# **Linnæus University**

# Course syllabus

Faculty Board of Business, Economics and Design School of Business and Economics

1TR620 Tourism Studies - Independent Research Project - II, 7,5 högskolepoäng

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## Main field of study

**Tourism Studies** 

# **Subject Group**

Tourism and Recreation Studies

### Level of classification

First Level

#### **Progression**

G1F

#### **Date of Ratification**

Approved by the Board of the School of Business and Economics 2009-06-15

The course syllabus is valid from spring semester 2010

# **Prerequisites**

General eligibility and 30 credits in Tourism Studies, or equivalent.

# Expected learning outcomes

The course is intended to give the student:

- greater ability to carry out independent work in the field of tourism studies, in a systematic and methodical way,
- the ability to draw up and present to clients the results of an independent theoretical- or field work, both internal and external.

#### Content

Option 1: An independent work focusing on tourism, 7,5 ECTS (hp)

Option 2: An independent theoretical reading of a selected area in tourism studies, 7,5 ECTS (hp)

### For option 1:

• including a field work in an international environment,

# For option 1 and 2:

• including a series of seminars on related matters,

• an individually selected task

# Type of Instruction

Instructions consists of seminar exercises, individual guidance, case studies and group exercises.

Participation in case study exercises etc., is compulsory, as is preparation for these. The course includes reading material in English. Assessment of the student's attainment is carried out by the (for option 1) submission of solutions for case studies achieved independently, and written exercises.

### Examination

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

Assessment of the student's attainment is carried out by means of a written exam/paper. Results are graded using one of the terms Passed with distinction, Pass or Fail, and A-F according to the ECTS scale. The grade is set depending on how well the student has fulfilled the learning outcomes.

Failed students are given the opportunity to complement failed elements.

# Course Evaluation

A written evaluation in conducted and complied in a report, which is filed at the department. The result and actions, if taken, are communicated to the teacher responsible for the course and presented to the students in the way most appropriate according to the teacher responsible for the course. Other types of evaluations, such as continuous during the course or oral communication with the students, can occur and is encouraged to secure continuous quality improvement.

# Required Reading and Additional Study Material

The literature is chosen in discussion with the tutor.

Svenska skrivregler, Språkrådet (2008) (Swedish rules of writing, the Language Council of Sweden), ISBN 978-91-47-08460-9/ISBN-10: 914708460X, 3:d., [enlarged edition], Stockholm: Liber.