COURSE DETAIL

FORENSIC LINGUISTICS
Country United Kingdom - England
Host Institution University of Sussex
Program(s) University of Sussex
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Linguistics
UCEAP Course Number 163
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title FORENSIC LINGUISTICS
UCEAP Transcript Title FORENSIC LINGUISTCS
UCEAP Quarter Units 6.00
UCEAP Semester Units 4.00

Course Description

In this course, students look at the interaction between linguistics and the law and more specifically they focus on the face-threatening strategies of deception, manipulation, and aggression. This is a practical course in which students study the ways that linguistics can be applied in non-academic contexts. Students start by examining the role of the linguist as an expert witness in the legal system and in this section they focus on the use of stylistics in investigating disputed authorship, for instance in missing person cases. Students also examine and evaluate research into linguistic markers of deception.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
Q1085

Host Institution Course Title
FORENSIC LINGUISTICS

Host Institution Course Details
https://www.sussex.ac.uk/study/modules/undergraduate/2023/84594-forensic-lingui...

Host Institution Campus
University of Sussex

Host Institution Faculty
School of Media, Arts and Humanities

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

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