

Department of Linguistics

Syllabus

for course at advanced level

Methodology for Studies in Child Language Acquisition Metoder för studiet av barns språkutveckling 7.5 Higher Education Credits 7.5 ECTS credits

Course code:LIM017Valid from:Autumn 2017Date of approval:2017-01-18

Department Department of Linguistics

Main field: Linguistics

Specialisation: A1N - Second cycle, has only first-cycle course/s as entry requirements

Decision

Prerequisites and special admittance requirements

Degree of Bachelor of Arts in (General) Linguistics, *or* admitted to the Master's Programme in Child Language Acquisition or the Master's Programme in Language Sciences. English 6 or equivalent.

Course structure

Examination codeNameHigher Education Credits1001Methodology for Studies in Child Language Acquisition7.5

Course content

This course provides an overview of available methods for the study of children's linguistic development. Selected methods are further explored in practical elements of the course. Both hi-tech and less elaborate methods are introduced, the pros and cons of each are discussed, as are the ethical considerations arising from each method.

Learning outcomes

Education

Instruction is given in the form of lectures, group discussions and presentations.

Forms of examination

Interim

When the course is no longer offered or its contents have been essentially revised, the student has the right to be examined according to this course syllabus once per semester for a three-semester period. However, the restrictions above still hold.

Limitations

This course may not be included in a degree together with a course, taken in Sweden or elsewhere, of fully or partially overlapping content.

Required reading

Please see the Department's education pages. An updated reading list will be made available no later than a

month before the start of the course.