

College of Arts

Semester: I

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Course information:

Course Title	Introduction to Applied Linguistics
Course Number	ENG 222
Course description	This course aims at introducing students to the field of Applied Linguistics and its major areas of research: pragmatics, discourse analysis, psycholinguistics, language acquisition, and sociolinguistics.
Course Objectives (i.e. Learning Outcomes as specified in the Course Specifications)	<p>Students should be able to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1- Understand and explain the various basic notions of Pragmatics, Discourse analysis, Psycholinguistics: First and Second Language Acquisition, and Sociolinguistics. 2- Understand the areas of research in applied linguistics, and the key issues and implications. 3- Understand the implications of applied linguistics studies on pedagogy 4- Perform analyses of language samples, applying what they studied through hands-on activities and analysis of their native language.
Textbook	Yule, G. (2006). <i>The Study of Language</i> . Third Edition. Cambridge: Cambridge University press.
Supplementary Reading	Schmitt, Norbert. (2010). <i>An introduction to Applied Linguistics</i> . Second Edition. Hodder Education

Methods of assessment:

Type	Distribution of Marks	Date of Administration	Feedback
(30%) Midterm exams	2 exams each is 15%	1 st : 18/10/2018 [Ch: 10, 11, 12] 2 nd : 22/11/2018 [Ch: 14, 18, 19]	Feedback is always given to students the following class. No more than 2 days after the assignment/ quiz/ midterm is administered.
(10%) In-class Assignments	4 in-class assignments given throughout the semester.	No date specified as part of the mark weight is allocated also to attendance. NO MAKE UP.	
(10%) Quizzes	2 quizzes each is 5%	1 st : 4/10/2018 [Ch: 10, 11] 2 nd : 8/11/2018 [Ch: 13, 14] NO MAKE UP.	
(10%) Research Presentation	A presentation to be given and an outline to be submitted. Students are evaluated individually but there is a mark for teamwork.	Week 12, 13	In the same class.
Final Exam	40%		2 days, maximum.

Additional notes:

Make up exams are **ONLY** for **midterms** upon providing a medical excuse. The **make-up exam is going to be held on Tuesday, week 13 (27-11-2018) from 12:00 to 1:00.** Chapters included are 3, 5, 6 and 7.

Weekly Syllabus:

Week	Topic
1 2-6/ 9	Registration Week
2 9 - 13/ 9	Chapter 10: Pragmatics (What is pragmatics? + Context + Deixis + Reference + Presupposition)
3 16-20 /9	Chapter 10: Pragmatics (Speech Acts + Exercises)
4 23-27/ 9	Chapter 11: Discourse Analysis 1st assignment [on speech acts] (What is Discourse Analysis? + Utterances + Speech Events + C.A.)
5 30/9 -4/ 10	Chapter 11: Discourse Analysis (Cooperative Principle + Maxims + Hedges + Implicature + Schemas and Script) Exercises + Quiz 1 on Thursday
6 7– 11/10	Chapter 12: Language and the Brain (Neurolinguistics + Broca and Wernicke's Areas +Motor Cortex +Arcuate Fasciculus + Tip and Slips of the Tongue) 2nd assignment [on maxims]
7 14- 18/ 10	Chapter 12: Language and the Brain (Aphasia + Critical Period) Chapter 13: First Language Acquisition (Caregiver Speech + Acquisition Stages + Telegraphic Speech) Midterm on Thursday
8 21-25/ 10	Chapter 13: First Language Acquisition (Developing Morphology, Syntax and Semantics) 3rd assignment [Ch: 13] Chapter 14: Second Language Acquisition (EFL, ESL, Acquisition Barriers + Affective Factors + Focus on Methods)
9 28/ 10 -1/ 11	Chapter 14: Second Language Acquisition (Focus on Methods + Focus on Learner + Competence) 4th assignment [Ch: 14] Chapter 18: Language and Regional Variation (Standard Language + Accent + Dialect + Dialectology + Isogloss)
10 4-8/ 11	Chapter 18: Language and Regional Variation (Diglossia + Language Planning +Pidgins and Creoles) Chapter 19: Language and Social Variation (Sociolinguistics + Social Dialects + Types of Class) Quiz 2 on Thursday
11 11-15/ 11	Chapter 19: Language and Social Variation (Labov's Experiment + Social Markers + Style + Speech Accommodation)
12 18-22/ 11	Research Presentation Midterm on Thursday
13 25-29/ 11	Research Presentation Make up on Tuesday (27-11-2018) (Chapters: 3,5,6 and 7)
14 2-6/ 12	Review Week

Ground Rules:

- 1- Attendance is a **MUST**.
- 2- Twice late is once absent. Punctuality is very important.
- 3- Participation is encouraged.
- 4- Plagiarism is **NOT** tolerated. Plagiarised papers are given a **ZERO**.
- 5- Dates of the exams and quizzes are **FIXED** and non-negotiable.
- 6- Should you need any help or have any questions, please contact me via email (24/7) or come to me during my office hours. You are totally responsible for any requirements mentioned in class.