

LINN25

Host Institution Course Title

LINGUISTICS: THE ORIGINS OF LANGUAGE

Host Institution Campus

Lund

Host Institution Faculty

Humanities and Theology

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

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