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English Linguistics: Second Language Acquisition

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This biannual learning unit is not being organized in 2024-2025!

| Teacher(s) | Meunier Fanny ;Paquot Magali ; | | | | |
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| Language : | English | | | | |
| Place of the course | Louvain-la-Neuve | | | | |
| Prerequisites | / | | | | |
| Main themes | Familiarize students with SLA theories and more specifically English as a Foreign Language (EFL). The course will address two main issues: theories in SLA and learner language analysis. | | | | |
| Learning outcomes | At the end of this learning unit, the student is able to : | | | | |
| J | By the end of the course, students will be familiar with the main theories and issues in second and foreign language acquisition. The students will be able to read scientific articles in the domain critically and to apply some of the research methods to carry out a small scale personal research project. | | | | |
| Evaluation methods | Oral exam. Active participation in class will also be taken into account in the attribution of the final mark. | | | | |
| Teaching methods | Reading of scientific articles, classroom discussions. | | | | |
| Content | The main themes will include, among others: • description of learner language. • data analysis in SLA (e.g. elicitation tests vs learner corpus data). • internal and external factors in SLA. • language transfer. • cognitive accounts of SLA. • linguistic universals and SLA. • individual learner differences and strategies. • applied and instructed SLA | | | | |
| Inline resources | Documents available on the Moodle platform | | | | |
| Bibliography | Portfolio d'articles scientifiques mis à disposition sur Moodle ou accessibles via les bibiothèques UCLouvain Portfolio of scientifc articles made available on the Moodle learning platform or available through the UCLouva library services | | | | |
| Faculty or entity in charge | ELAL | | | | |

| Programmes containing this learning unit (UE) | | | | | |
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| Program title | Acronym | Credits | Prerequisite | Learning outcomes | |
| Master [60] in Modern Languages and Literatures : German, Dutch and English | GERM2M1 | 5 | | ٩ | |
| Master [60] in Modern Languages and Literatures : General | ROGE2M1 | 5 | | Q | |
| Master [120] in Linguistics | LING2M | 5 | | ٩ | |
| Master [120] in Modern Languages and Literatures : German, Dutch and English | GERM2M | 5 | | ٩ | |
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