COURSE DETAIL

BILINGUALISM AND MULTILINGUALISM
Country Japan
Host Institution International Christian University
Program(s) International Christian University
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Linguistics
UCEAP Course Number 122
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title BILINGUALISM AND MULTILINGUALISM
UCEAP Transcript Title BI & MULTILINGUALSM
UCEAP Quarter Units 2.50
UCEAP Semester Units 1.70

Course Description

There are nearly 5000 languages used daily around the world. Geographical and political restructuring, migration, natural disassters are just a few of the factors which cause multilingualism in society. The course addresses the key questions: What does it mean to be bilingual and how does a child or adult become bilingual? This course also surveys bilingualism and bidialectalism in Japan (e.g. Korean, Okinawan, Tagalog, English).

This course examines various approaches to the study of bilingualism and multilingualism (e.g., societal, cognitive, psychological, educational), covering a wide variety of crucial issues and controversies in the field.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
MCC211E

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Host Institution Campus
International Christian University

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department
Media, Communication and Culture

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