Linnæus University

Course syllabus

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

1FR201 EU-kunskap på franska, 7,5 högskolepoäng EU-studies in French, 7.5 credits

Main field of study

French

Subject Group

French

Level of classification

First Level

Progression

G1F

Date of Ratification

Approved by the Board of the School of Language and Literature 2009-06-16

Revised 2010-09-23. Revision of the English translation of the syllabus

The course syllabus is valid from spring semester 2011

Prerequisites

French, general course, 1-30 credits

Expected learning outcomes

After completing the course, the student should be able to

- explain and discuss the EU institutions and their roles and responsibilities,
- discuss the relationship between the EU institutions and national (French and Swedish) institutions' activities,
- utilize acquired knowledge in the writing of an essay.

Content

Through the study of French texts that address European policies and administration, the student's understanding of the field will increase. In addition, the student will formulate presentations, reports, etc. concerning the subject, both verbally and in writing. The writing of an essay is also included in the module.

Type of Instruction

Teaching is in the form of group assignments, classroom teaching and lectures. Attendance is mandatory in conjunction with all oral components of the course.

Examination

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

(VG).

Examination and grading is based on oral and written assignments in addition to a written essay.

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

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.

Course Evaluation

At the end of the course, a written course evaluation is performed and compiled into a report. The evaluation report is available to students and is filed and stored according to departmental regulations.

Required Reading and Additional Study Material

Required reading:

Guide de l'Union européenne. Nathan. Latest edition. 160 pages.

*Europa 2008. EU inför nästa sekel.*Europaparlamentets informationskontor i Sverige. Latest edition. 246 pages.

Additional material provided by the department. 30 pages.

Reference literature:

Schlyter, Börje.

Franska facktermer 1. Politik och juridik, ekonomi, näringsliv, transport, samhälle och miljö, media, data.

Dialogos förlag. 1999.

247 pages.