

# COURSE DETAIL

## PROSODIC MORPHOLOGY

**Country**

Germany

**Host Institution**

Humboldt University Berlin

**Program(s)**

Humboldt University Berlin

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Linguistics

**UCEAP Course Number**

111

**UCEAP Course Suffix**

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**UCEAP Official Title**

PROSODIC MORPHOLOGY

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

PROSODIC MORPHOLOGY

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

4.50

**UCEAP Semester Units**

3.00

### **Course Description**

This seminar investigates morphological patterns in which prosody plays a central role for word structure, such as clippings/ truncation (fab < fabulous, veggie < vegetarian), -er comparatives (red - redder, conventional - \*conventionaler but more conventional), infixation (uni-bloody-versity, Minne-fuckin'-sota) or reduplication (mish-mash). Using English and other languages as a data source, the course introduces Optimality Theory as a framework for modelling the interaction of morphology and phonology in these constructions.

### **Language(s) of Instruction**

English

### **Host Institution Course Number**

5250062i

### **Host Institution Course Title**

PROSODIC MORPHOLOGY

### **Host Institution Campus**

### **Host Institution Faculty**

### **Host Institution Degree**

### **Host Institution Department**

Institut für Anglistik und Amerikanistik

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