## **COURSE DETAIL**

## **ENGLISH SYNTAX**

Country

Japan

**Host Institution** Waseda University

**Program(s)** Waseda University

UCEAP Course Level Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s) Linguistics

UCEAP Course Number 117

**UCEAP Course Suffix** 

UCEAP Official Title ENGLISH SYNTAX

UCEAP Transcript Title ENGLISH SYNTAX

**UCEAP Quarter Units** 6.00

**UCEAP Semester Units** 4.00

## **Course Description**

Animals (and even insects) can communicate with each other, but man's way of communication is fundamentally different in that it is greatly facilitated by language, the structure of which seems species-specific. This course concentrates on this part of human language with special reference to its syntax, a set of rules that govern the way the words in a sentence come together. This course thus aims to discover principles that govern this essential aspect of human language and tries to tackle issues such as how child language acquisition takes place and how surface differences among languages may be explained by the notion of parameter.

## Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number LNGT201L

Host Institution Course Title ENGLISH SYNTAX

Host Institution Campus Waseda University

**Host Institution Faculty** 

**Host Institution Degree** 

Host Institution Department SILS

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