COURSE DETAIL

CHILD LANGUAGE ACQUISITION AND DEVELOPMENT
Country Ireland
Host Institution Trinity College Dublin
Program(s) Trinity College Dublin
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Psychology
UCEAP Course Number 175
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title CHILD LANGUAGE ACQUISITION AND DEVELOPMENT
UCEAP Transcript Title CHILD LANG ACQU&DEV
UCEAP Quarter Units 5.00
UCEAP Semester Units 3.30

Course Description

This course looks at the process of first language acquisition by examining the social and cognitive mechanisms that drive language learning in the first few years of life. It is designed to provide students with an in-depth understanding of first language acquisition with a focus on spoken language in typical healthy children. The course starts with an exploration of pre-verbal communication in infancy and tracks verbal development during toddlerhood into middle childhood. Overarching issues in linguistic theory, in the form of competing explanations of language acquisition patterns, will be discussed and key debates and current research in the field will be examined.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
PSU34140

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Host Institution Campus
Trinity College Dublin

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department
Psychology

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