

<b>Module title</b>		<b>Abbreviation</b>
Specialization Module 1 Linguistics		o4-EnMA-SW-SM1-161-mo1
<b>Module coordinator</b>		<b>Module offered by</b>
Managing Director English and American Studies		Institute of Modern Philologies
<b>ECTS</b>	<b>Method of grading</b>	<b>Only after succ. compl. of module(s)</b>
10	numerical grade	--
<b>Duration</b>	<b>Module level</b>	<b>Other prerequisites</b>
1 semester	graduate	--
<b>Contents</b>		
<p>Foundations of linguistics: In this module, the most important theoretical approaches that have influenced the scientific analysis of the English language will be considered. By means of selected examples, it conveys and deepens the most important fundamental as well as current theories, terminologies, and methods in English linguistics.</p>		
<b>Intended learning outcomes</b>		
<p>After attending the module, students will be able to explain and discuss the most important fundamental theories and methods of English linguistics, to apply the subject-specific theories and methods in a scientific context and to refer to them in order to analyse linguistic issues. Students will also be able to read and understand mainly complex theoretical linguistic texts, to describe, reflect critically, and abstract multi-layered issues, models, methods, terminologies and theories of linguistics.</p>		
<b>Courses</b> (type, number of weekly contact hours, language – if other than German)		
S (2) Module taught in: English		
<b>Method of assessment</b> (type, scope, language – if other than German, examination offered – if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)		
a) written examination (maximum 90 minutes) or b) term paper (approx. 20 pages) Language of assessment: English		
<b>Allocation of places</b>		
max. 30 places. Should the number of applications exceed the number of available places, places will be allocated according to the number of subject semesters. Among applicants with the same number of subject semesters, places will be allocated by lot. A waiting list will be maintained and places re-allocated by lot as they become available.		
<b>Additional information</b>		
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<b>Workload</b>		
300 h		
<b>Teaching cycle</b>		
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<b>Referred to in LPO I</b> (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)		
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<b>Module appears in</b>		
<p>Master's degree (1 major) English-Speaking Cultures (2016)            Master's degree (1 major) English-Speaking Cultures (2023)            Master's degree (2 majors) English-Speaking Cultures (2023)</p>		