Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences

Doctoral Program Course

Course Approval
The syllabus was approved by the Doctoral Programs Board of the Faculty of Arts and Education on 2018-04-18

Discipline/Main Field of Study
English

Course Title
Collecting, managing and analyzing linguistic data

Higher Education Credits
7.5 ECTS credits

Language of Instruction
English

Degree Level
Doctoral

Prerequisites
Admission to a doctoral program.

Learning Outcomes
Upon completion of the course, doctoral students should be able to
- give an account of different types of linguistic data and explain their role in linguistic research,
- demonstrate knowledge of tools and methods that are available for data collection, storage, presentation, and analysis,
- demonstrate an understanding of ethical implications and legal aspects of data collection and storage,
- compare and critically evaluate methods of data collection and analysis, and
- critically assess the suitability of linguistic data sets to research fields and approaches.

Course Content
The course has a methodological focus and outlines types of language data and their role in linguistic research. Both theoretical perspectives such as language data's suitability for different research fields, foci and approaches as well as a practical introduction to tools, methods and ethical and legal aspects of data collection, storage, presentation, and analysis are discussed.

Course Literature
Please consult separate document.

Examination
Assessment takes the form of oral presentations and individual written hand-in assignments.

Grades
One of the grades Fail (U) or Pass (G) is awarded in the examination of the course.

Quality Assurance
The outcomes achieved and students' learning conditions are evaluated during and upon completion of the course. These results shall be taken into account for the planning and development of subsequent offerings.