

Study Program : English Education	Semester : 3
Academic Year : 2013/14	Pre-requisites : None
Subject : Introduction to Ling.	Lecturer's Name : Dr. Margana, M.Hum., M.A.
Total of Credits : 2	

SYLLABUS

I. COURSE DESCRIPTION

This course provides students with theoretical and practical learning experience of the aspects of the study of language embodying prescriptive and descriptive linguistics. More specifically, this course deals with the discussion of some issues embodying sound, word, syntactic, meaning and social systems, communication with all its contexts, language and society, language-brain relationship, second language acquisition, sign language, discourse analysis, and related issues on prescriptive and descriptive linguistics.

II. STANDARD OF COMPETENCE

This course aims at enabling students to gain sufficient knowledge of prescriptive and descriptive linguistics as the basis knowledge of the linguistic study which is fruitful to them to contribute to their teaching practices at secondary school level and tertiary level. Added to this, The module has four main aims: (1) to provide students with an overview of theoretical models, experimental methods and current issues in linguistics in relation to foreign language teaching, (2) to enable students to understand and assess current scientific debates in the field, (3) to help students understand and appreciate the relationship between linguistic data and language learning and teaching theories and models, and (5) to provide students with the necessary background for studying linguistics, discourse analysis or related topics at an advanced level.

III. TEACHING-LEARNING STRATEGIES

A. Direct Contact:

1. Lecture;
2. Practice and Presentation;
3. Classroom Task/Assignment;
4. Class and Group Discussion;
5. Task/Assignment Supervision.

B. Indirect Contact:

Home Task/Assignment.

IV. TEACHING-LEARNING SCENARIOS

Week	Topics
Week 1	Introduction to the Course
Week 2	Characteristics of Language
Week 3	Phonology
Week 4	Morphology
Week 5	Syntax
Week 6	Semantics
Week 7	Pragmatics
Week 8	Mid-test
Week 9	Sociolinguistics
Week 10	Psycholinguistics
Week 11	Second Language Acquisition
Week 12	Semiotics
Week 13	Discourse Analysis
Week 14	Presentation 1
Week 15	Presentation 2
Week 16	Review

V. SOURCES OF REFERENCE

Rowe, B.M. & Levine D.P. 2006. *A Concise Introduction to Linguistics*. New York: Pearson Education, Inc.

Fromkin, V. & R. Rodman. 1988. *An Introduction to Language*. H&B College Publishers.

Nunan, D. 1993. *Introducing to Discourse Analysis*. London: Penguin Books Ltd.

Internet :

<http://www.ling.udel.edu/idsardi/101/>

<http://www.linguistics.org.uk/index.htm>

<http://www.mit.edu/~ejhanna/language/intrlang.html>

<http://www.ling.udel.edu/ling/Dept101.html>

VI. ASSESSMENT

No.	Assessment Components	Weights (%)
1	Attendance	25
2	Practices, Presentations and Discussions	20
3	Assignments/Tasks	15
4	Examinations	
	Mid-semester Examination	20
	Semester Examination	20
Total		100%

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