

Opasraportti

Nordic Philology (2015 - 2016)

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Admission requirements

Nordic Philology can be studied as a major subject by students who have successfully passed an entrance examination. To study Nordic Philology as a subsidiary (minor) subject, students must successfully pass a proficiency test in order to be accepted to commence studies. The proficiency test can be taken in the autumn term or during the entrance examination. Language students within the Faculty of Humanities in the University of Oulu who have achieved grades *laudatur* or *eximia cum laude approbatur* in Swedish in their Matriculation Examinations can gain the right to study Nordic philology as a subsidiary (minor) subject automatically.

Study guidance

Study guidance is provided by the staff. At the beginning of the first semester, each new major subject student of Nordic Philology is assigned a student tutor, that is, an experienced student of Nordic Philology who helps the new students in getting acquainted with the new environment and with other practical issues. The student tutoring groups consist of approximately 10 new students and one mentor. Tutoring activities provide new students with the chance to get to know each other and, additionally, they provide a natural introduction to student life in general. Each new student will also be assigned a teacher tutor. Teacher tutors take care of matters or problems related to studies in a broader sense: choosing subsidiary subjects, vocational planning, study techniques, etc. Teacher tutors work with the students throughout the duration of their studies.

Nordic Philology

Studies in Nordic Philology mainly include studies in the Swedish language, but they also include courses on related languages (i.e. Norwegian, Danish and Icelandic).

A major in the Nordic Philology programme is composed of compulsory Language and Communication studies, Basic Studies (25 ECTS credits), Intermediate Studies (45 ECTS credits) and Advanced Studies (80 ECTS credits). A Master's thesis of 40 ECTS credits is included in the Advanced Studies.

Subsidiary studies in the Nordic Philology programme consist of Basic Studies (25 ECTS credits), Intermediate Studies (35 ECTS credits) and Advanced Studies (60 ECTS credits). The Bachelor's thesis in the Intermediate Level Studies and the Master's thesis in the Advanced Studies are not compulsory for subsidiary subject students.

The current research in the department is mainly related to language learning, bi- and multilingualism, text analysis, pragmatics, organisational communication, translation studies, (historical) sociolinguistics and various types of contrastive studies. Researching older forms of the Swedish language in Finland is also one of the focus areas.

Postgraduate studies in Nordic Philology usually lead to a Doctoral degree, but it is also possible to complete a Licentiate's degree. Admission to postgraduate studies in Nordic Philology is granted by the University of Oulu Graduate School (UniOGS).

Subsidiary subjects within Nordic Philology

Nordic Philology as a subject answers for two subsidiary subjects: Translation (25 ECTS credits) and Swedish for Nursery and Elementary School (25 ECTS credits + 35 ECTS credits).

Those who have gained the right to study Nordic Philology can include the subsidiary subject Translation (25 ECTS credits) in their Bachelor's or Master's degree. The aim of the subsidiary subject is to give students basic skills in translation through theory and practice. The subject is especially suitable to those who wish to seek future employment in translation.

Translation is a prerequisite for all cultural exchange in addition to being an important form of communication in businesses and organisations. Translation as a subsidiary subject gives students an increased preparedness for working with multilingual communication in a professional capacity. The goal of the studies is to give students an overview of translation studies and to give them a practical understanding of the work of translators and interpreters in society. The studies include different kinds of analysis and translation exercises.

All those with a right to study Nordic Philology have a right to sign up for courses in the subsidiary subject. Students can choose to do all the courses offered in the subsidiary subject or to take one or more individual courses. For those who choose to do all the courses, these will be credited as an individual study package (subsidiary subject) in the Bachelor's or Master's degree. For those students who choose to take individual courses, these can be included in the Optional Special Field in Nordic Philology.

The subsidiary subject Swedish for Nursery and Elementary School includes both Basic (25 ECTS credits) and Intermediate Studies (35 ECTS credits). The studies are primarily intended for students in the class teacher training programme, who wish to gain qualifications to work as Swedish teachers in elementary schools, and for students in the early education programme who wish to become qualified Swedish instructors for nursery schools. Students of Nordic Philology can also sign up for courses within the subsidiary subject.

The main emphasis of the Basic Studies is on training the students' articulacy, conversation skills and pronunciation, which are especially important for elementary level language teachers. In connection with the Basic Studies, the students will also become familiar with Swedish culture and Swedish society as well as the society and culture of Swedish-speaking Finland. The goal of the Intermediate Studies is to develop the students' written and spoken language skills. During the Intermediate Studies, students are introduced to language teaching, language pedagogy and bilingual teaching from the point of view of linguistics. The Intermediate Studies support the students' other pedagogical studies, which explore education from the viewpoint of pedagogical and didactic theories.

Specialisation options within Nordic Philology

The specialisation options within Nordic Philology are mainly Subject Teacher Training and International Business Communication.

Those who wish to become teachers can apply for subject teacher education via an aptitude test. Students who are not pursuing pedagogical studies can choose International Business Communication as their specialisation option during their advanced studies (4th–5th year). This specialisation option is meant primarily for students whose subsidiary studies have to do with the business world (e.g. Communication Studies, Economics). The Advanced Studies' courses Intercultural Communication and Organizational Culture and Communication are obligatory for these students, as is a work practice of a minimum of six weeks, during which students use Swedish on a daily basis. The master's theses of these students should also touch upon a theme within the subject of international business communication.

Employment prospects

Students of Nordic Philology become teachers or language experts within the public or private sectors. Different combinations of subsidiary subjects prepare students for different work duties. Those who wish to teach can pursue the subject teacher education through an aptitude test and become subject teachers. Those who wish to find a career in the business world can study economics alongside Nordic Philology and choose the courses within their main subject that have to do with international business communication. Those who wish to become translators can choose, for example, Finnish and Translation as their subsidiary subjects.

Practical instructions

The teaching methods vary according to the courses. In general, teaching methods include lectures, practice groups, and seminars. Completion of the studies requires active participation. At the beginning of each course, the teacher responsible will provide students with information on the course in question. Elective courses are organised as teaching resources permit.

Various forms of assessment are used in the department: written examinations, summaries, essays, learning journals, reading courses, group examinations, etc. The teacher responsible will provide specific information about the assessment methods at the beginning of each course.

A formal examination is normally arranged at the end of the course. Two additional examinations are arranged for those students who fail to pass the examination or who wish to improve their grade. Additionally, courses can be completed as book exams, written assignments or summaries. A reading course worth one ECTS credit requires approximately 100 pages of reading. Literature for reading courses is always chosen in accordance with the teacher's suggestions. The students must register for all examinations at least 10 days before the examination day. Lists of course literature can be found on the department's website.

Language training (3–5 ECTS credits) is compulsory for major subject students as well as for those subsidiary (minor) subject students who are completing the Advanced Studies package. Language training is a part of the Language and Communication studies and can be included in the Bachelor's degree or the Master's degree.

Nordic Philology arranges student exchange with various universities through the Nordliks programme of the Nordic Council of Ministers and the European Union's Erasmus programme. Nordliks encompasses all the universities in the Nordic countries that have departments of Nordic languages or literature. In practice, this means that the department is able to offer student exchange places at various Nordic universities each year, without tuition fees. Exchange studies will be accredited in full in the student's degree. Before the exchange, a preliminary study plan should be made together with the Faculty International Coordinator. This is done to ensure that the planned courses will be in line with the requirements of the degree programme. Studies abroad do not have to directly correspond with the courses in the programme; courses can be chosen according to the interests of the student. However, the courses must correspond to the required levels of standard and scope as set by the department.

Specific application dates are made available on the department's bulletin board and online.

The following are important channels for information:

- websites (<http://www oulu.fi/svenska/>), (<http://www oulu.fi/hutk/>)
- email lists (nordistit@lists oulu.fi, verbapapa@lists oulu.fi)
- department's bulletin board
- WebOodi

There you can, among other things, find information on:

- current news related to the studies (changes of schedule or rooms, cancelled lectures, etc.)
- teaching (schedule; courses in related languages)
- examinations
- proficiency tests (subsidiary subject tests)
- the exchange programmes Nordliks and Erasmus
- Nordic language courses
- study-related issues of the faculty

Objectives of Study packages

After completing the Basic Studies, students are familiar with the various aspects of Nordistics. They have elementary knowledge of the knowledge and skills in the Swedish language and Swedish culture. They are also familiar with the main aspects of the historical development of Swedish and other Nordic languages.

After completing the Intermediate Studies, students are able to produce both academic and everyday texts in Swedish. They are able to conduct minor academic research, and critically evaluate and discuss various academic issues within the field of Nordistics. Students are also familiar with the outlines of the historical development of the Swedish language, and have familiarised themselves with the language and culture of other Nordic countries.

After completing the Advanced Studies, students have acquired a basic academic education as well as knowledge of the knowledge and skills in Nordic Philology so that they are able to work as language experts in multi-professional work environments in a competent and ethical way. They have reached a level of professional competence in Nordic Philology and have the ability to quickly and effectively acquire new knowledge and skills according to the principles of scholarly thinking. They are able to communicate in a convincing manner in speech and in writing.

Tutkintorakenteet

Candidate's Degree/Nordic Philology

Tutkintorakenteen tila: published

Lukuvuosi: 2015-16

Lukuvuoden alkamispäivämäärä: 01.08.2015

Language and Communication Studies (10 - 25 op)

695250Y: Introduction to General Linguistics, 4 op
 694500P: Introduction to Phonetics, 3 op
 010100Y: Orientation Course for New Students, 0 op
 694926Y: Structure of Finnish, 3 op

Basic Studies/Nordic Philology (25 op)

A110301: Nordic Philology, basic studies, 25 op
Compulsory courses
 693689P: Swedish Grammar I, 5 op
 693690P: Swedish and Finland-Swedish Culture and Society, 5 op
 693688P: Language Skills 1, 5 op
 693691P: Swedish Phonetics and Pronunciation, 5 op
 693692P: History of Swedish Language and Society, 5 op
 693663Y: Personal Study Plan 1 (Bachelor's degree), 0 op

Intermediate Studies/Nordic Philology (35 - 45 op)

A110302: Nordic Philology, intermediate studies, 35 - 45 op
Compulsory courses (20 ECTS)
 693693A: Swedish Grammar II, 5 op
 693695A: Swedish Literature, 5 op
 693696A: Language Skills 2, 5 op
 693694A: Translation, 5 op
Elective courses. Choose 15 ECTS.
 693701A: Neighbouring Languages, 5 op
 693703A: Practical Business Communication, 5 op
 693697A: Sociolinguistics, 5 op

- 693698A: Variation in Swedish Language, 5 op
- 693702A: Language Pedagogy Workshop, 5 op
- 693700A: Stylistics, 5 op
- 693699A: Sweden Today!, 5 op
- 693704A: Optional Special Field, 2 - 20 op
- 693716P: Audio-visual Translation, 5 op
- 693644P: Introduction to Translation Studies, 5 op
- 693645P: Project Work, 5 - 10 op
- 693646P: Special Field, 5 - 10 op
- 693647P: Language and Society, 5 op
- 693684A: Language Immersion, 5 op
- 693718A: Language Immersion and Bilingual Teaching, 5 op
- 693719A: Language Acquisition and Multilingualism, 5 op
- Compulsory courses for major*
- 693666Y: Personal Study Plan 2 (Bachelor's degree), 0 op
- 693606A: Bachelor's Seminar and Thesis, 10 op
- 693621A: Maturity Test for Bachelor's Degree (Swedish Language), 0 op

Basic Studies/Minor Subject (25 op)

Other minor subjects and other studies

Candidate's Degree/Nordic Philology/subject teacher

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Language and Communication Studies (10 - 25 op)

- 695250Y: Introduction to General Linguistics, 4 op
- 694500P: Introduction to Phonetics, 3 op
- 010100Y: Orientation Course for New Students, 0 op
- 694926Y: Structure of Finnish, 3 op

Basic Studies/Nordic Philology (25 op)

- A110301: Nordic Philology, basic studies, 25 op
- Compulsory courses*
- 693689P: Swedish Grammar I, 5 op
- 693690P: Swedish and Finland-Swedish Culture and Society, 5 op
- 693688P: Language Skills 1, 5 op
- 693691P: Swedish Phonetics and Pronunciation, 5 op
- 693692P: History of Swedish Language and Society, 5 op
- 693663Y: Personal Study Plan 1 (Bachelor's degree), 0 op

Intermediate Studies/Nordic Philology (45 op)

- A110302: Nordic Philology, intermediate studies, 35 - 45 op
- Compulsory courses (20 ECTS)*
- 693693A: Swedish Grammar II, 5 op
- 693695A: Swedish Literature, 5 op
- 693696A: Language Skills 2, 5 op
- 693694A: Translation, 5 op

Elective courses. Choose 15 ECTS.

- 693701A: Neighbouring Languages, 5 op
- 693703A: Practical Business Communication, 5 op
- 693697A: Sociolinguistics, 5 op
- 693698A: Variation in Swedish Language, 5 op
- 693702A: Language Pedagogy Workshop, 5 op
- 693700A: Stylistics, 5 op
- 693699A: Sweden Today!, 5 op
- 693704A: Optional Special Field, 2 - 20 op
- 693716P: Audio-visual Translation, 5 op
- 693644P: Introduction to Translation Studies, 5 op
- 693645P: Project Work, 5 - 10 op
- 693646P: Special Field, 5 - 10 op
- 693647P: Language and Society, 5 op
- 693684A: Language Immersion, 5 op
- 693718A: Language Immersion and Bilingual Teaching, 5 op
- 693719A: Language Acquisition and Multilingualism, 5 op

Compulsory courses for major

- 693666Y: Personal Study Plan 2 (Bachelor's degree), 0 op
- 693606A: Bachelor's Seminar and Thesis, 10 op
- 693621A: Maturity Test for Bachelor's Degree (Swedish Language), 0 op

Other minor subjects and other studies**Master's Degree/Nordic Philology**

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Language and Communication Studies (3 - 5 op)**Advanced Studies/Nordic Philology (80 op)**

Choose the compulsory course: **693706S Work Practice.**

Choose elective courses 15 ECTS cr.

A110303: Nordic Philology, advanced studies, 80 op

Compulsory courses

- 693669Y: Personal Study Plan 3 (Master's degree), 0 op
- 693622S: Master's Thesis, 40 op
- 693648S: Maturity Test for Master's Degree (Swedish language), 0 op
- 693623S: Methodology and Seminar, 10 op
- 693624S: Advanced Presentation Skills, 5 op
- 693705S: Advanced Grammar, 5 op

Elective courses

- 693713S: Second Language Acquisition, 5 op
- 693709S: Advanced Dialectology, 5 op
- 693708S: Intercultural Communication, 5 op
- 693710S: Advanced Onomastics, 5 op
- 693707S: Organisation Culture and Organisation Communication, 5 op
- 693711S: Advanced Semantics, 5 op
- 693712S: Advanced Literature, 5 op
- 693714S: Advanced Sociolinguistics, 5 op
- 693715S: History of Swedish Language, 5 op

693641S: Optional Advanced Studies, 2 - 20 op

Minor subjects and other studies

Master's Degree/Nordic Philology/subject teacher

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Language and Communication Studies (3 - 5 op)

Advanced Studies/Nordic Philology (80 op)

Choose elective courses 20 ECTS cr.

A110303: Nordic Philology, advanced studies, 80 op

Compulsory courses

693669Y: Personal Study Plan 3 (Master's degree), 0 op

693622S: Master's Thesis, 40 op

693648S: Maturity Test for Master's Degree (Swedish language), 0 op

693623S: Methodology and Seminar, 10 op

693624S: Advanced Presentation Skills, 5 op

693705S: Advanced Grammar, 5 op

Elective courses

693713S: Second Language Acquisition, 5 op

693709S: Advanced Dialectology, 5 op

693708S: Intercultural Communication, 5 op

693710S: Advanced Onomastics, 5 op

693707S: Organisation Culture and Organisation Communication, 5 op

693711S: Advanced Semantics, 5 op

693712S: Advanced Literature, 5 op

693714S: Advanced Sociolinguistics, 5 op

693715S: History of Swedish Language, 5 op

693641S: Optional Advanced Studies, 2 - 20 op

Other studies

Tutkintorakenteisiin kuulumattomat opintokokonaisuudet ja -jaksot

693627S: Advanced Swedish Phonology, 4 op

693642S: Language Training (Swedish), 3 - 5 op

693706S: Practice, 5 op

Opintojaksojen kuvaukset

Tutkintorakenteisiin kuuluvien opintokohteiden kuvaukset

695250Y: Introduction to General Linguistics, 4 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2005 -

Opiskelumuoto: Language and Communication Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opettajat: Santeri Palviainen

Opintokohteen kielet: Finnish

ECTS Credits:

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Language of instruction:

Finnish

Timing:

1st year, autumn term (as an optional course timing is free)

Learning outcomes:

Upon completion of this course, students will be able to analyse the structure of language scientifically and systematically. They will be able to apply the analytical tools of phonology, morphology, and syntax in novel linguistic data and define the basic terminology in linguistics.

Contents:

Basic linguistic concepts and analysis. The focus is on phonology, morphology, and syntax.

Mode of delivery:

Lectures

Learning activities and teaching methods:

40 hours of lectures, 68 hours of independent study

Target group:

Students of languages and others interested in languages

Prerequisites and co-requisites:

None

Recommended or required reading:

Assigned readings

Assessment methods and criteria:

Formal examination

Grading:

0–5

Person responsible:

Lecturer in Linguistics

Working life cooperation:

None

Other information:

It is recommended that the course be passed in the first semester if the course is mandatory for the student.

694500P: Introduction to Phonetics, 3 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2005 -

Opiskelumuoto: Basic Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opettajat: Pentti Körkkö

Opintokohteen kielet: Finnish

ECTS Credits:

3 ECTS credits (81 hours of work)

Language of instruction:

Finnish

Timing:

1st autumn term, periods I and II

Learning outcomes:

Upon completion of the course, students will be able to explain the processes of speech production. Students will know the basic phonetic terminology used in describing and classifying speech sounds and prosodic features and will also be able to explain the general and special features of the Finnish sound system.

Contents:

Language and speech, speech production, phonetic description and classification of speech sounds, speech prosody

Mode of delivery:

Contact teaching and online exercises

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures 24 hours; independent online study 9 hours; independent study 46 hours including recommended reading and preparation for the exam; exam 2 hours

Target group:

Students majoring and minoring in languages

Recommended optional programme components:

Required exam reading for students who do not speak Finnish: Rogers, *The Sounds of Language – An Introduction to Phonetics* (2000), (Chapters 1 and 9–14). The examination dates are the same as for speakers of Finnish.

Recommended or required reading:

Recommended reading: Suomi, Toivanen & Ylitalo, *Fonetiikan ja suomen äänneopin perusteet* (2006), Part I or Suomi, Toivanen & Ylitalo, *Finnish Sound Structure* (2009)

Assessment methods and criteria:

Written examination. Assessment criteria are based on the learning outcomes of the course. Read more about the assessment criteria on the University of Oulu webpage.

Grading:

1–5 (0 = fail)

Person responsible:

Lecturer in Phonetics

Working life cooperation:

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Other information:

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010100Y: Orientation Course for New Students, 0 op

Opiskelumuoto: General Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opettajat: Sievola, Oili Elina

Opintokohteen kielet: Finnish

Ei opintojaksokuvauksia.

694926Y: Structure of Finnish, 3 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2005 -

Opiskelumuoto: Language and Communication Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Finnish

Leikkaavuudet:

ay694926Y Structure of Finnish (OPEN UNI) 3.0 op

ECTS Credits:

3 ECTS credits / 81 hours of work

Language of instruction:

Finnish

Timing:

1st year, period I

Learning outcomes:

Students will be able to define the basic phonological, morphological, and syntactic structures of modern standard Finnish.

Contents:

Introduction to scholarly depiction of structures of Finnish

Mode of delivery:

Contact teaching

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures (24 h); exercises (10 h); and independent study (47 h); or alternatively independent study online (81 h)

Target group:

Students in language programmes in the Faculty of Humanities

Prerequisites and co-requisites:

None

Recommended optional programme components:

Introduction to General Linguistics must be completed at the same time.

Recommended or required reading:

Online reading material

Assessment methods and criteria:

The assessment of the course is based on a formal examination, and the assessment criteria are based on the learning outcomes of the course.

Grading:

0–5

Person responsible:

University Lecturer Katja Västi

Working life cooperation:

None

Other information:

Students majoring in Finnish Language will include the course in the Language and Communication studies.

A110301: Nordic Philology, basic studies, 25 op

Opiskelumuoto: Basic Studies

Laji: Study module

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Finnish

Ei opintojaksokuvauksia.

*Compulsory courses***693689P: Swedish Grammar I, 5 op**

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2015 -

Opiskelumuoto: Basic Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

Leikkaavuudet:

ay693689P Swedish Grammar I (OPEN UNI) 5.0 op

ECTS Credits:

5

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

1st year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing the course, students will have acquired knowledge of the structure of Swedish and the basic concepts of normative and descriptive grammar.

Contents:

Main emphasis on the basics of morphology and syntax

Mode of delivery:

Contact teaching

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures, exercises

Recommended or required reading:

Materials according to the teacher's recommendations

Assessment methods and criteria:

Written examination

Grading:

0–5

Person responsible:

Kirsi Lepistö

Working life cooperation:

None

693690P: Swedish and Finland-Swedish Culture and Society, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2015 -

Opiskelumuoto: Basic Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

Leikkaavuudet:

ay693690P Swedish and Finland-Swedish Culture and Society (OPEN UNI) 5.0 op

ECTS Credits:

5

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

1st year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing the course, students will have become familiar with the general aspects of culture, society, religion, and history in Sweden and Swedish-speaking Finland. Students will also be able to discuss and problematise concepts of Swedish and Finland-Swedish identity as well as historical and

contemporary cultural phenomena in Sweden and Swedish-speaking Finland. Students will also be able to discuss cultural, religious and social circumstances in present-day Sweden and Swedish Finland from a historical perspective.

Contents:

The societal structures of Sweden and Swedish-speaking Finland are presented through historical, religious, and cultural aspects, among others. Students will also participate in Swedish traditions and customs. In addition, the course is connected to actual holidays and events in both Sweden and Swedish-speaking Finland.

Mode of delivery:

Contact teaching

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures and independent study

Recommended or required reading:

Materials according to the teacher's recommendations

Assessment methods and criteria:

Continuous assessment, written examination

Grading:

0#5

Working life cooperation:

None

693688P: Language Skills 1, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2015 -

Opiskelumuoto: Basic Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

Leikkaavuudet:

ay693688P Language Skills 1 (OPEN UNI) 5.0 op

ECTS Credits:

5

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

1st year, autumn semester

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing the course, students will have acquired knowledge on different forms of communication processes and have increased their abilities to express themselves using both correct and idiomatic Swedish. They can also translate simple texts from Finnish into Swedish and/or from Swedish into Finnish, and utilise different aids in the translation process. They will be able to give constructive criticism on each other's texts.

Contents:

Students practise their verbal and written communication skills through discussion, presentations and written assignments.

Mode of delivery:

Contact teaching

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Spoken and written exercises in small groups

Recommended or required reading:

Materials according to the teacher's recommendations

Assessment methods and criteria:

Continuous assessment. Grammatical correctness, coherence, cohesion, observation of conventions of speech

Grading:

0–5

Person responsible:

Lecturers

Working life cooperation:

None

693691P: Swedish Phonetics and Pronunciation, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2015 -

Opiskelumuoto: Basic Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

Leikkaavuudet:

ay693691P Swedish Phonetics and Pronunciation (OPEN UNI) 5.0 op

ECTS Credits:

5

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

1st year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing the course, students will be able to describe the pronunciation of Swedish and its characteristics in relation to the Swedish sound system and word and sentence prosody. They will also be able to identify the most important differences of pronunciation regarding Swedish in Sweden and Finland. In addition, students will be able to read, analyse, and produce simple Swedish transcriptions. Students will also be able to produce either the consonant and vowel sounds of Swedish as spoken in Sweden, or those of the Swedish spoken in Finland. In addition, they will be able to accentuate Swedish words, phrases, and sentences according to the recommendations for the chosen pronunciation variant.

Contents:

Systematic study of the sound system and word and sentence prosody of Swedish. Comparisons between Swedish as spoken in Sweden and as spoken in Finland, and transcription exercises. Reading of different kinds of texts with varying levels of difficulty

Mode of delivery:

Contact teaching

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures with exercises and pronunciation exercises in the language laboratory

Recommended or required reading:

Materials according to the teacher's recommendation

Assessment methods and criteria:

Active participation, midterm examination and/or final written examination

Grading:

0#5

Person responsible:

Jenni Tahkokorpi

Working life cooperation:

None

693692P: History of Swedish Language and Society, 5 op**Voimassaolo:** 01.08.2015 -**Opiskelumuoto:** Basic Studies**Laji:** Course**Vastuuyksikkö:** Faculty of Humanities**Arvostelu:** 1 - 5, pass, fail**Opintokohteen kielet:** Swedish**Leikkaavuudet:**

ay693692P History of Swedish Language and Society (OPEN UNI) 5.0 op

ECTS Credits:

5

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:1st year**Learning outcomes:**

Upon completing the course, students will have become familiar with the historical background of the Nordic languages (with emphasis on Swedish) as well as the political, societal, and social factors that have had an impact on the development of the Swedish language. They can also describe the relationships between the Nordic languages.

Contents:

Study of linguistic development from Proto-Norse to Modern Swedish from the perspective of social and cultural history

Mode of delivery:

Contact teaching

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures

Recommended or required reading:

Materials according to the teacher's recommendations

Assessment methods and criteria:

Final written examination/written assignments/essay

Grading:

0–5

Person responsible:

Paula Rossi

Working life cooperation:

None

693663Y: Personal Study Plan 1 (Bachelor's degree), 0 op**Voimassaolo:** 01.08.2009 -**Opiskelumuoto:** General Studies**Laji:** Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Finnish

ECTS Credits:

0 ECTS credits

Target group:

Students majoring in Nordic Philology

A110302: Nordic Philology, intermediate studies, 35 - 45 op

Opiskelumuoto: Intermediate Studies

Laji: Study module

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Finnish

Leikkaavuudet:

ayA110302 Nordic Philology, intermediate studies (OPEN UNI) 35.0 op

Ei opintojaksokuvauksia.

Compulsory courses (20 ECTS)

693693A: Swedish Grammar II, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2015 -

Opiskelumuoto: Intermediate Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

ECTS Credits:

5

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

2nd-3rd year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing the course, students will be able to apply grammatical rules and concepts to different kinds of exercise materials, and discuss them.

Contents:

Close examination of chosen areas of grammar. The emphasis is on those grammatical constructions which often cause difficulties.

Mode of delivery:

Contact teaching

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Exercises, written assignments, project work

Prerequisites and co-requisites:

Swedish Grammar 1

Recommended or required reading:

Materials according to the teacher's recommendations

Assessment methods and criteria:

Written examination, written assignments and/or project work

Grading:

0–5

Person responsible:

Kirsi Lepistö

Working life cooperation:

None

693695A: Swedish Literature, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2015 -

Opiskelumuoto: Intermediate Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

ECTS Credits:

5

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

2nd year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing the course, students will be able to demonstrate a knowledge of the main aspects in the history of Swedish literature and its representative authors. They will be able to analytically discuss literary texts both verbally and in writing.

Contents:

Study of the history of Swedish literature, discussion on works of literature, practice in the reading of literary texts.

Mode of delivery:

Contact teaching

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures with exercises and/or group work

Recommended or required reading:

Materials according to the teacher's recommendations

Assessment methods and criteria:

Written examination and/or written assignment

Grading:

0#5

Person responsible:

Riitta Kosunen

Working life cooperation:

None

693696A: Language Skills 2, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2015 -

Opiskelumuoto: Intermediate Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

ECTS Credits:

5

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

1st-2nd year

Learning outcomes:

The students will build on their previous knowledge of various forms of written and spoken communication and will learn to apply different forms of expression to their own texts and presentations according to the content, aim, recipient and medium of communication. They will also improve their skills in Swedish pronunciation.

Contents:

Students study oral and written communication through pronunciation exercises, discussions, presentations and written assignments.

Mode of delivery:

Contact teaching

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Spoken and written assignments in small groups

Prerequisites and co-requisites:

Language Skills 1

Recommended or required reading:

Materials according to the teacher's recommendations

Assessment methods and criteria:

Continuous assessment. Grammatical correctness, coherence, cohesion, noticing genre conventions.

Grading:

0#5

Person responsible:

Lecturers

Working life cooperation:

None

693694A: Translation, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2015 -

Opiskelumuoto: Intermediate Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

ECTS Credits:

5

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:2nd year**Learning outcomes:**

Upon completing the course, students will be able to translate texts about various topics from Finnish into Swedish and from Swedish into Finnish and will be able to demonstrate an understanding of languages' linguistic characteristics and differences in regard to the translation process. They will be able to use different kinds of language aids purposefully in individual translation work and while working together in groups. Students will be able to critically analyse and discuss translations and are aware of their developmental challenges in regard to their future professional role as language experts.

Contents:

Translation exercises with emphasis on translation from Finnish into Swedish

Mode of delivery:

Contact teaching

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Translation assignments done both individually and in groups and discussed in class

Prerequisites and co-requisites:

Swedish Grammar 1 and Language Skills 1

Recommended or required reading:

Materials according to the teacher's recommendations

Assessment methods and criteria:

Continuous examination and/or translation exam

Grading:

0–5

Person responsible:

Riitta Kosunen och Hannu Niemi

Working life cooperation:

None

Elective courses. Choose 15 ECTS.

693701A: Neighbouring Languages, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2015 -

Opiskelumuoto: Intermediate Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

ECTS Credits:

5 ECTS credits

Language of instruction:

Danish/Norwegian/Icelandic and Swedish

Timing:

1st–3rd year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing the course, students will be able to display an understanding of one of the neighbouring Scandinavian languages in its spoken and written form. They will be familiar with the main features of the language's structure and have familiarised themselves with the country's literature, culture and societal conditions.

Contents:

Study of the main features of the neighbouring language's phonetic and grammatical structure. Introduction to culture and society. Analysis of simple texts.

Mode of delivery:

Contact teaching

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures, exercises

Recommended or required reading:

Materials according to the teacher's recommendations

Assessment methods and criteria:

Written examination

Grading:

Pass/Fail

Person responsible:

Guest Lecturers and Paula Rossi

693703A: Practical Business Communication, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2015 -

Opiskelumuoto: Intermediate Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

ECTS Credits:

5 ECTS credits

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

2nd-3rd year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing the course, students will be able to manage different kinds of written and spoken situations in organisational communication, e.g. giving a presentation on Nordic Philology to upper secondary school students, oral PR on Nordic Philology at the University's open house events, write business letters, and press releases. Students will also be able to apply for jobs in Swedish.

Contents:

Theory and practice in spoken and written business communication

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures with oral and written exercises, school visits, etc

Recommended or required reading:

Materials according to the teacher's recommendations

Assessment methods and criteria:

Continuous assessment: written assignments, oral presentations, active participation in exercises both during and outside the lectures

Grading:

0-5

Person responsible:

Jenni Tahkokorpi

693697A: Sociolinguistics, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2015 -

Opiskelumuoto: Intermediate Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

ECTS Credits:

5 ECTS credits

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

1st-3rd year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing the course, students will be familiar with the variable role of language in society, sociolinguistic theories and research methods. Students will also be familiar with empirical sociolinguistic research.

Contents:

Study of important trends in sociolinguistics, with emphasis on multilingualism

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures

Recommended or required reading:

Materials according to the teacher's recommendations

Assessment methods and criteria:

Written examination and/or essay

Grading:

0-5

Person responsible:

Kirsi Lepistö

693698A: Variation in Swedish Language, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2015 -

Opiskelumuoto: Intermediate Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

ECTS Credits:

5 ECTS credits

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

2nd-3rd year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing the course, students will be able to specify the most important features of dialects. They will also get insight into language variants in Sweden and the position and features of Swedish in Finland.

Contents:

The course covers the minority languages in Sweden and contemporary Swedish language use in various variants in Sweden as well as in Finland.

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures, project work, independent study

Assessment methods and criteria:

Written examination, written assignments and/or essay

Grading:

0–5

Person responsible:

Paula Rossi

693702A: Language Pedagogy Workshop, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2015 -

Opiskelumuoto: Intermediate Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

ECTS Credits:

5 ECTS credits

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

1st–3rd year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completion of the course, students will have improved their knowledge of questions related to language teaching regarding different stages of the language learning process.

Contents:

The focus of the course is on questions surrounding teaching skills, school work and language learning within the language learning process from nursery school to university.

Mode of delivery:

Contact teaching, group study, educational tours

Recommended or required reading:

Materials according to the teacher's recommendations

Assessment methods and criteria:

Active participation and written assignments

Grading:

0–5

Person responsible:

Hannu Niemi

693700A: Stylistics, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2015 -

Opiskelumuoto: Intermediate Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

ECTS Credits:

5 ECTS credits

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

2nd-3rd year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing the course, students will have learned the basics of the different aspects of stylistics, with emphasis on argumentative stylistics.

Contents:

During the course the students will acquire knowledge on the different aspects of stylistics with the help of smaller exercises on various types of stylistics, with the focus still on argumentative stylistics.

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures and independent study

Recommended or required reading:

Materials according to the teacher's recommendations

Assessment methods and criteria:

Continuous assessment and written course work

Grading:

0#5

Person responsible:

lecturer

693699A: Sweden Today!, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2015 -

Opiskelumuoto: Intermediate Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

ECTS Credits:

5 ECTS credits

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

2nd-3rd year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing the course, students will be able to observe, present, and discuss topical societal topics in a critical manner.

Contents:

Critical observation of the image of Sweden today through books, newspaper articles, radio- and TV programmes, among others. Various topical events in Swedish society

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures, group work, and independent study

Prerequisites and co-requisites:

Swedish and Finland-Swedish Culture and Society

Recommended or required reading:

Materials according to the teacher's recommendations

Assessment methods and criteria:

Continuous examination with written course work and oral presentation

Grading:

0#5

Person responsible:

lecturer

693704A: Optional Special Field, 2 - 20 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2015 -

Opiskelumuoto: Intermediate Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

Voidaan suorittaa useasti: Kyllä

ECTS Credits:

2–20 ECTS credits

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

1st–3rd year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing the course, students will have specialised in one of the fields of Nordistics.

Contents:

Completed courses outside the curriculum and other courses in other subjects or at other universities, e.g. courses in Nordic languages and literature in Denmark, Norway, or Sweden.

Grading:

0–5, Pass/Fail

Person responsible:

Paula Rossi

693716P: Audio-visual Translation, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2015 -

Opiskelumuoto: Intermediate Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

ECTS Credits:

5 ECTS credits

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

2nd#5th year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing the course, students will be familiar with theoretical and practical questions concerning audio-visual translation.

Contents:

Study of theoretical and practical questions concerning audio-visual translation. Analysis of subtitles and dubs in television programmes and films

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures and exercises

Prerequisites and co-requisites:

Successful completion of the Basic Studies package is required

Assessment methods and criteria:

Written examination and/or written assignment

Grading:

0–5

Person responsible:

Riitta Kosunen och Paula Rossi

693644P: Introduction to Translation Studies, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2005 -

Opiskelumuoto: Basic Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

ECTS Credits:

5

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

1st#5th year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing the course, students will be able to display an understanding of the role of translation and individual translations in society. Students will be able to discuss translation and translations against the background of grammatical, stylistic, semantic, and pragmatic issues. They will also have an overview of the main questions that concern translation studies.

Contents:

Study of the four basic aspects of translation and introduction to different fields of research within translation studies

Mode of delivery:

Contact teaching or self study

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures, group work and/or independent study

Assessment methods and criteria:

Written examination

Grading:

0–5

Person responsible:

Riitta Kosunen

Working life cooperation:

None

693645P: Project Work, 5 - 10 op**Voimassaolo:** 01.08.2005 -**Opiskelumuoto:** Basic Studies**Laji:** Course**Vastuuyksikkö:** Faculty of Humanities**Arvostelu:** 1 - 5, pass, fail**Opintokohteen kielet:** Swedish**ECTS Credits:**

5

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:2nd#5th year**Learning outcomes:**

Upon completing this course, students will be able to plan, carry out and assess a translation project which is anchored in theory.

Contents:

Group or independent work under supervision

Mode of delivery:

Contact teaching or self study

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Workshop or independent study

Prerequisites and co-requisites:

Successful completion of Basic Studies package and course Translation (693694A) required

Assessment methods and criteria:

Written assignments with oral or written presentation

Grading:

0–5

Person responsible:

Riitta Kosunen och Paula Rossi

Working life cooperation:

None

693646P: Special Field, 5 - 10 op**Voimassaolo:** 01.08.2005 -**Opiskelumuoto:** Basic Studies**Laji:** Course**Vastuuyksikkö:** Faculty of Humanities**Arvostelu:** 1 - 5, pass, fail**Opintokohteen kielet:** Swedish**ECTS Credits:**

5

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

2nd#5th year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing the course, students will be familiar with the central questions within a special field of translation studies.

Contents:

Study of theoretical and practical questions within a special field in translation studies

Mode of delivery:

Contact teaching

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures or workshop

Prerequisites and co-requisites:

Successful completion of Basic Studies package required

Assessment methods and criteria:

Written examination and/or written assignments

Grading:

0–5

Person responsible:

Riitta Kosunen och Paula Rossi

Working life cooperation:

None

693647P: Language and Society, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2005 -

Opiskelumuoto: Intermediate Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

ECTS Credits:

5

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

2nd#5th year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing the course, students will be able to view translation as a process of language and culture transfer. Students will also be able to use literature related to translation studies in order to evaluate their own translations as well as those of others.

Contents:

Study of literature related to translation studies, analyses of translations

Mode of delivery:

Contact teaching

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures, project work, independent study

Prerequisites and co-requisites:

Successful completion of the Basic Studies package is required

Assessment methods and criteria:

Written assignments, translation exercises, examination/essay

Grading:

0–5

Person responsible:

Paula Rossi

Working life cooperation:

None

693684A: Language Immersion, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 28.05.2014 -

Opiskelumuoto: Intermediate Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Finnish

ECTS Credits:

5

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

1st#2nd year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing this course, students will be familiar with the main aspects of language immersion courses in day nurseries, elementary schools and secondary schools.

Contents:

Basic information about language immersion and research.

Mode of delivery:

Blended learning

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures, contact and distance teaching, educational tours and independent work

Recommended or required reading:

Materials according to the teacher's recommendations

Assessment methods and criteria:

Active participation and written assignments

Grading:

0–5

Person responsible:

Hannu Niemi

Working life cooperation:

None

693718A: Language Immersion and Bilingual Teaching, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2015 -

Opiskelumuoto: Intermediate Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

ECTS Credits:

5 ECTS credits

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

2nd#3rd year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing the course, students will be able to analyse bilingual teaching. They will be able to make oral and written presentations as well as summarise and critically discuss scholarly texts concerning bilingual education and language immersion.

Contents:

National and international studies of bilingual education with emphasis on Swedish language immersion in Finland. Theoretical foundations of and practical applications for different teaching methods

Mode of delivery:

Blended learning

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures, distance teaching, educational tours and independent study

Recommended or required reading:

Materials according to the teacher's recommendations

Assessment methods and criteria:

Active participation and written assignments

Grading:

0–5

Person responsible:

Hannu Niemi

693719A: Language Acquisition and Multilingualism, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2015 -

Opiskelumuoto: Intermediate Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opettajat: Marja-Leena Kivelä

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

ECTS Credits:

5 ECTS credits

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

2nd#3rd year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing the course, students will be familiar with the central theories of second language learning and development, and will have acquired knowledge of continuous assessment of a second language in a Swedish immersion course. They will be able to display an understanding of bilingualism and multilingualism on an individual level and in reference to a child's language development.

Contents:

Study of behaviouristic, cognitive and sociocultural perspectives to second language learning

Mode of delivery:

Blended learning

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures, distance teaching, independent study

Recommended or required reading:

Materials according to the teacher's recommendations

Assessment methods and criteria:

Active participation and written assignments

Grading:

0–5

Person responsible:

Hannu Niemi

*Compulsory courses for major***693666Y: Personal Study Plan 2 (Bachelor's degree), 0 op**

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2009 -

Opiskelumuoto: General Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Finnish

ECTS Credits:

0 ECTS credits

Target group:

Students majoring in Nordic Philology

693606A: Bachelor's Seminar and Thesis, 10 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2005 -

Opiskelumuoto: Intermediate Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

ECTS Credits:

10

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

2nd year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing the course, students will be able to conduct a minor academic research project and report on it. They will also be able to critically discuss academic work written by others.

Contents:

Study of the basics of the theory of science, research ethics, research methods within humanistic studies, research process, and academic writing

Mode of delivery:

Contact teaching

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures, exercises, seminar work, thesis reflection

Target group:

Students majoring in Nordic Philology

Prerequisites and co-requisites:

Successful completion of the Basic Studies package is required.

Recommended or required reading:

Materials according to the teacher's recommendations

Assessment methods and criteria:

Active participation, thesis, acting as an opponent to a fellow student's work

Grading:

0#5

Person responsible:

Lecturers

Working life cooperation:

None

693621A: Maturity Test for Bachelor's Degree (Swedish Language), 0 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2005 -

Opiskelumuoto: Intermediate Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Finnish

ECTS Credits:

0

Language of instruction:

Finnish or Swedish (or native language)

Timing:

After the course Bachelor's Seminar and Thesis

Learning outcomes:

Students will be able to write a language- and content-wise finished essay corresponding to the assignment given, in which they present the theoretical and methodological background and the primary results of their thesis.

Learning activities and teaching methods:

The Maturity Test will be taken in the Examinarium.

Prerequisites and co-requisites:

Successfully completed Bachelor's Thesis

Assessment methods and criteria:

An essay written on an examination date

Grading:

Pass/Fail

Person responsible:

Lecturers

Working life cooperation:

None

695250Y: Introduction to General Linguistics, 4 op**Voimassaolo:** 01.08.2005 -**Opiskelumuoto:** Language and Communication Studies**Laji:** Course**Vastuuyksikkö:** Faculty of Humanities**Arvostelu:** 1 - 5, pass, fail**Opettajat:** Santeri Palviainen**Opintokohteen kielet:** Finnish**ECTS Credits:**

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Language of instruction:

Finnish

Timing:

1st year, autumn term (as an optional course timing is free)

Learning outcomes:

Upon completion of this course, students will be able to analyse the structure of language scientifically and systematically. They will be able to apply the analytical tools of phonology, morphology, and syntax in novel linguistic data and define the basic terminology in linguistics.

Contents:

Basic linguistic concepts and analysis. The focus is on phonology, morphology, and syntax.

Mode of delivery:

Lectures

Learning activities and teaching methods:

40 hours of lectures, 68 hours of independent study

Target group:

Students of languages and others interested in languages

Prerequisites and co-requisites:

None

Recommended or required reading:

Assigned readings

Assessment methods and criteria:

Formal examination

Grading:

0–5

Person responsible:

Lecturer in Linguistics

Working life cooperation:

None

Other information:

It is recommended that the course be passed in the first semester if the course is mandatory for the student.

694500P: Introduction to Phonetics, 3 op**Voimassaolo:** 01.08.2005 -**Opiskelumuoto:** Basic Studies**Laji:** Course**Vastuuyksikkö:** Faculty of Humanities**Arvostelu:** 1 - 5, pass, fail**Opettajat:** Pentti Kõrkkö**Opintokohteen kielet:** Finnish**ECTS Credits:**

3 ECTS credits (81 hours of work)

Language of instruction:

Finnish

Timing:1st autumn term, periods I and II**Learning outcomes:**

Upon completion of the course, students will be able to explain the processes of speech production. Students will know the basic phonetic terminology used in describing and classifying speech sounds and prosodic features and will also be able to explain the general and special features of the Finnish sound system.

Contents:

Language and speech, speech production, phonetic description and classification of speech sounds, speech prosody

Mode of delivery:

Contact teaching and online exercises

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures 24 hours; independent online study 9 hours; independent study 46 hours including recommended reading and preparation for the exam; exam 2 hours

Target group:

Students majoring and minoring in languages

Recommended optional programme components:

Required exam reading for students who do not speak Finnish: Rogers, *The Sounds of Language – An Introduction to Phonetics* (2000), (Chapters 1 and 9–14). The examination dates are the same as for speakers of Finnish.

Recommended or required reading:

Recommended reading: Suomi, Toivanen & Ylitalo, *Fonetiikan ja suomen äänneopin perusteet* (2006), Part I or Suomi, Toivanen & Ylitalo, *Finnish Sound Structure* (2009)

Assessment methods and criteria:

Written examination. Assessment criteria are based on the learning outcomes of the course. Read more about the assessment criteria on the University of Oulu webpage.

Grading:

1–5 (0 = fail)

Person responsible:

Lecturer in Phonetics

Working life cooperation:

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Other information:

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010100Y: Orientation Course for New Students, 0 op

Opiskelumuoto: General Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opettajat: Sievola, Oili Elina

Opintokohteen kielet: Finnish

Ei opintojaksokuvauksia.

694926Y: Structure of Finnish, 3 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2005 -

Opiskelumuoto: Language and Communication Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Finnish

Leikkaavuudet:

ay694926Y Structure of Finnish (OPEN UNI) 3.0 op

ECTS Credits:

3 ECTS credits / 81 hours of work

Language of instruction:

Finnish

Timing:

1st year, period I

Learning outcomes:

Students will be able to define the basic phonological, morphological, and syntactic structures of modern standard Finnish.

Contents:

Introduction to scholarly depiction of structures of Finnish

Mode of delivery:

Contact teaching

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures (24 h); exercises (10 h); and independent study (47 h); or alternatively independent study online (81 h)

Target group:

Students in language programmes in the Faculty of Humanities

Prerequisites and co-requisites:

None

Recommended optional programme components:

Introduction to General Linguistics must be completed at the same time.

Recommended or required reading:

Online reading material

Assessment methods and criteria:

The assessment of the course is based on a formal examination, and the assessment criteria are based on the learning outcomes of the course.

Grading:

0–5

Person responsible:

University Lecturer Katja Västi

Working life cooperation:

None

Other information:

Students majoring in Finnish Language will include the course in the Language and Communication studies.

A110301: Nordic Philology, basic studies, 25 op

Opiskelumuoto: Basic Studies

Laji: Study module

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Finnish

Ei opintojaksokuvauksia.

Compulsory courses

693689P: Swedish Grammar I, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2015 -

Opiskelumuoto: Basic Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

Leikkaavuudet:

ay693689P Swedish Grammar I (OPEN UNI) 5.0 op

ECTS Credits:

5

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:1st year**Learning outcomes:**

Upon completing the course, students will have acquired knowledge of the structure of Swedish and the basic concepts of normative and descriptive grammar.

Contents:

Main emphasis on the basics of morphology and syntax

Mode of delivery:

Contact teaching

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures, exercises

Recommended or required reading:

Materials according to the teacher's recommendations

Assessment methods and criteria:

Written examination

Grading:

0–5

Person responsible:

Kirsi Lepistö

Working life cooperation:

None

693690P: Swedish and Finland-Swedish Culture and Society, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2015 -

Opiskelumuoto: Basic Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

Leikkaavuudet:

ay693690P Swedish and Finland-Swedish Culture and Society (OPEN UNI) 5.0 op

ECTS Credits:

5

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

1st year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing the course, students will have become familiar with the general aspects of culture, society, religion, and history in Sweden and Swedish-speaking Finland. Students will also be able to discuss and problematise concepts of Swedish and Finland-Swedish identity as well as historical and contemporary cultural phenomena in Sweden and Swedish-speaking Finland. Students will also be able to discuss cultural, religious and social circumstances in present-day Sweden and Swedish Finland from a historical perspective.

Contents:

The societal structures of Sweden and Swedish-speaking Finland are presented through historical, religious, and cultural aspects, among others. Students will also participate in Swedish traditions and customs. In addition, the course is connected to actual holidays and events in both Sweden and Swedish-speaking Finland.

Mode of delivery:

Contact teaching

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures and independent study

Recommended or required reading:

Materials according to the teacher's recommendations

Assessment methods and criteria:

Continuous assessment, written examination

Grading:

0#5

Working life cooperation:

None

693688P: Language Skills 1, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2015 -

Opiskelumuoto: Basic Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

Leikkaavuudet:

ay693688P Language Skills 1 (OPEN UNI) 5.0 op

ECTS Credits:

5

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

1st year, autumn semester

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing the course, students will have acquired knowledge on different forms of communication processes and have increased their abilities to express themselves using both correct and idiomatic Swedish. They can also translate simple texts from Finnish into Swedish and/or from Swedish into Finnish, and utilise different aids in the translation process. They will be able to give constructive criticism on each other's texts.

Contents:

Students practise their verbal and written communication skills through discussion, presentations and written assignments.

Mode of delivery:

Contact teaching

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Spoken and written exercises in small groups

Recommended or required reading:

Materials according to the teacher's recommendations

Assessment methods and criteria:

Continuous assessment. Grammatical correctness, coherence, cohesion, observation of conventions of speech

Grading:

0–5

Person responsible:

Lecturers

Working life cooperation:

None

693691P: Swedish Phonetics and Pronunciation, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2015 -

Opiskelumuoto: Basic Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

Leikkaavuudet:

ay693691P Swedish Phonetics and Pronunciation (OPEN UNI) 5.0 op

ECTS Credits:

5

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

1st year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing the course, students will be able to describe the pronunciation of Swedish and its characteristics in relation to the Swedish sound system and word and sentence prosody. They will also be able to identify the most important differences of pronunciation regarding Swedish in Sweden and Finland. In addition, students will be able to read, analyse, and produce simple Swedish transcriptions. Students will also be able to produce either the consonant and vowel sounds of Swedish as spoken in Sweden, or those of the Swedish spoken in Finland. In addition, they will be able to accentuate Swedish words, phrases, and sentences according to the recommendations for the chosen pronunciation variant.

Contents:

Systematic study of the sound system and word and sentence prosody of Swedish. Comparisons between Swedish as spoken in Sweden and as spoken in Finland, and transcription exercises. Reading of different kinds of texts with varying levels of difficulty

Mode of delivery:

Contact teaching

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures with exercises and pronunciation exercises in the language laboratory

Recommended or required reading:

Materials according to the teacher's recommendation

Assessment methods and criteria:

Active participation, midterm examination and/or final written examination

Grading:

0#5

Person responsible:

Jenni Tahkokorpi

Working life cooperation:

None

693692P: History of Swedish Language and Society, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2015 -

Opiskelumuoto: Basic Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

Leikkaavuudet:

ay693692P History of Swedish Language and Society (OPEN UNI) 5.0 op

ECTS Credits:

5

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

1st year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing the course, students will have become familiar with the historical background of the Nordic languages (with emphasis on Swedish) as well as the political, societal, and social factors that have had an impact on the development of the Swedish language. They can also describe the relationships between the Nordic languages.

Contents:

Study of linguistic development from Proto-Norse to Modern Swedish from the perspective of social and cultural history

Mode of delivery:

Contact teaching

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures

Recommended or required reading:

Materials according to the teacher's recommendations

Assessment methods and criteria:

Final written examination/written assignments/essay

Grading:

0–5

Person responsible:

Paula Rossi

Working life cooperation:

None

693663Y: Personal Study Plan 1 (Bachelor's degree), 0 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2009 -

Opiskelumuoto: General Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Finnish

ECTS Credits:

0 ECTS credits

Target group:

Students majoring in Nordic Philology

A110302: Nordic Philology, intermediate studies, 35 - 45 op**Opiskelumuoto:** Intermediate Studies**Laji:** Study module**Vastuuyksikkö:** Faculty of Humanities**Arvostelu:** 1 - 5, pass, fail**Opintokohteen kielet:** Finnish**Leikkaavuudet:**

ayA110302 Nordic Philology, intermediate studies (OPEN UNI) 35.0 op

Ei opintojaksokuvauksia.

*Compulsory courses (20 ECTS)***693693A: Swedish Grammar II, 5 op****Voimassaolo:** 01.08.2015 -**Opiskelumuoto:** Intermediate Studies**Laji:** Course**Vastuuyksikkö:** Faculty of Humanities**Arvostelu:** 1 - 5, pass, fail**Opintokohteen kielet:** Swedish**ECTS Credits:**

5

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:2nd-3rd year**Learning outcomes:**

Upon completing the course, students will be able to apply grammatical rules and concepts to different kinds of exercise materials, and discuss them.

Contents:

Close examination of chosen areas of grammar. The emphasis is on those grammatical constructions which often cause difficulties.

Mode of delivery:

Contact teaching

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Exercises, written assignments, project work

Prerequisites and co-requisites:

Swedish Grammar 1

Recommended or required reading:

Materials according to the teacher's recommendations

Assessment methods and criteria:

Written examination, written assignments and/or project work

Grading:

0–5

Person responsible:

Kirsi Lepistö

Working life cooperation:

None

693695A: Swedish Literature, 5 op**Voimassaolo:** 01.08.2015 -**Opiskelumuoto:** Intermediate Studies**Laji:** Course**Vastuuyksikkö:** Faculty of Humanities**Arvostelu:** 1 - 5, pass, fail**Opintokohteen kielet:** Swedish**ECTS Credits:**

5

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:2nd year**Learning outcomes:**

Upon completing the course, students will be able to demonstrate a knowledge of the main aspects in the history of Swedish literature and its representative authors. They will be able to analytically discuss literary texts both verbally and in writing.

Contents:

Study of the history of Swedish literature, discussion on works of literature, practice in the reading of literary texts.

Mode of delivery:

Contact teaching

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures with exercises and/or group work

Recommended or required reading:

Materials according to the teacher's recommendations

Assessment methods and criteria:

Written examination and/or written assignment

Grading:

0#5

Person responsible:

Riitta Kosunen

Working life cooperation:

None

693696A: Language Skills 2, 5 op**Voimassaolo:** 01.08.2015 -**Opiskelumuoto:** Intermediate Studies**Laji:** Course**Vastuuyksikkö:** Faculty of Humanities**Arvostelu:** 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

ECTS Credits:

5

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

1st-2nd year

Learning outcomes:

The students will build on their previous knowledge of various forms of written and spoken communication and will learn to apply different forms of expression to their own texts and presentations according to the content, aim, recipient and medium of communication. They will also improve their skills in Swedish pronunciation.

Contents:

Students study oral and written communication through pronunciation exercises, discussions, presentations and written assignments.

Mode of delivery:

Contact teaching

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Spoken and written assignments in small groups

Prerequisites and co-requisites:

Language Skills 1

Recommended or required reading:

Materials according to the teacher's recommendations

Assessment methods and criteria:

Continuous assessment. Grammatical correctness, coherence, cohesion, noticing genre conventions.

Grading:

0#5

Person responsible:

Lecturers

Working life cooperation:

None

693694A: Translation, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2015 -

Opiskelumuoto: Intermediate Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

ECTS Credits:

5

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

2nd year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing the course, students will be able to translate texts about various topics from Finnish into Swedish and from Swedish into Finnish and will be able to demonstrate an understanding of languages' linguistic characteristics and differences in regard to the translation process. They will be able to use different kinds of language aids purposefully in individual translation work and while working together in groups. Students will be able to critically analyse and discuss translations and are aware of their developmental challenges in regard to their future professional role as language experts.

Contents:

Translation exercises with emphasis on translation from Finnish into Swedish

Mode of delivery:

Contact teaching

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Translation assignments done both individually and in groups and discussed in class

Prerequisites and co-requisites:

Swedish Grammar 1 and Language Skills 1

Recommended or required reading:

Materials according to the teacher's recommendations

Assessment methods and criteria:

Continuous examination and/or translation exam

Grading:

0–5

Person responsible:

Riitta Kosunen och Hannu Niemi

Working life cooperation:

None

Elective courses. Choose 15 ECTS.

693701A: Neighbouring Languages, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2015 -

Opiskelumuoto: Intermediate Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

ECTS Credits:

5 ECTS credits

Language of instruction:

Danish/Norwegian/Icelandic and Swedish

Timing:

1st-3rd year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing the course, students will be able to display an understanding of one of the neighbouring Scandinavian languages in its spoken and written form. They will be familiar with the main features of the language's structure and have familiarised themselves with the country's literature, culture and societal conditions.

Contents:

Study of the main features of the neighbouring language's phonetic and grammatical structure. Introduction to culture and society. Analysis of simple texts.

Mode of delivery:

Contact teaching

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures, exercises

Recommended or required reading:

Materials according to the teacher's recommendations

Assessment methods and criteria:

Written examination

Grading:

Pass/Fail

Person responsible:

Guest Lecturers and Paula Rossi

693703A: Practical Business Communication, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2015 -

Opiskelumuoto: Intermediate Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

ECTS Credits:

5 ECTS credits

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

2nd-3rd year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing the course, students will be able to manage different kinds of written and spoken situations in organisational communication, e.g. giving a presentation on Nordic Philology to upper secondary school students, oral PR on Nordic Philology at the University's open house events, write business letters, and press releases. Students will also be able to apply for jobs in Swedish.

Contents:

Theory and practice in spoken and written business communication

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures with oral and written exercises, school visits, etc

Recommended or required reading:

Materials according to the teacher's recommendations

Assessment methods and criteria:

Continuous assessment: written assignments, oral presentations, active participation in exercises both during and outside the lectures

Grading:

0-5

Person responsible:

Jenni Tahkokorpi

693697A: Sociolinguistics, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2015 -

Opiskelumuoto: Intermediate Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

ECTS Credits:

5 ECTS credits

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

1st-3rd year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing the course, students will be familiar with the variable role of language in society, sociolinguistic theories and research methods. Students will also be familiar with empirical sociolinguistic research.

Contents:

Study of important trends in sociolinguistics, with emphasis on multilingualism

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures

Recommended or required reading:

Materials according to the teacher's recommendations

Assessment methods and criteria:

Written examination and/or essay

Grading:

0-5

Person responsible:

Kirsi Lepistö

693698A: Variation in Swedish Language, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2015 -

Opiskelumuoto: Intermediate Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

ECTS Credits:

5 ECTS credits

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

2nd-3rd year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing the course, students will be able to specify the most important features of dialects. They will also get insight into language variants in Sweden and the position and features of Swedish in Finland.

Contents:

The course covers the minority languages in Sweden and contemporary Swedish language use in various variants in Sweden as well as in Finland.

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures, project work, independent study

Assessment methods and criteria:

Written examination, written assignments and/or essay

Grading:

0–5

Person responsible:

Paula Rossi

693702A: Language Pedagogy Workshop, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2015 -

Opiskelumuoto: Intermediate Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

ECTS Credits:

5 ECTS credits

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

1st–3rd year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completion of the course, students will have improved their knowledge of questions related to language teaching regarding different stages of the language learning process.

Contents:

The focus of the course is on questions surrounding teaching skills, school work and language learning within the language learning process from nursery school to university.

Mode of delivery:

Contact teaching, group study, educational tours

Recommended or required reading:

Materials according to the teacher's recommendations

Assessment methods and criteria:

Active participation and written assignments

Grading:

0–5

Person responsible:

Hannu Niemi

693700A: Stylistics, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2015 -

Opiskelumuoto: Intermediate Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

ECTS Credits:

5 ECTS credits

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

2nd-3rd year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing the course, students will have learned the basics of the different aspects of stylistics, with emphasis on argumentative stylistics.

Contents:

During the course the students will acquire knowledge on the different aspects of stylistics with the help of smaller exercises on various types of stylistics, with the focus still on argumentative stylistics.

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures and independent study

Recommended or required reading:

Materials according to the teacher's recommendations

Assessment methods and criteria:

Continuous assessment and written course work

Grading:

0#5

Person responsible:

lecturer

693699A: Sweden Today!, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2015 -

Opiskelumuoto: Intermediate Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

ECTS Credits:

5 ECTS credits

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

2nd-3rd year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing the course, students will be able to observe, present, and discuss topical societal topics in a critical manner.

Contents:

Critical observation of the image of Sweden today through books, newspaper articles, radio- and TV programmes, among others. Various topical events in Swedish society

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures, group work, and independent study

Prerequisites and co-requisites:

Swedish and Finland-Swedish Culture and Society

Recommended or required reading:

Materials according to the teacher's recommendations

Assessment methods and criteria:

Continuous examination with written course work and oral presentation

Grading:

0#5

Person responsible:

lecturer

693704A: Optional Special Field, 2 - 20 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2015 -

Opiskelumuoto: Intermediate Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

Voidaan suorittaa useasti: Kyllä

ECTS Credits:

2–20 ECTS credits

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

1st–3rd year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing the course, students will have specialised in one of the fields of Nordistics.

Contents:

Completed courses outside the curriculum and other courses in other subjects or at other universities, e.g. courses in Nordic languages and literature in Denmark, Norway, or Sweden.

Grading:

0–5, Pass/Fail

Person responsible:

Paula Rossi

693716P: Audio-visual Translation, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2015 -

Opiskelumuoto: Intermediate Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

ECTS Credits:

5 ECTS credits

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

2nd#5th year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing the course, students will be familiar with theoretical and practical questions concerning audio-visual translation.

Contents:

Study of theoretical and practical questions concerning audio-visual translation. Analysis of subtitles and dubs in television programmes and films

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures and exercises

Prerequisites and co-requisites:

Successful completion of the Basic Studies package is required

Assessment methods and criteria:

Written examination and/or written assignment

Grading:

0–5

Person responsible:

Riitta Kosunen och Paula Rossi

693644P: Introduction to Translation Studies, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2005 -

Opiskelumuoto: Basic Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

ECTS Credits:

5

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

1st#5th year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing the course, students will be able to display an understanding of the role of translation and individual translations in society. Students will be able to discuss translation and translations against the background of grammatical, stylistic, semantic, and pragmatic issues. They will also have an overview of the main questions that concern translation studies.

Contents:

Study of the four basic aspects of translation and introduction to different fields of research within translation studies

Mode of delivery:

Contact teaching or self study

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures, group work and/or independent study

Assessment methods and criteria:

Written examination

Grading:

0–5

Person responsible:

Riitta Kosunen

Working life cooperation:

None

693645P: Project Work, 5 - 10 op**Voimassaolo:** 01.08.2005 -**Opiskelumuoto:** Basic Studies**Laji:** Course**Vastuuyksikkö:** Faculty of Humanities**Arvostelu:** 1 - 5, pass, fail**Opintokohteen kielet:** Swedish**ECTS Credits:**

5

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:2nd#5th year**Learning outcomes:**

Upon completing this course, students will be able to plan, carry out and assess a translation project which is anchored in theory.

Contents:

Group or independent work under supervision

Mode of delivery:

Contact teaching or self study

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Workshop or independent study

Prerequisites and co-requisites:

Successful completion of Basic Studies package and course Translation (693694A) required

Assessment methods and criteria:

Written assignments with oral or written presentation

Grading:

0–5

Person responsible:

Riitta Kosunen och Paula Rossi

Working life cooperation:

None

693646P: Special Field, 5 - 10 op**Voimassaolo:** 01.08.2005 -**Opiskelumuoto:** Basic Studies**Laji:** Course**Vastuuyksikkö:** Faculty of Humanities**Arvostelu:** 1 - 5, pass, fail**Opintokohteen kielet:** Swedish**ECTS Credits:**

5

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:2nd#5th year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing the course, students will be familiar with the central questions within a special field of translation studies.

Contents:

Study of theoretical and practical questions within a special field in translation studies

Mode of delivery:

Contact teaching

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures or workshop

Prerequisites and co-requisites:

Successful completion of Basic Studies package required

Assessment methods and criteria:

Written examination and/or written assignments

Grading:

0–5

Person responsible:

Riitta Kosunen och Paula Rossi

Working life cooperation:

None

693647P: Language and Society, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2005 -

Opiskelumuoto: Intermediate Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

ECTS Credits:

5

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

2nd#5th year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing the course, students will be able to view translation as a process of language and culture transfer. Students will also be able to use literature related to translation studies in order to evaluate their own translations as well as those of others.

Contents:

Study of literature related to translation studies, analyses of translations

Mode of delivery:

Contact teaching

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures, project work, independent study

Prerequisites and co-requisites:

Successful completion of the Basic Studies package is required

Assessment methods and criteria:

Written assignments, translation exercises, examination/essay

Grading:

0–5

Person responsible:

Paula Rossi

Working life cooperation:

None

693684A: Language Immersion, 5 op**Voimassaolo:** 28.05.2014 -**Opiskelumuoto:** Intermediate Studies**Laji:** Course**Vastuuyksikkö:** Faculty of Humanities**Arvostelu:** 1 - 5, pass, fail**Opintokohteen kielet:** Finnish**ECTS Credits:**

5

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:1st#2nd year**Learning outcomes:**

Upon completing this course, students will be familiar with the main aspects of language immersion courses in day nurseries, elementary schools and secondary schools.

Contents:

Basic information about language immersion and research.

Mode of delivery:

Blended learning

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures, contact and distance teaching, educational tours and independent work

Recommended or required reading:

Materials according to the teacher's recommendations

Assessment methods and criteria:

Active participation and written assignments

Grading:

0–5

Person responsible:

Hannu Niemi

Working life cooperation:

None

693718A: Language Immersion and Bilingual Teaching, 5 op**Voimassaolo:** 01.08.2015 -**Opiskelumuoto:** Intermediate Studies**Laji:** Course**Vastuuyksikkö:** Faculty of Humanities**Arvostelu:** 1 - 5, pass, fail**Opintokohteen kielet:** Swedish

ECTS Credits:

5 ECTS credits

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

2nd#3rd year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing the course, students will be able to analyse bilingual teaching. They will be able to make oral and written presentations as well as summarise and critically discuss scholarly texts concerning bilingual education and language immersion.

Contents:

National and international studies of bilingual education with emphasis on Swedish language immersion in Finland. Theoretical foundations of and practical applications for different teaching methods

Mode of delivery:

Blended learning

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures, distance teaching, educational tours and independent study

Recommended or required reading:

Materials according to the teacher's recommendations

Assessment methods and criteria:

Active participation and written assignments

Grading:

0–5

Person responsible:

Hannu Niemi

693719A: Language Acquisition and Multilingualism, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2015 -

Opiskelumuoto: Intermediate Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opettajat: Marja-Leena Kivelä

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

ECTS Credits:

5 ECTS credits

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

2nd#3rd year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing the course, students will be familiar with the central theories of second language learning and development, and will have acquired knowledge of continuous assessment of a second language in a Swedish immersion course. They will be able to display an understanding of bilingualism and multilingualism on an individual level and in reference to a child's language development.

Contents:

Study of behaviouristic, cognitive and sociocultural perspectives to second language learning

Mode of delivery:

Blended learning

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures, distance teaching, independent study

Recommended or required reading:

Materials according to the teacher's recommendations

Assessment methods and criteria:

Active participation and written assignments

Grading:

0–5

Person responsible:

Hannu Niemi

*Compulsory courses for major***693666Y: Personal Study Plan 2 (Bachelor's degree), 0 op**

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2009 -

Opiskelumuoto: General Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Finnish

ECTS Credits:

0 ECTS credits

Target group:

Students majoring in Nordic Philology

693606A: Bachelor's Seminar and Thesis, 10 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2005 -

Opiskelumuoto: Intermediate Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

ECTS Credits:

10

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

2nd year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing the course, students will be able to conduct a minor academic research project and report on it. They will also be able to critically discuss academic work written by others.

Contents:

Study of the basics of the theory of science, research ethics, research methods within humanistic studies, research process, and academic writing

Mode of delivery:

Contact teaching

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures, exercises, seminar work, thesis reflection

Target group:

Students majoring in Nordic Philology

Prerequisites and co-requisites:

Successful completion of the Basic Studies package is required.

Recommended or required reading:

Materials according to the teacher's recommendations

Assessment methods and criteria:

Active participation, thesis, acting as an opponent to a fellow student's work

Grading:

0#5

Person responsible:

Lecturers

Working life cooperation:

None

693621A: Maturity Test for Bachelor's Degree (Swedish Language), 0 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2005 -

Opiskelumuoto: Intermediate Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Finnish

ECTS Credits:

0

Language of instruction:

Finnish or Swedish (or native language)

Timing:

After the course Bachelor's Seminar and Thesis

Learning outcomes:

Students will be able to write a language- and content-wise finished essay corresponding to the assignment given, in which they present the theoretical and methodological background and the primary results of their thesis.

Learning activities and teaching methods:

The Maturity Test will be taken in the Examinarium.

Prerequisites and co-requisites:

Successfully completed Bachelor's Thesis

Assessment methods and criteria:

An essay written on an examination date

Grading:

Pass/Fail

Person responsible:

Lecturers

Working life cooperation:

None

A110303: Nordic Philology, advanced studies, 80 op**Opiskelumuoto:** Advanced Studies**Laji:** Study module**Vastuuyksikkö:** Faculty of Humanities**Arvostelu:** 1 - 5, pass, fail**Opintokohteen kielet:** Finnish

Ei opintojaksokuvauksia.

*Compulsory courses***693669Y: Personal Study Plan 3 (Master's degree), 0 op****Voimassaolo:** 01.08.2009 -**Opiskelumuoto:** General Studies**Laji:** Course**Vastuuyksikkö:** Faculty of Humanities**Arvostelu:** 1 - 5, pass, fail**Opintokohteen kielet:** Finnish**ECTS Credits:**

0 ECTS credits

Target group:

Students majoring in Nordic Philology

693622S: Master's Thesis, 40 op**Voimassaolo:** 01.08.2005 -**Opiskelumuoto:** Advanced Studies**Laji:** Diploma thesis**Vastuuyksikkö:** Faculty of Humanities**Arvostelu:** 1 - 5, pass, fail**Opintokohteen kielet:** Swedish**ECTS Credits:**

40

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:4th#5th year**Learning outcomes:**

Upon completing the course, students will be able to solve a linguistically relevant research problem independently and in a methodologically correct way. They will be able to produce a written thesis in correct Swedish and show facilities for academic thinking, knowledge of methods, problem awareness, and advanced knowledge in the chosen theme.

Contents:

Instruction and seminars where students learn to discuss academic problems and write an academic thesis

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Instruction and seminars, independent study

Prerequisites and co-requisites:

Successful completion of Basic and Intermediate Study packages required

Assessment methods and criteria:

Independently written thesis

Grading:

0–5

Person responsible:

Paula Rossi

Working life cooperation:

None

693648S: Maturity Test for Master's Degree (Swedish language), 0 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2005 -

Opiskelumuoto: Advanced Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Finnish

ECTS Credits:

0

Language of instruction:

Finnish or Swedish (or mother tongue)

Timing:

5th year

Learning outcomes:

Students will be able to present the primary theoretical background, results and conclusions of their thesis in a competent, concise, and discerning manner.

Contents:

A summary of the Master's thesis written in the student's mother tongue

Prerequisites and co-requisites:

Successful submission of Master's thesis for inspection

Assessment methods and criteria:

A summary of the Master's thesis

Grading:

Pass/Fail

Person responsible:

Instructors for Master's thesis

Working life cooperation:

None

693623S: Methodology and Seminar, 10 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2005 -

Opiskelumuoto: Advanced Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

ECTS Credits:

10

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:4th year**Learning outcomes:**

Upon completing the course, students will have acquired knowledge and skills required in academic work. Students will be able to independently produce a written, academically relevant thesis and will also be able to critically discuss and take positions in the seminars.

Contents:

Study of different phases of academic work

Mode of delivery:

Contact teaching

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Seminars and independent work

Prerequisites and co-requisites:

Successful completion of Basic and Intermediate Study packages required

Assessment methods and criteria:

Independent work and acting as opponent to the work of a fellow student

Grading:

0–5

Person responsible:

Paula Rossi

Working life cooperation:

None

693624S: Advanced Presentation Skills, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2005 -

Opiskelumuoto: Advanced Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

ECTS Credits:

5

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:4th–5th year**Learning outcomes:**

Upon completing the course, students will have acquired deeper insights into and increased confidence in their oral and written presentation skills.

Contents:

Students will practice speaking in public contexts and analysing speeches. Written assignments, translation and analysis of various texts. Study of basics of rhetoric and its history.

Mode of delivery:

Contact teaching

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures, lessons, group and independent work, spoken and written presentations

Recommended or required reading:

Materials according to the teacher's recommendations

Assessment methods and criteria:

Continuous assessment

Grading:

0#5

Person responsible:

Jenni Tahkokorpi

Working life cooperation:

None

693705S: Advanced Grammar, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2015 -

Opiskelumuoto: Advanced Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

ECTS Credits:

5 ECTS credits

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

4th-5th year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing the course, students will be able to explain and discuss grammatical questions and correct errors using reference grammars. Students will also be able to use reference grammars in their own research and future profession.

Contents:

Grammatical studies, topical grammatical questions in contemporary Swedish and writing techniques. Specialisation can be agreed upon.

Mode of delivery:

Contact teaching

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures, exercises

Prerequisites and co-requisites:

Successful completion of Swedish Grammar 1 and Swedish Grammar 2 required

Recommended or required reading:

Materials according to the teacher's recommendations

Assessment methods and criteria:

Written examination, written assignments

Grading:

0-5

Person responsible:

Kirsi Lepistö

*Elective courses***693713S: Second Language Acquisition, 5 op****Voimassaolo:** 01.08.2015 -**Opiskelumuoto:** Advanced Studies**Laji:** Course**Vastuuyksikkö:** Faculty of Humanities**Arvostelu:** 1 - 5, pass, fail**Opintokohteen kielet:** Swedish**ECTS Credits:**

5 ECTS credits

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:4th-5th year**Learning outcomes:**

Upon completing the course, students will have an overview of the most central questions in second language acquisition and they will be able to relate these to language education.

Contents:

Study of different theoretical perspectives in second language acquisition

Mode of delivery:

Lectures with exercises

Recommended or required reading:

Materials according to the teacher's recommendations

Assessment methods and criteria:

Written examination and/or written assignment

Grading:

0#5

Person responsible:

Riitta Kosunen

693709S: Advanced Dialectology, 5 op**Voimassaolo:** 01.08.2015 -**Opiskelumuoto:** Advanced Studies**Laji:** Course**Vastuuyksikkö:** Faculty of Humanities**Arvostelu:** 1 - 5, pass, fail**Opintokohteen kielet:** Swedish**ECTS Credits:**

5 ECTS credits

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:4th-5th year**Learning outcomes:**

Upon completing the course, students will be able to explain the historical background of dialects and the contemporary dialect situation in Sweden and Swedish-speaking Finland.

Contents:

During the course, students will study the regional variants of and linguistic variation in Swedish through sociolinguistic and dialectological research, among other things.

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures, project work, independent study

Recommended or required reading:

Materials according to the teacher's recommendations

Grading:

0–5

Person responsible:

Paula Rossi

693708S: Intercultural Communication, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2015 -

Opiskelumuoto: Advanced Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

ECTS Credits:

5 ECTS credits

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

4th–5th year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing the course, students will be able to define the concept of culture in a diverse fashion. Additionally, they will be able to analyse and interpret various multicultural communication situations and the cultural factors that underlie them. Students will be able to demonstrate an understanding of their own cultural origins better and be able to analyse the impact this has on their own way of thinking, acting, and communicating.

Contents:

The following questions are addressed during the course: What does culture as a concept mean? In which ways do cultures differ from one another? What sort of negotiation cultures exist? What are Finnish and Swedish communicators like in business contexts? How can situations in which cultures conflict be avoided in multicultural working environments?

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures and presentations by students or essay

Recommended or required reading:

Materials according to the teacher's recommendations

Assessment methods and criteria:

Learning diary, student presentation or essay

Grading:

0–5

Person responsible:

Jenni Tahkokorpi

693710S: Advanced Onomastics, 5 op**Voimassaolo:** 01.08.2015 -**Opiskelumuoto:** Advanced Studies**Laji:** Course**Vastuuyksikkö:** Faculty of Humanities**Arvostelu:** 1 - 5, pass, fail**Opintokohteen kielet:** Swedish**ECTS Credits:**

5 ECTS credits

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:4th-5th year**Learning outcomes:**

Upon completing the course, students will have acquired knowledge of the most important sources and methods in Nordic (Swedish) onomastics.

Contents:

Study of sources and methods in Nordic onomastics

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures, independent study

Assessment methods and criteria:

Examination or essay

Grading:

0-5

Person responsible:

Paula Rossi

693707S: Organisation Culture and Organisation Communication, 5 op**Voimassaolo:** 01.08.2015 -**Opiskelumuoto:** Advanced Studies**Laji:** Course**Vastuuyksikkö:** Faculty of Humanities**Arvostelu:** 1 - 5, pass, fail**Opintokohteen kielet:** Swedish**ECTS Credits:**

5 ECTS credits

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:4th-5th year**Learning outcomes:**

Upon completing the course, students will have a comprehensive impression and will be able to display an understanding of both internal and external communication on different levels. They can display an understanding of leadership and its meaning in organisations. Students will be able to conduct a minor research project about organisational culture or external organisational communication.

Contents:

Study of the concepts and processes, channels and agents within internal and external communication.
Case exercises.

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures with group assignments and discussions, case studies and presentations by students

Recommended or required reading:

Materials according to the teacher's recommendations

Assessment methods and criteria:

Learning diary, presentation and group examination

Grading:

0–5

Person responsible:

Jenni Tahkokorpi

693711S: Advanced Semantics, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2015 -

Opiskelumuoto: Advanced Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

ECTS Credits:

5 ECTS credits

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

4th-5th year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing the course, students will be able to discuss how the meanings of words are constructed and the types of relationships of meaning that exist between words. Students will be able to explain the principles according to which dictionaries and dictionary articles are constructed, as well as how word formation works in the Swedish language.

Contents:

Study of the basics of lexical semantics, lexicography and word formation

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures and exercises

Assessment methods and criteria:

Written examination

Grading:

0#5

Person responsible:

Riitta Kosunen

693712S: Advanced Literature, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2015 -

Opiskelumuoto: Advanced Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

ECTS Credits:

5 ECTS credits

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

4th–5th year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing the course, students will be able to use one or more literary theories in the analysis and discussion of a literary work. The students' discussion will be both theoretically and textually persuasive.

Contents:

Study of different literary theories. Discussion on later Scandinavian literary prose.

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures/study circles, group discussion

Assessment methods and criteria:

Active participation in lectures, written assignment (analysis of a novel)

Grading:

0#5

Person responsible:

Riitta Kosunen

693714S: Advanced Sociolinguistics, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2015 -

Opiskelumuoto: Advanced Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

ECTS Credits:

5 ECTS credits

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

4th–5th year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing the course, students will have acquired advanced knowledge of the social functions of language, and they will have become familiar with general sociolinguistic theories, methods and analysis conventions.

Contents:

Study of the main trends in sociolinguistics

Mode of delivery:

Contact teaching, independent study

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures

Prerequisites and co-requisites:

Sociolinguistics (693697A)

Recommended or required reading:

Materials according to the teacher's recommendations

Assessment methods and criteria:

Written examination, essay

Grading:

0–5

Person responsible:

Kirsi Lepistö

693715S: History of Swedish Language, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2015 -

Opiskelumuoto: Advanced Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

ECTS Credits:

5 ECTS credits

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

4th–5th year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing this course, the students will be able to diversely discuss scholarly articles on language history. They will be able to analyse and interpret older texts and old handwritings.

Contents:

Study of the research of linguistic developments, analysis assignments. Specialisation upon agreement with teacher. The course also touches upon the contacts between Swedish and other languages and cultures in different periods of history.

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures, project work, independent study

Assessment methods and criteria:

Final examination, written assignments

Grading:

0–5

Person responsible:

Paula Rossi

693641S: Optional Advanced Studies, 2 - 20 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2005 -

Opiskelumuoto: Advanced Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

Voidaan suorittaa useasti: Kyllä

ECTS Credits:

2–20

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:4th–5th year**Learning outcomes:**

Upon completing the course, students will have specialised in one of the fields of Nordistics, for instance by completing courses outside the general curriculum or in other subjects or at another university (e.g. courses in Nordic languages or literature in Iceland or in the Faeroe Islands).

Contents:

Specialization according to agreement

Mode of delivery:

Contact teaching or self study

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures, independent study

Assessment methods and criteria:

Examination, essay and/or summary

Grading:

0-5

Person responsible:

Paula Rossi

Working life cooperation:

None

A110303: Nordic Philology, advanced studies, 80 op**Opiskelumuoto:** Advanced Studies**Laji:** Study module**Vastuuyksikkö:** Faculty of Humanities**Arvostelu:** 1 - 5, pass, fail**Opintokohteen kielet:** Finnish

Ei opintojaksokuvauksia.

*Compulsory courses***693669Y: Personal Study Plan 3 (Master's degree), 0 op****Voimassaolo:** 01.08.2009 -**Opiskelumuoto:** General Studies**Laji:** Course**Vastuuyksikkö:** Faculty of Humanities**Arvostelu:** 1 - 5, pass, fail**Opintokohteen kielet:** Finnish**ECTS Credits:**

0 ECTS credits

Target group:

Students majoring in Nordic Philology

693622S: Master's Thesis, 40 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2005 -

Opiskelumuoto: Advanced Studies

Laji: Diploma thesis

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

ECTS Credits:

40

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

4th#5th year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing the course, students will be able to solve a linguistically relevant research problem independently and in a methodologically correct way. They will be able to produce a written thesis in correct Swedish and show facilities for academic thinking, knowledge of methods, problem awareness, and advanced knowledge in the chosen theme.

Contents:

Instruction and seminars where students learn to discuss academic problems and write an academic thesis

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Instruction and seminars, independent study

Prerequisites and co-requisites:

Successful completion of Basic and Intermediate Study packages required

Assessment methods and criteria:

Independently written thesis

Grading:

0–5

Person responsible:

Paula Rossi

Working life cooperation:

None

693648S: Maturity Test for Master's Degree (Swedish language), 0 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2005 -

Opiskelumuoto: Advanced Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Finnish

ECTS Credits:

0

Language of instruction:

Finnish or Swedish (or mother tongue)

Timing:

5th year

Learning outcomes:

Students will be able to present the primary theoretical background, results and conclusions of their thesis in a competent, concise, and discerning manner.

Contents:

A summary of the Master's thesis written in the student's mother tongue

Prerequisites and co-requisites:

Successful submission of Master's thesis for inspection

Assessment methods and criteria:

A summary of the Master's thesis

Grading:

Pass/Fail

Person responsible:

Instructors for Master's thesis

Working life cooperation:

None

693623S: Methodology and Seminar, 10 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2005 -

Opiskelumuoto: Advanced Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

ECTS Credits:

10

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

4th year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing the course, students will have acquired knowledge and skills required in academic work. Students will be able to independently produce a written, academically relevant thesis and will also be able to critically discuss and take positions in the seminars.

Contents:

Study of different phases of academic work

Mode of delivery:

Contact teaching

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Seminars and independent work

Prerequisites and co-requisites:

Successful completion of Basic and Intermediate Study packages required

Assessment methods and criteria:

Independent work and acting as opponent to the work of a fellow student

Grading:

0–5

Person responsible:

Paula Rossi

Working life cooperation:

None

693624S: Advanced Presentation Skills, 5 op**Voimassaolo:** 01.08.2005 -**Opiskelumuoto:** Advanced Studies**Laji:** Course**Vastuuyksikkö:** Faculty of Humanities**Arvostelu:** 1 - 5, pass, fail**Opintokohteen kielet:** Swedish**ECTS Credits:**

5

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:4th-5th year**Learning outcomes:**

Upon completing the course, students will have acquired deeper insights into and increased confidence in their oral and written presentation skills.

Contents:

Students will practice speaking in public contexts and analysing speeches. Written assignments, translation and analysis of various texts. Study of basics of rhetoric and its history.

Mode of delivery:

Contact teaching

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures, lessons, group and independent work, spoken and written presentations

Recommended or required reading:

Materials according to the teacher's recommendations

Assessment methods and criteria:

Continuous assessment

Grading:

0#5

Person responsible:

Jenni Tahkokorpi

Working life cooperation:

None

693705S: Advanced Grammar, 5 op**Voimassaolo:** 01.08.2015 -**Opiskelumuoto:** Advanced Studies**Laji:** Course**Vastuuyksikkö:** Faculty of Humanities**Arvostelu:** 1 - 5, pass, fail**Opintokohteen kielet:** Swedish**ECTS Credits:**

5 ECTS credits

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

4th–5th year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing the course, students will be able to explain and discuss grammatical questions and correct errors using reference grammars. Students will also be able to use reference grammars in their own research and future profession.

Contents:

Grammatical studies, topical grammatical questions in contemporary Swedish and writing techniques. Specialisation can be agreed upon.

Mode of delivery:

Contact teaching

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures, exercises

Prerequisites and co-requisites:

Successful completion of Swedish Grammar 1 and Swedish Grammar 2 required

Recommended or required reading:

Materials according to the teacher's recommendations

Assessment methods and criteria:

Written examination, written assignments

Grading:

0–5

Person responsible:

Kirsi Lepistö

*Elective courses***693713S: Second Language Acquisition, 5 op**

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2015 -

Opiskelumuoto: Advanced Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

ECTS Credits:

5 ECTS credits

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

4th–5th year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing the course, students will have an overview of the most central questions in second language acquisition and they will be able to relate these to language education.

Contents:

Study of different theoretical perspectives in second language acquisition

Mode of delivery:

Lectures with exercises

Recommended or required reading:

Materials according to the teacher's recommendations

Assessment methods and criteria:

Written examination and/or written assignment

Grading:

0#5

Person responsible:

Riitta Kosunen

693709S: Advanced Dialectology, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2015 -

Opiskelumuoto: Advanced Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

ECTS Credits:

5 ECTS credits

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

4th–5th year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing the course, students will be able to explain the historical background of dialects and the contemporary dialect situation in Sweden and Swedish-speaking Finland.

Contents:

During the course, students will study the regional variants of and linguistic variation in Swedish through sociolinguistic and dialectological research, among other things.

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures, project work, independent study

Recommended or required reading:

Materials according to the teacher's recommendations

Grading:

0–5

Person responsible:

Paula Rossi

693708S: Intercultural Communication, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2015 -

Opiskelumuoto: Advanced Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

ECTS Credits:

5 ECTS credits

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:4th–5th year**Learning outcomes:**

Upon completing the course, students will be able to define the concept of culture in a diverse fashion. Additionally, they will be able to analyse and interpret various multicultural communication situations and the cultural factors that underlie them. Students will be able to demonstrate an understanding of their own cultural origins better and be able to analyse the impact this has on their own way of thinking, acting, and communicating.

Contents:

The following questions are addressed during the course: What does culture as a concept mean? In which ways do cultures differ from one another? What sort of negotiation cultures exist? What are Finnish and Swedish communicators like in business contexts? How can situations in which cultures conflict be avoided in multicultural working environments?

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures and presentations by students or essay

Recommended or required reading:

Materials according to the teacher's recommendations

Assessment methods and criteria:

Learning diary, student presentation or essay

Grading:

0–5

Person responsible:

Jenni Tahkokorpi

693710S: Advanced Onomastics, 5 op**Voimassaolo:** 01.08.2015 -**Opiskelumuoto:** Advanced Studies**Laji:** Course**Vastuuyksikkö:** Faculty of Humanities**Arvostelu:** 1 - 5, pass, fail**Opintokohteen kielet:** Swedish**ECTS Credits:**

5 ECTS credits

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:4th–5th year**Learning outcomes:**

Upon completing the course, students will have acquired knowledge of the most important sources and methods in Nordic (Swedish) onomastics.

Contents:

Study of sources and methods in Nordic onomastics

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures, independent study

Assessment methods and criteria:

Examination or essay

Grading:

0–5

Person responsible:

Paula Rossi

693707S: Organisation Culture and Organisation Communication, 5 op**Voimassaolo:** 01.08.2015 -**Opiskelumuoto:** Advanced Studies**Laji:** Course**Vastuuyksikkö:** Faculty of Humanities**Arvostelu:** 1 - 5, pass, fail**Opintokohteen kielet:** Swedish**ECTS Credits:**

5 ECTS credits

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:4th-5th year**Learning outcomes:**

Upon completing the course, students will have a comprehensive impression and will be able to display an understanding of both internal and external communication on different levels. They can display an understanding of leadership and its meaning in organisations. Students will be able to conduct a minor research project about organisational culture or external organisational communication.

Contents:

Study of the concepts and processes, channels and agents within internal and external communication. Case exercises.

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures with group assignments and discussions, case studies and presentations by students

Recommended or required reading:

Materials according to the teacher's recommendations

Assessment methods and criteria:

Learning diary, presentation and group examination

Grading:

0-5

Person responsible:

Jenni Tahkokorpi

693711S: Advanced Semantics, 5 op**Voimassaolo:** 01.08.2015 -**Opiskelumuoto:** Advanced Studies**Laji:** Course**Vastuuyksikkö:** Faculty of Humanities**Arvostelu:** 1 - 5, pass, fail**Opintokohteen kielet:** Swedish**ECTS Credits:**

5 ECTS credits

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:4th–5th year**Learning outcomes:**

Upon completing the course, students will be able to discuss how the meanings of words are constructed and the types of relationships of meaning that exist between words. Students will be able to explain the principles according to which dictionaries and dictionary articles are constructed, as well as how word formation works in the Swedish language.

Contents:

Study of the basics of lexical semantics, lexicography and word formation

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures and exercises

Assessment methods and criteria:

Written examination

Grading:

0#5

Person responsible:

Riitta Kosunen

693712S: Advanced Literature, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2015 -

Opiskelumuoto: Advanced Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

ECTS Credits:

5 ECTS credits

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

4th–5th year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing the course, students will be able to use one or more literary theories in the analysis and discussion of a literary work. The students' discussion will be both theoretically and textually persuasive.

Contents:

Study of different literary theories. Discussion on later Scandinavian literary prose.

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures/study circles, group discussion

Assessment methods and criteria:

Active participation in lectures, written assignment (analysis of a novel)

Grading:

0#5

Person responsible:

Riitta Kosunen

693714S: Advanced Sociolinguistics, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2015 -

Opiskelumuoto: Advanced Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

ECTS Credits:

5 ECTS credits

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

4th-5th year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing the course, students will have acquired advanced knowledge of the social functions of language, and they will have become familiar with general sociolinguistic theories, methods and analysis conventions.

Contents:

Study of the main trends in sociolinguistics

Mode of delivery:

Contact teaching, independent study

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures

Prerequisites and co-requisites:

Sociolinguistics (693697A)

Recommended or required reading:

Materials according to the teacher's recommendations

Assessment methods and criteria:

Written examination, essay

Grading:

0-5

Person responsible:

Kirsi Lepistö

693715S: History of Swedish Language, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2015 -

Opiskelumuoto: Advanced Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

ECTS Credits:

5 ECTS credits

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

4th-5th year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing this course, the students will be able to diversely discuss scholarly articles on language history. They will be able to analyse and interpret older texts and old handwritings.

Contents:

Study of the research of linguistic developments, analysis assignments. Specialisation upon agreement with teacher. The course also touches upon the contacts between Swedish and other languages and cultures in different periods of history.

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures, project work, independent study

Assessment methods and criteria:

Final examination, written assignments

Grading:

0–5

Person responsible:

Paula Rossi

693641S: Optional Advanced Studies, 2 - 20 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2005 -

Opiskelumuoto: Advanced Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

Voidaan suorittaa useasti: Kyllä

ECTS Credits:

2–20

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

4th–5th year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing the course, students will have specialised in one of the fields of Nordistics, for instance by completing courses outside the general curriculum or in other subjects or at another university (e.g. courses in Nordic languages or literature in Iceland or in the Faeroe Islands).

Contents:

Specialization according to agreement

Mode of delivery:

Contact teaching or self study

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures, independent study

Assessment methods and criteria:

Examination, essay and/or summary

Grading:

0-5

Person responsible:

Paula Rossi

Working life cooperation:

None

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693627S: Advanced Swedish Phonology, 4 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2005 -

Opiskelumuoto: Advanced Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

ECTS Credits:

4

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:

4th-5th year

Learning outcomes:

Upon completing the course, students will have acquired an advanced knowledge of the phoneme system of Swedish used in Sweden and Finland. They can also analyse, comment on, and transcribe the pronunciation of Swedish learners.

Contents:

Study of the Swedish phoneme system at a deeper level, phonological theories and concepts. Pronunciation analysis assignments and transcription exercises

Mode of delivery:

Contact teaching or self study

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Lectures with exercises and independent study. Attendance in the lectures is compulsory. The course can also be completed independently as a longer pronunciation analysis assignment.

Prerequisites and co-requisites:

Successful completion of Basic and Intermediate Study packages required.

Recommended or required reading:

Hand-outs. If the course is completed independently, the following works, for example, can be made use of: C. –C. Elert, Allmän och svensk fonetik. 6th or newer ed. (1989/1995/2000); O. Engstrand, Fonetikens grunder (2004 Studentlitteratur, Lund); M. Reuter, Finlandssvenskt uttal I: Språkbruk och språkvård. 3rd ed. pp. 19–45. (1977)

Assessment methods and criteria:

Active participation and a home examination (an analysis assignment of 6–8 pages). Or a longer analysis assignment (15 pages) with theoretical background and transcriptions.

Read more about [assessment criteria](#) at the University of Oulu webpage.

Grading:

0-5

Person responsible:

Jenni Tahkokorpi

Working life cooperation:

None

693642S: Language Training (Swedish), 3 - 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2005 -

Opiskelumuoto: Language and Communication Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

ECTS Credits:

3–5

Language of instruction:

Swedish or some other Nordic language

Timing:1st–5th year**Learning outcomes:**

During language training, students will familiarise themselves with Swedish as it is spoken in Sweden or in Finland (or Danish, Norwegian or Icelandic) and gain practical skills.

Contents:

Completion of a Nordic language course or a minimum of one month's stay in a Nordic country

Target group:

Students majoring in Nordic Philology and students minoring in Nordic Philology who are taking advanced studies.

Assessment methods and criteria:

Language training can be completed by taking part in a Nordic language course (3–4 weeks) or by a stay of at least one month in a Nordic country according to the agreement with the teacher responsible.

Grading:

Pass

Person responsible:

Paula Rossi

Working life cooperation:

None

Other information:

The ECTS credits are counted as part of language and communication studies and can be included in either the Bachelor's or Master's degree.

Cannot be included in Advanced Studies.

693706S: Practice, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2015 -

Opiskelumuoto: Advanced Studies

Laji: Practical training

Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail

Opintokohteen kielet: Swedish

ECTS Credits:

5 ECTS credits

Language of instruction:

Swedish

Timing:4th–5th year**Learning outcomes:**

Upon completing the course, students will be able to work independently in different professions related to the discipline.

Contents:

Various types of work to be agreed upon

Learning activities and teaching methods:

Work assignments

Target group:

Students majoring in Nordic Philology who are not participating in teacher education

Assessment methods and criteria:

Work assignments

Grading:

Pass

Person responsible:

Paula Rossi och Jenni Tahkokorpi

Working life cooperation:

Yes

