

1. Course Details		
1.	Course code	<i>SVE M21</i>
2.	Course title	<i>Semantics and Lexicology. Level 4</i>
3.	Cycle (1st, 2nd or 3rd)	<i>2nd</i>
4.	Higher education credits	<i>7.5</i>
5.	Details of approval of course	<i>Syllabus approved by the Syllabus Committee of the Faculty of the Humanities and Theology 13th March 2007.</i>
6.	Details of changes approved	<i>Syllabus amended by the Syllabus Committee of the Faculty of the Humanities and Theology 21st April 2008.</i>

2. General Information		
1.	Field(s) (if applicable)	<i>Language and Linguistics</i>
2.	Subject (if applicable)	<i>Scandinavian Languages</i>
3.	Type of course and its place in the educational system	<i>The course is a compulsory component of the Master of Arts programme in Language and Linguistics specialising in Swedish/Scandinavian Languages. The course is also offered as a single course. It can normally be included as part of a general degree at the undergraduate or graduate levels. With the approval of the relevant authenticating body, it can also be included in certain professional degrees.</i>
4.	Language of instruction	<i>Swedish</i>

3. Learning Outcomes		
		On completion of the course the student shall:
1.	Knowledge and understanding	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>be able to understand, utilise and discuss recent research within the field of semantics and lexicology.</i>
2.	Skills and abilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>be able to carry out a simple, yet autonomously formulated, research assignment within the field of semantics and lexicology, in which a specific method and/or theory is applied</i> • <i>be able to compare and assess critically various theories of semantics with regard to predictability and explanatory value</i> • <i>be able to formulate relevant research questions within semantics and lexicology, based on the course literature</i> • <i>be able to discuss the implications of a particular theoretical model (e.g. those concerning learning and language use).</i>
3.	Critical judgement and evaluation	

4. Course Content		
1.	Brief description of the course and its content	<i>The course provides the student with in-depth insight into various theories of semantics with an emphasis on cognitive</i>

	including details of any sub-divisions	<i>semantics. The internal structure of the mental lexicon is studied, in which issues such as the learning and “storage” of linguistic meaning are dealt with. Recent research in the field of semantics and lexicology is discussed, and used to form a basis for the formulation of the student’s own research questions. An autonomous scholarly study is carried out, using either a synchronic or diachronic approach, with an emphasis placed on language use, language learning, or the system of language.</i>
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5. Teaching and Assessment		
1.	Teaching methods employed including details of any compulsory components	<i>Teaching consists of lectures and compulsory assessed seminars.</i>
2.	Examination details	<i>Examinations take the following forms: autonomous research assignment within the discipline of Semantics and Lexicology.</i>
3.	Restrictions regarding the number of examination occasions (if applicable)	

6. Grades		
1.	Grades	<i>Students are awarded one of the following grades: Fail, Pass or Pass with Distinction.</i>
2.	Grading of the complete course	
3.	Availability of supplementary ECTS grades	<i>Foreign students and Swedish students intending to use their qualifications abroad have the right to a supplementary ECTS grading. Students must request such a grading at the latest three weeks from the start of the course.</i>
4.	Sub-courses and variations in grading (if applicable)	

7. Admission Requirements		
1.	Specific admission requirements	<i>To be eligible for the course requires the successful completion of SVE B01, SVA A01, SSL A21 or 60 higher education credits in language courses including an introductory course in grammar, or the equivalent.</i>

8. Literature		
1.	Required reading	<i>For reading lists and other relevant educational materials see appendix (ces).</i>

9.	Further Information
1.	<i>The credits allocated for course content that in whole or in part is commensurate with another course can only be credited once for a degree. For further details see the current registration information and other relevant documentation.</i>
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