
Dette er studietilbudet for studieår 2020-2021.

The student will write a thesis in one of two sub-disciplines of English: (applied) linguistics or literature. The choice of sub-discipline in this course must coincide with the chosen direction in ENG270 (ENG271 *Specialization in English Literature*; or ENG272 *Specialization in English Language - International English: variation and change*).

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Course code:

ENG370_1

Credits (ECTS) : 15

Semester tuition

start: Spring

Duration: 1

Exam semester:

Spring

Language of

instruction: English

Offered by: Faculty of

Arts and Education,

Department of Cultural

Studies and Languages

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Learning outcome

Knowledge

Upon completion of the course, the student will have gained knowledge of:

- central concerns in the chosen field of the bachelor thesis
- relevant theoretical texts related to the bachelor thesis
- ethical concerns related to academic research

Skills

Upon completion of the course, the student will be able to:

- discuss central concerns within the research area of the bachelor thesis
- understand and make use of relevant research methods

General competence

Upon completion of the course, the student will be able to:

- formulate research questions for thesis writing
- work independently with complex issues and present the findings in a thesis
- master written academic English
- show familiarity with and correct use of research ethics, appropriate academic terminology and references

Contents

The students will write a thesis in one of two sub-disciplines of English: (applied) linguistics or literature. The student chooses topic, research material and relevant reading in consultation with a supervisor. The student must submit a thesis proposal containing a title and research questions, as well as drafts of the thesis, within given deadlines.

Required prerequisite knowledge

Students must have a minimum of 45 ECTS in introductory English courses or equivalent in order to begin the specialization.

Exam

	Weight	Duration	Mark	Supporting materials
Bachelor thesis	1/1		A - F	All.

The thesis is an independent scholarly research paper of 5500 words +/- 10 %, not including appendices, tables and references.

Coursework requirements

Oppgaveseminar 75% obligatorisk oppmøte, Godkjent tittel og problemstilling levert innenfor oppgitte frister, Minimum to godkjente utkast til oppgave levert innenfor oppgitte frister, Minimum to veiledningsmøter

Seminar attendance 75%. Approved topic and research question(s) and minimum two approved thesis drafts within given deadlines. Students must attend at least two supervision sessions. Students are not entitled to further supervision in connection with a new exam attempt/new admission.

Course teacher(s)

Programme coordinator

Margrethe Melin, Anne Marie Nygaard

Tutor

Eric Dean Rasmussen, Oliver Martin Traxel, Torill Irene Hestetraet, Sonya Louise Lundblad, Janne Stigen Drangsholt

Method of work

Writing seminars and individual supervision meetings.

Open to

Open to all students accepted into the Bachelor programme in English Language and Literature at the Department of Cultural Studies and Languages, provided that they have the prerequisite knowledge. Open to exchange students. Other students must apply within the given deadlines.

Course assessment

Quality control by students is a central element of the UiS plan to improve teaching. In the Department of Cultural Studies and Languages this system includes student evaluation of courses.

Literature

Litteratur/pensum blir publisert så snart det er klargjort av emneansvarlig/faglærer

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