



Course syllabus

Faculty Board of Humanities and Social Sciences
School of Language and Literature

1EN115 Engelsk kommunikation i praktiken, 7 högskolepoäng
English Communication in Practice, 7 credits

Main field of study

English

Subject Group

English

Level of classification

First Level

Progression

GIN

Date of Ratification

Approved by Organisational Committee 2009-06-16

Revised 2009-12-10. Revision of field-specific entry requirements

The course syllabus is valid from autumn semester 2010

Prerequisites

General entry requirements and English B. (Field-specific entry requirement 2 with exemption from the relevant C-language course B/level 3)

Expected learning outcomes

After successful completion of this course the student will be able to:

- independently plan, write and give a conference presentation in English,
- master the basic formalities required for writing reports, CVs and business letters in English,
- use information technology where necessary.

Content

The course consists of the preparation and staging of an international conference. It includes tasks such as writing letters, CVs, and reports, literature searches, reading and processing relevant material, and presentation techniques. Attendance at group discussions and presentations is obligatory.

Type of Instruction

The forms of instruction are lectures, seminars, workshops, and written and oral exercises. The whole or parts of the course may involve ICT-based forms of instruction. For the precise technical requirements please consult the course catalogue.

Lessons which are marked in the timetable as *seminars* are obligatory.

Examination

The course is assessed with the grades Fail (U), Pass (G) or Pass with Distinction (VG).

In order to receive the grade of Pass, the expected learning outcomes must be achieved. The grading criteria for the grade of Pass with Distinction can be found in the study guidance material.

Students at Linnaeus University are entitled to have the course grade translated into the 7-step ECTS scale. A request to have the grades translated must be made to the teacher at the start of the course.

Examinations are in the form of continual evaluation of performance in classes, oral and written assignments and an oral and written final presentation. Attendance is mandatory for seminars. Students who do not turn in examination assignments on time will be given the grade of Fail.

For students who fail to earn a Pass grade at the first examination opportunity, a maximum of four additional examination opportunities will be provided.

Course Evaluation

The teaching is evaluated continually during the term.

At the end of the course there is an evaluation which is compiled, reviewed with the students, and archived in accordance with the school's regulations.

Other

The course is also included as a sub-course in 1EN110 English: Language, Culture and Society, 1-30 higher education credits.

Students who have successfully completed the course can request a course certificate.

Required Reading and Additional Study Material

Most of the required reading is published on-line. Much of this is found by the students themselves when preparing for their final presentation.