



LUNDS UNIVERSITET
Lunds Tekniska Högskola

Course syllabus

Kinesiska för tekniker Chinese for Engineers

GEMA65, 7,5 credits, G1 (First Cycle)

Valid for: 2020/21

Decided by: PLED C/D

Date of Decision: 2020-03-30

General Information

Depth of study relative to the degree requirements: First cycle, has only upper-secondary level entry requirements.

Externally elective for: A3, B4, BI4, BME4, C4, D4, E3, F3, I4, K4, L4, M4, MD4, N2, Pi4, RH4, V4, W3

Language of instruction: The course will be given in Swedish

Aim

- The aim with the course is to get elementary knowledge in modern Mandarin

Learning outcomes

Knowledge and understanding

For a passing grade the student must

- show elementary knowledge about basic features in the syntax, pronunciation, and character system of Mandarin

Competences and skills

For a passing grade the student must

- show ability to use the most central grammatical constructions in Mandarin in both speech and writing
- be able to understand and be understood during simple everyday conversations in Mandarin
- be able to identify and write approx. 100 characters

Contents

The course studies Mandarin phonetics, phonology, basic grammar, and character system through reading of simpler texts. The students practice in listening comprehension, written and oral presentation. The course is based on lectures and group exercises.

Examination details

Grading scale: UG - (U,G) - (Fail, Pass)

Assessment: Written and oral examination.

The examiner, in consultation with Disability Support Services, may deviate from the regular form of examination in order to provide a permanently disabled student with a form of examination equivalent to that of a student without a disability.

Admission

The number of participants is limited to: 30

Selection: Credits awarded or credited within the study programme.

The course might be cancelled: If the number of applicants is less than 20.

The course overlaps following course/s: EXTA35

Reading list

- Material on an internet based platform and handouts from seminars.

Contact and other information

Course coordinator: Peter Sivam, Peter.Sivam@ostas.lu.se

Course homepage: <http://www.sol.lu.se/kinesiska/>

Further information: The course consists of seminars that are given in evening time. The course cannot be a part of the degree for the students in the China programme. The course is taught in Swedish, English and Chinese.