



## Course syllabus

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

1SV203 Text- och diskursanalys, 5 högskolepoäng  
Text and discourse analysis, 5 credits

**Main field of study**

Swedish Language

**Subject Group**

Swedish/Nordic Languages

**Level of classification**

First Level

**Progression**

G1F

**Date of Ratification**

Approved by Organisational Committee 2009-06-16

The course syllabus is valid from spring semester 2010

**Prerequisites**

Swedish 1-30 hec, or the equivalent

### Expected learning outcomes

After completing the course, students should be able to apply linguistic text and discourse analyses on different kinds of texts, both verbally and in writing.

### Content

The course provides students with knowledge and experience of linguistic text and discourse analysis, so that they can form opinions of and evaluate different kinds of texts.

### Type of Instruction

Teaching is in the form of lectures, classroom teaching, seminars and group work. Participation in proficiency components and seminars is mandatory. When the course is offered as a web-based distance course, appropriate teaching methods will be utilized.

### 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 examinations and continual testing during the course.

A maximum of five examination opportunities will be provided.

Students at Linnæus 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 will be made available to students and will be filed and stored according to departmental regulations.

### Required Reading and Additional Study Material

Hellspång, Lennart & Ledin, Per. 1997. *Vägar genom texten. Handbok i brukstextanalys*. Lund: Studentlitteratur. 303 pages

Josephson, Olle. 1991. "Varför en lätt text kan vara svår att förstå". In: Wijk-Andersson, Elsie (ed.). *Kultur – text – språk*. Uppsala: Hallgren & Fallgren. 121 pages

Melin, Lars & Lange, Sven. 1997. *Att analysera text*. 3rd edition. Lund: Studentlitteratur. 172 pages

Norrby, Catrin. 1996. *Samtalsanalys. Så gör vi när vi pratar med varandra*. Lund: Studentlitteratur. Ca 130 pages

Winther Jørgensen, Marianne & Phillips, Louise. 2000. *Diskursanalys som teori och metod*. Lund: Studentlitteratur. ch. 1 and 3. 31 pages (selected pages)