Department of Slavic and Baltic Studies, Finnish, Dutch and German



Syllabus

for course at advanced level German, Literature 2, I Tyska, temakurs i litteraturvetenskap 2, I

7.5 Higher Education Credits 7.5 ECTS credits

Course code:TYA703Valid from:Autumn 2007Date of approval:2007-05-08

Department Department of Slavic and Baltic Studies Finnish Dutch and German

Subject German

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

Decision

This course plan has been validated by the board of the Department of Baltic languages, Finnish and German on May 8, 2007.

Prerequisites and special admittance requirements

German, Bachelor's Course, 30 credits. English B or equivalent.

Course structure

Examination codeNameHigher Education Credits1000German Literature7.5

Course content

The course consists of a single 7,5 hec course on a contemporary domain of research within German literary studies. The theme of the course will vary.

Learning outcomes

Having completed the course the student will have shown an ability to:

- acquire expanded knowledge about contemporary theories and methods within German literary studies
- apply these theories and methods on a number of studied literary texts in an independent and reflective manner
- orally, as well as in writing, analyse and discuss suggested interpretations of the studied literature, with strict linguistic correctness

Education

Education will take place in the shape of seminars.

The form and the extent of teaching may be adapted to both the number of students in the course and the economic situation of the department.

Forms of examination

a. The following method/s of examination is/are used: obligatory presence with oral and written examination during the course.

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b. Grades are given according to a criterion referenced seven-point scale:

A = Excellent

B = Very Good

C = Good

D = Satisfactory

E = Adequate

F = Insufficient

Fx = Fail

- c. The grading criteria for this course are to be distributed at the beginning of the course.
- d. A grade of at least E is required on all modules which are graded according to the seven-point scale.
- e. In order to obtain at least a grade of E, a student who has received an F or Fx has the right to an additional four tests provided the course is still offered. A student who has received a grade of E or higher may not take the test again in order to get a higher grade.

A student who has received the grade of F or Fx twice on a given test and by the same examiner can, on application, be granted a new examiner, unless there are specific reasons against it. The application should be addressed to the board of the department.

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, restrictions mentioned above under e still hold. For information about transitional rules for courses in the older pre-Bologna system the student councellor or director of studies at the Department should be contacted.

Limitations

The course may not be credited in an exam together with another course taken in Sweden or abroad, if the contents of said course are wholly equivalent to the contents of this course.

Misc

The course may be part of a combined program for a Master's exam and a Teaching exam.

Required reading

The course literature relating to the theme which will vary from semester to semester will be determined by the examiner, and students will be informed well in advance of the start of the course.