

Only those regulations published by the Georg-August-Universität Göttingen in its Official Bulletins are legally binding. Any claims to rights or titles resulting from the English translation of these regulations are expressly excluded.

Faculty of Humanities:

Following the resolution of the Faculty Council of the Faculty of Humanities dated 12.07.2023 the Presidential Board of the University of Göttingen approved the first amendment of the Examination and Study Regulations for the consecutive Master's degree programme "Linguistics" on 13.10.2023 in the version published on 04.09.2020 (Official Announcements I no. 50/2020 S. 1004), approved (§ 44 section 1 sentence 2 NHG (Lower Saxony Higher Education Act) in the version of the announcement dated 26.02.2007 (Nds. GVBl (Lower Saxony Law and Official Gazette) p. 69)), last amended by Article 7 of the Act of 23.03.2022 (Nds. GVBl. p. 218); §§ 37 section 1 sentence 3 no. 5 b), 44 section 1 sentence 3 NHG).

Examination and study regulations for the consecutive Master's degree programme "Linguistics" at the University of Göttingen

§ 1 Scope

(1) For the consecutive Master's degree programme "Linguistics", the provisions of the "General Examination Regulations for Bachelor's and Master's Programmes and Other Study Programmes at the University of Göttingen" ("Allgemeine Prüfungsordnung", APO) as well as the "General Examination Regulations for Master's degree programmes at the Faculty of Humanities" ("Rahmenprüfungsordnung") shall apply in their valid version.

(2) The present regulations govern the further, subject-specific provisions for the completion of the Master's degree programme "Linguistics".

§ 2 Aim of the programme, academic degree

(1) ¹The scientific field of "Linguistics" deals with the theoretical and methodological foundations of the description and analysis of linguistic structures and the human capacity for language. ²It also deals with the structural commonalities and differences that emerge in the diversity of natural languages and with the manifestations of language change as well as the conditioning factors that are effective in this process.

(2) ¹Graduates should have in-depth and reflective knowledge of descriptive and analytical theories and methods of linguistics and the ability to independently conduct linguistic and interdisciplinary academic work concerning language-related issues. ²They should be able to

conduct independent scientific work on linguistic topics and to communicate their research results competently. ³They should have extensive experience and competence in the most important forms of academic communication (discussion, oral presentation, written paper).

(3) Graduates choosing the subject programme "Linguistics" with a credit load of 42 C should also have knowledge in one or two further subject areas outside of linguistics either from the Faculty of Humanities or another faculty.

(4) ¹The degree programme "Master of Arts (M.A.)" in Linguistics qualifies students for activities in linguistic research and for such activities outside research institutions for which a scientifically sound approach to languages and language structures is relevant (research administration, media, publishing, educational institutions, information technology, cultural management). ²In accordance with the concept of the subject, which is oriented towards foundational research, the focus is on scientific activity oriented towards theories and methods. ³Furthermore, the degree programme also lays the foundations for research work in a doctoral programme.

§ 3 Structure of the degree programme, standard period of study, course of study

(1) The programme begins in the winter semester and the summer semester.

(2) The standard period of study is four semesters.

(3) The Master's degree programme is not suitable for part-time study.

(4) The degree programme comprises 120 credits (ECTS credits, abbreviated: C), which are distributed as follows:

a) for the specialist course of studies 78 C:

aa) Linguistics amounting to 78 C or

bb) Linguistics amounting to 42 C, combined with an eligible module package in a different subject amounting to 36 C or with two eligible module packages in a different subject amounting to 18 C each;

b) for the area of professionalisation (key competencies) 12 C;

c) for the Master's thesis 30 C

(5) ¹The coursework and examinations are to be completed in compulsory, compulsory elective and elective modules. ²The module overview specifies these modules in a binding manner (Appendix I). ³The module directory is published separately; it is part of these regulations insofar as the modules are listed in the module overview (Appendix I). ⁴Sample curricula illustrating the distribution modules in the course of studies can be found in the appendix (Appendix II).

(6) ¹The study programme is divided into modules that teach specialised knowledge and descriptive as well as analytical skills. ²Successful conclusion of a module is determined in

each case by a module examination. ³A more detailed description of the learning objectives and competences can be found in the module directory.

(7) ¹The first semester serves to acquire advanced knowledge in the core areas of theoretical linguistics (phonetics/phonology, morphology, syntax, semantics, pragmatics). ²The basic knowledge required for this must have been acquired in a suitable Bachelor's degree programme. ³In the study programme comprising 78 C of linguistics courses, supplementary methodological competence and language skills beyond the Bachelor's degree are also acquired in the first or second semester.

(8) ¹The theory-focused orientation of this degree programme is developed in the compulsory modules of the second and third semesters. ²In the study programme comprising 78 C of linguistics courses, a differentiated profile is furthermore developed through the selection of two modules per semester from the compulsory elective area, to a total of four modules.

(9) ¹The third semester aims to introduce students to independent scientific work. ²The focus here is on methodologically reflective data collection and analysis and the targeted development of a research design for the Master's thesis.

(10) The module overview also describes the module packages "Linguistics", which can be brought into another Master's programme with a weight of 36 C or 18 C.

§ 4 Admission to the Master's thesis

As prerequisite for admission to the master's thesis,

- a) on the study programme comprising 78 C worth of linguistics courses compulsory, compulsory elective and elective modules of the degree programme to the amount of 70 C must have been passed,
- b) on the study programme comprising 42 C worth of linguistics courses compulsory, compulsory elective and elective modules of the degree programme to the amount of 70 C must have been passed, including at least 34 C in modules of the Linguistics course of study.

§ 5 Subject-specific forms of examination

(1) In addition to the forms of examination permitted according to the provisions of the General Examination Regulations (APO), the following subject-specific forms of examination may also be offered: Portfolio, poster presentation, language competence test or minor task performance.

(2) Portfolio: Collection of various results to be completed during the lecture period (e.g. lecture, data collection, analysis tasks, commenting/reflecting texts as well as other forms of academic communication).

(3) ¹Poster presentation: A poster visually presents central research results on a specific topic in the format DIN A2 or DIN A1. ²The appropriate use of text areas, graphics and visualisations is crucial for a poster. ³The contents of the poster are presented in a short presentation (approx. 15 min.).

(4) ¹A language competence test covers all four language skills (listening, reading, writing, speaking). ²It consists of an oral part (speaking and listening comprehension; approx. 15-30 min.) and a written part (text editing, grammar, vocabulary, translation if necessary 90-180 min.).

(5) ¹The minor task is an active contribution to a course. ²This requirement can be satisfied by means of an oral presentation of max. 30 min. (one-time or grand total in the case of several oral assignments) or by means of a written assignment in relation to the course up to a length of 8 pages (one-time or grand total in the case of several assignments).

³This may be a protocol, tasks and questions concerning readings, a short essay or comparable (depending on what is appropriate for the course in question). ⁴The specific mode of the requirement is determined in the first session of each course. ⁵The minor task is ungraded.

§ 6 Master's thesis

¹The master's thesis must be submitted in due time to the responsible examination office in PDF format only (unprotected). ²The time of submission shall be recorded. ³On submission of the thesis the candidate must affirm that they have written the thesis independently and have not used any sources or aids other than those indicated.

§ 7 Repetition of examinations to improve grades

It is not possible to repeat passed examinations for the purpose of improving grades; the provision of § 16 a section 3 sentence 2 APO remains unaffected.

§ 8 Study as a module package

(1) Within other suitable Master's degree programmes, the subject area of linguistics can be studied as a module package with 36 C or 18 C.

(2) ¹The module package with 36 C follows the theoretical-methodical orientation of the degree programme "Linguistics" in the compulsory elective area and offers the possibility of an individual focus with the free choice of a further module of 6 C. ²The module package with 18 C requires, in addition to the compulsory module of the first semester, a further module of 6 C that can be freely selected. ³The module overview (Appendix I) regulates the details in each case.

(3) A recommendation for the appropriate structure of the degree programme can be found in the enclosed study plans (Appendix II).

§ 9 Commentary on the courses

For each semester, a list of courses with all information relevant to the content and administrative organisation of the study programme - in particular the content of the courses, the module assignment, place and time and the participating lecturers - is made available on the website of the institutions offering the courses.

§ 10 Study advisory service

(1) ¹Subject-specific study guidance is provided by the academic staff of the Department of Linguistics and by the persons authorised to conduct examinations in this degree programme at the participating institutions of the Faculty of Humanities. ²Counselling in examination matters is provided by the Examinations Office of the Faculty of Humanities.

(2) The university's central student counselling service is responsible for general student counselling, especially for inter-faculty questions.

(3) Students should seek academic counselling in particular in the following cases:

- after failing an examination twice,
- in the event of deviations from the standard period of study,
- in the event of a change of module package, degree programme or university,
- before a planned study abroad.

§ 11 Entry into force; transitional provisions

(1) These regulations shall enter into force on 01.10.2020 following their publication in the Official Announcements I of the Georg-August University of Göttingen.

(2) At the same time, the examination and study regulations for the Master's degree programme "Linguistics" in the version of the announcement of 09.10.2012 (Official Announcements I No. 34/2012.

p. 1785), last amended by resolution of the Presidential Board of 29.08.2017 (Official Announcements I No. 41/2017 p. 1021), shall cease to be in force.

(3) ¹Students who began their studies before the present Examination and Study Regulations came into force and who were continuously enrolled in the degree programme "Linguistics" or registered for a module package "Linguistics" shall be examined according to the Examination and Study Regulations as defined in paragraph 2. ²In the case of examinations still to be taken, this does not apply to the module overview and module descriptions, unless the protection of a student's legitimate expectations requires a different decision by the examination board. ³A deviating decision is possible in particular in cases where an examination can be repeated or

a compulsory or required elective module has been significantly changed or cancelled. ⁴The examination board may decide on general regulations in this regard. ⁵Examinations according to a version valid before the present Examination and Study Regulations come into force will be taken for the last time in the summer semester 2022 semester. ⁶Students from the group denoted in sentence 1 can apply to be examined according to the provisions of these regulations.

Appendix I: Module overview

1. Master's degree programme "Linguistics"

At least 120 C must be acquired.

a. Specialised studies in Linguistics amounting to 78 C

Modules totalling at least 78 C must be successfully completed in accordance with the following provisions.

aa. Compulsory modules

The following three compulsory modules totalling 36 C must be successfully completed:

M.Ling.111	„Foundations/Grundlagen“	(12 C / 6 WLH)
M.Ling.121	„Methods/Methoden“	(12 C / 6 WLH)
M.Ling.131	„Theory/Theorie“	(12 C / 6 WLH)

bb. Compulsory elective modules

Modules totalling at least 42 C must be successfully completed in accordance with the following provisions.

i. Profile development

Four of the following compulsory elective modules totalling 36 C must be successfully completed.

It is recommended to choose two pairs of thematically related modules.

M.Ling.211	Text and Discourse: Foundations/Textanalyse und Diskursverarbeitung: Grundlagen	(9 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ling.221	Text and Discourse: Research/Textanalyse und Diskursverarbeitung: Forschung	(9 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ling.311	Language Typology and Fieldwork: Foundations/Sprachtypologie und Feldforschung: Grundlagen	(9 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ling.321	Language Typology and Fieldwork: Research/Sprachtypologie und Feldforschung: Forschung	(9 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ling.411	Language Change: Foundations/Sprachwandel: Grundlagen	(9 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ling.421	Language Change: Research/Sprachwandel: Forschung	(9 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ling.511	Sign Languages and Visual Communication: Foundations/Gebärdensprachen und visuelle Kommunikation: Grundlagen	(9 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ling.521	Sign Languages and Visual Communication: Research/Gebärdensprachen und visuelle Kommunikation: Forschung	(9 C / 2 WLH)

ii. Language skills

At least one of the following modules totalling at least 6 C must be successfully completed. Furthermore, modules of foreign language acquisition (module numbers SK.FS.[XX]) from the offer of the Central Institution for Languages and Key Qualifications (ZESS) are recognised with the exception of those of the English language (module numbers SK.FS.E-[XX]), as far as they have not already been completed (within the scope of the Bachelor's degree programme, a profile or as key competencies).

B.AO.201	„Introduction into Sumerian and its Texts“	(9 C / 4 WLH)
B.AO.202	„Reading Sumerian for Beginners“	(6 C / 2 WLH)
B.AO.203	„Reading Sumerian for Advanced Students A“	(6 C / 2 WLH)
B.AO.207	„Introduction into Akkadian and its Texts“	(9 C / 4 WLH)
B.AO.208	„Reading Akkadian for Beginners“	(6 C / 2 WLH)
B.AO.209	„Reading Akkadian for Advanced Students A“	(6 C / 2 WLH)
B.AegKo.120	„Understanding Egyptian: Middle Egyptian I“	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.AegKo.121	„Understanding Egyptian: Middle Egyptian II“	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.AegKo.123	„Understanding Egyptian: Coptic I“	(6 C / 2 WLH)
B.AegKo.124	„Understanding Egyptian: Coptic II“	(6 C / 2 WLH)
B.AegKo.126	„Understanding Egyptian: Introduction to Coptic Dialects“	(12 C / 2 WLH)
B.Antik.26	"Hebrew for advanced learners"	(6 C / 2 WLH)
B.Antik.32	„Syriac Language“	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.Antik.33	„Aramaic Language“	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.Antik.47	„Advanced Course: Classical Greek II (for Greek Language Examination)“	(6 C / 8 WLH)
B.Ara.01	„Arabic I“	(13 C / 8 WLH)
B.Ara.02	„Arabic II“	(13 C / 8 WLH)
B.Eth.371a	„Language Study: Indonesian “	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.Eth.371b	„Language Study: New Guinea Pidgin“	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.Eth.371c	„Language Study: Pilipino (Filipino)“	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.Eth.371d	„Language Study: Swahili“	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.Eth.371e	„Language Study: Vietnamese“	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.Eth.371f	„Language Study: Other Languages of Key Regions“	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.Eth.373a	„Advanced Language Study: Indonesian“	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.Eth.373b	„Advanced Language Study: New Guinea Pidgin“	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.Eth.373c	„Advanced Language Study: Pilipino (Filipino)“	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.Eth.373d	„Advanced Language Study: Swahili“	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.Eth.373e	„Advanced Language Study: Vietnamese“	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.Eth.373f	„Advanced Language Study: Other languages	

	of Key Regions“	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.EvRel.001	„New Testament Greek I“	(8 C / 7 WLH)
B.EvRel.002	„New Testament Greek II“	(2 C / 2 WLH)
B.Fin.03b	„Command of the Language I: Finnish“	(8 C / 8 WLH)
B.Fin.03c	„Command of the Language I: Hungarian“	(8 C / 8 WLH)
B.Fin.05	„Minority Language“	(4 C / 2 WLH)
B.Fin.06b	„Command of the Language II: Finnish“	(8 C / 7 WLH)
B.Fin.06c	„Command of the Language II: Hungarian“	(8 C / 7 WLH)
B.Fin.14	„Grammar in Finnish or Hungarian I“	(8 C / 1 WLH)
B.Fin.15	„Grammar in Finnish or Hungarian II“	(8 C / 1 WLH)
B.Frz.101	„Basic Module Practical Language Skills“	(7 C / 8 WLH)
B.Frz.201	„Advanced Module I Practical Language Skills“	(5 C / 4 WLH)
B.Frz.205	„Advanced Module II Practical Language Skills“	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.Frz.302	„Translation French-German“	(3 C / 2 WLH)
B.Gri.02-1	„Ancient Greek Language I - Basic Module“	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.Gri.08	„Ancient Greek Language - Intermediate Module“	(9 C / 4 WLH)
B.Ind.140	„ Sanskrit Course“	(12 C / 8 WLH)
B.Ind.141	„Sanskrit Reading Course“	(8 C / 4 WLH)
B.Ind.141-1	„Sanskrit Reading Course I“	(4 C / 2 WLH)
B.Ind.141-2	„Advanced Sanskrit Reading Course“	(4 C / 2 WLH)
B.Ind.150	„Hindi Course“	(12 C / 8 WLH)
B.Ind.153	„Hindi Conversation and Reading Course I“	(8 C / 4 WLH)
B.ind.153-1	„Hindi Conversation Course I“	(4 C / 2 WLH)
B.Ind.153-2	„Hindi Reading Course I“	(4 C / 2 WLH)
B.Ind.155	„Advanced Hindi Conversation Course“	(4 C / 2 WLH)
B.Ind.156	„Advanced Hindi Reading Course“	(4 C / 2 WLH)
B.Ira.101	„Introduction to Modern Persian I“	(9 C / 6 WLH)
B.Ira.102	„Introduction to Modern Persian II“	(9 C / 6 WLH)
B.Ira.104	„Kurdish I“	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.Ira.106	„Advanced Modern Persian I“	(9 C / 6 WLH)
B.Ira.107	„Kurdish II“	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.It.101	„Practical Language Skills“	(9 C / 10 WLH)
B.It.201	„Practical Language Skills Advanced Level I“	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.It.205	„Practical Language Skills Advanced Level II“	(6 C / 6 WLH)
B.JudC.01	„Modern Hebrew I“	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.JudC.02	„Modern Hebrew II“	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.Lat.02-1	„Latin Language II - Basic Module“	(6 C / 4 WLH)

B.Lat.02-2	„Latin Language II - Basic Module“	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.Lat.08	„Latin Language - Intermediate Module“	(9 C / 4 WLH)
B.Lat.12	„Elementary Latin Course“	(6 C)
B.Lat.13	„Intensive Latin Course I“	(4 C / 4 WLH)
B.Lat.14	„Intensive Latin Course II“	(6 C / 6 WLH)
B.Port.101	„Practical Language Skills“	(9 C / 8 WLH)
B.Port.201	„Practical Language Skills: Advanced Level I“	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.Port.205	„Practical Language Skills: Advanced Level II“	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.Russ.120	„Preparatory Course Learning Russian [A1+]“	(11 C / 11 WLH)
B.Russ.121	„ Learning Russian [A2]“	(6 C / 6 WLH)
B.Russ.122	„Learning Russian [A2+]“	(6 C / 6 WLH)
B.Russ.123	„Learning Russian III [B1]“	(6 C / 6 WLH)
B.Russ.124	„Learning Russian IV [B1+]“	(6 C / 6 WLH)
B.Russ.125	„Learning Russian V [B2]“	(6 C / 6 WLH)
B.Ska.411a	„Danish I“	(6 C / 6 WLH)
B.Ska.411b	„Danish II“	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.Ska.412a	„Norwegian I“	(6 C / 6 WLH)
B.Ska.412b	„Norwegian II“	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.Ska.413a	„Swedish I“	(6 C / 6 WLH)
B.Ska.413b	„Swedish II“	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.Ska.414	„Introductory Module Modern Icelandic“	(9 C / 8 WLH)
B.Ska.421a	„Danish III“	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.Ska.421b	„Danish IV“	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.Ska.422a	„Norwegian III“	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.Ska.422b	„Norwegian IV“	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.Ska.423a	„Swedish III“	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.Ska.423b	„Swedish IV“	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.Ska.424	„Intermediate Module Icelandic“	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.Ska.441	„Danish Language“	(3 C / 2 WLH)
B.Ska.442	„Norwegian Language“	(3 C / 2 WLH)
B.Ska.443	„Swedish Language“	(3 C / 2 WLH)
B.Slav.124	„Russian - Corrective course [C2]“	(6 C / 3 WLH)
B.Slav.127	„Russian for Students of all Departments [A2]“	(8 C / 8 WLH)
B.Slav.130	„Learning Polish - Preparatory Course [A1+]“	(9 C / 9 WLH)
B.Slav.131	„Learning Polish I [A2]“	(6 C / 6 WLH)
B.Slav.132	„Learning Polish II [A2+]“	(6 C / 6 WLH)
B.Slav.133	„Learning Polish III [B1]“	(6 C / 6 WLH)

B.Slav.134	„Polish - Corrective course [C2]“	(6 C / 3 WLH)
B.Slav.141	„Learning Czech I [A1+]“	(9 C / 9 WLH)
B.Slav.142-1	„Learning Czech II [A2+]“	(6 C / 6 WLH)
B.Slav.142-2	„Learning Czech III [B1]“	(3 C / 3 WLH)
B.Slav.151	„Learning Bulgarian I [A1+]“	(9 C / 9 WLH)
B.Slav.152-1	„Learning Bulgarian II [A2+]“	(6 C / 6 WLH)
B.Slav.152-2	„Learning Bulgarian III [B1]“	(3 C / 3 WLH)
B.Slav.161	„Learning Bosnian-Croatian-Serbian I [A1+]“	(9 C / 9 WLH)
B.Slav.162-1	„Learning Bosnian-Croatian-Serbian II [A2+]“	(6 C / 6 WLH)
B.Slav.162-2	„Learning Bosnian-Croatian-Serbian III [B1]“	(3 C / 3 WLH)
B.Slav.171	„Learning Ukrainian I [A1+]“	(9 C / 9 WLH)
B.Slav.172-1	„Learning Ukrainian II [A2+]“	(6 C / 6 WLH)
B.Slav.172-2	„Learning Ukrainian III [B1]“	(3 C / 3 WLH)
B.Spa.101	„Practical Language Skills“	(8 C / 8 WLH)
B.Spa.201	„Practical Language Skills: Advanced Level I“	(9 C / 10 WLH)
B.Spa.205	„Practical Language Skills: Advanced Level II“	(6 C / 6 WLH)
B.Tur.08	„Advanced Turkish Language Skills“	(9 C / 5 WLH)
B.Tur.21	„Basics of the Turkish of Turkey I“	(9 C / 6 WLH)
B.Tur.22	„Basics of the Turkish of Turkey II“	(9 C / 6 WLH)
B.Tur.26	„Turkish of Turkey for Advanced Learners“	(8 C / 5 WLH)
M.Ling.141	„Language Competence“	(6 C / 2 WLH)
SK.SPW.011	„Foundations in the Object Language (Language 1)“	(6 C / 2 WLH)
SK.SPW.021	„Foundations in the Object Language (Language 2)“	(6 C / 2 WLH)

b. Specialised studies in Linguistics amounting to 42 C

Modules totalling at least 42 C must be successfully completed in accordance with the following provisions.

aa. Compulsory modules

The following three compulsory modules totalling 30 C must be successfully completed:

M.Ling.111	„Foundations/Grundlagen“	(12 C / 6 WLH)
M.Ling.122	„Methods/Methoden“	(9 C / 4 WLH)
M.Ling.132	„Theory/Theorie“	(9 C / 4 WLH)

bb. Compulsory elective modules

Two of the following compulsory elective modules totalling 12 C must be successfully completed.

It is recommended to choose a pair of thematically related modules.

M.Ling.212	Text and Discourse: Foundations/Textanalyse und Diskursverarbeitung: Grundlagen	(6 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ling.222	Text and Discourse: Research/Textanalyse und Diskursverarbeitung: Forschung	(6 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ling.312	Language Typology and Fieldwork: Foundations/Sprachtypologie und Feldforschung: Grundlagen	(6 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ling.322	Language Typology and Fieldwork: Research/Sprachtypologie und Feldforschung: Forschung	(6 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ling.412	Language Change: Foundations/Sprachwandel: Grundlagen	(6 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ling.422	Language Change: Research/Sprachwandel: Forschung	(6 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ling.512	Sign Languages and Visual Communication: Foundations/Gebärdensprachen und visuelle Kommunikation: Grundlagen	(6 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ling.522	Sign Languages and Visual Communication: Research/Gebärdensprachen und visuelle Kommunikation: Forschung	(6 C / 2 WLH)

cc. External module packages

Students must successfully complete one permissible external subject module package of 36 C or two permissible external subject module packages of 18 C each.

c. Professionalisation

Modules totalling 12 C from the permitted range of key competencies must be successfully completed.

d. Master's thesis

30 C are acquired through the successful completion of the master's thesis.

2. Module Packages Linguistics

(can only be taken within another Master's programme)

a. Module package "Linguistics" with 36 C

aa. Admission requirements

At least two modules or module parts from the core areas of theoretical linguistics (phonetics/phonology, morphology, syntax, semantics, pragmatics) must have been completed.

bb. Compulsory elective modules A

The following three modules totalling 30 C must be successfully completed:

M.Ling.111	„Foundations/Grundlagen“	(12 C / 6 WLH)
M.Ling.122	„Methods/Methoden“	(9 C / 4 WLH)
M.Ling.132	„Theory/Theorie“	(9 C / 4 WLH)

cc. Compulsory elective modules B

One of the following modules with a total of 6 C must be completed:

M.Ling.212	Text and Discourse: Foundations/Textanalyse und Diskursverarbeitung: Grundlagen	(6 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ling.222	Text and Discourse: Research/Textanalyse und Diskursverarbeitung: Forschung	(6 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ling.312	Language Typology and Fieldwork: Foundations/Sprachtypologie und Feldforschung: Grundlagen	(6 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ling.322	Language Typology and Fieldwork: Research/Sprachtypologie und Feldforschung: Forschung	(6 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ling.412	Language Change: Foundations/Sprachwandel: Grundlagen	(6 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ling.422	Language Change: Research/Sprachwandel: Forschung	(6 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ling.512	Sign Languages and Visual Communication: Foundations/Gebärdensprachen und visuelle Kommunikation: Grundlagen	(6 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ling.522	Sign Languages and Visual Communication: Research/Gebärdensprachen und visuelle Kommunikation: Forschung	(6 C / 2 WLH)

b. Module package "Linguistics" with 18 C

aa. Admission requirements

At least two modules or module parts from the core areas of theoretical linguistics (phonetics/phonology, morphology, syntax, semantics, pragmatics) must have been completed.

bb. Compulsory elective modules A

The following module must be successfully completed with a total of 12 C:

M.Ling.111 „Foundations/Grundlagen“ (12 C / 6 WLH)

cc. Compulsory elective modules B

One of the following modules with a total of 6 C must be completed:

M.Ling.212 Text and Discourse: Foundations/Textanalyse und Diskursverarbeitung:
Grundlagen (6 C / 2 WLH)

M.Ling.222 Text and Discourse: Research/Textanalyse und Diskursverarbeitung: Forschung
(6 C / 2 WLH)

M.Ling.312 Language Typology and Fieldwork: Foundations/Sprachtypologie und
Feldforschung: Grundlagen (6 C / 2 WLH)

M.Ling.322 Language Typology and Fieldwork: Research/Sprachtypologie und
Feldforschung: Forschung (6 C / 2 WLH)

M.Ling.412 Language Change: Foundations/Sprachwandel: Grundlagen (6 C / 2 WLH)

M.Ling.422 Language Change: Research/Sprachwandel: Forschung (6 C / 2 WLH)

M.Ling.512 Sign Languages and Visual Communication: Foundations/Gebärdensprachen
und visuelle Kommunikation: Grundlagen (6 C / 2 WLH)

M.Ling.522 Sign Languages and Visual Communication: Research/Gebärdensprachen und
visuelle Kommunikation: Forschung (6 C / 2 WLH)

Appendix II Sample curricula

1. Specialised studies "Linguistics" with 78 C

Sem. Σ C	Study programme „Linguistics“ (78 C)						Professionalisation (key competencies) (12 C)	
	Module	Module	Module	Module	Module	Module	Module	Module
1. Σ 30 C	M.Ling.111 Foundations (compulsory) 12 C	M.Ling.121 Methods (compulsory) 12 C	M.Ling.131 Theory (compulsory) 12 C		B.Eth.371d language course: Swahili (compulsory elective) 6 C		SK.Phil.50 Professional Internship for Students in the Humanities I (elective) 6 C	
2. Σ 31 C						M.Ling.311 Language Typology and Fieldwork: Foundations (compulsory elective) 9 C	M.Ling.211 Text and Discourse: Foundations (compulsory elective) 9 C	
3. Σ 29 C				M.Ling.221 Text and Discourse: Research (compulsory elective) 9 C	M.Ling.321 Language Typology and Fieldwork: Research (compulsory elective) 9 C		SK.IKG-ISZ.17 Presenting Empirical Data in Written Form (elective) 3 C	SK.AS.KK-06a Communication Skills: Introduction to Speech Communication Theory (elective) 3 C
4. Σ 30 C	Master's thesis 30 C							
Σ 120 C	36 C (compulsory) + 42 C (compulsory elective) + 30 C (thesis)						12 C	

2. Study programme "Linguistics" comprising 42 C in conjunction with module package "Finno-Ugric Philology" comprising 36 C - Start of study in winter semester

Sem. Σ C	Study programme „Linguistics“ (42 C)			Module package „Finno-Ugric Philology“ (36 C)			Professionalisation (key competencies) (12 C)
	Module	Module	Module	Module	Module	Module	Module
1. Σ 28 C	M.Ling.111 Foundations (compulsory) 12 C		M.Ling.512 Sign Languages and Visual Communication: Foundations (compulsory elective) 6 C	M.Fin.01 Basic Questions in Finno-Ugric Studies (compulsory elective) 10 C	M.Fin.15 Grammar in Estonian or Finnish or Hungarian II (compulsory elective) 8 C	M.Fin.13b.1 Technical Language in Finnish (compulsory elective) 8 C	SK.Mus.38Ex Music in Its Cultural Dimensions (Ex) (elective) 3 C
2. Σ 31 C		M.Ling.122 Methods (compulsory) 9 C					
3. Σ 31 C		M.Ling.132 Theory (compulsory) 9 C	M.Ling.522 Sign Languages and Visual Communication: Research (compulsory elective) 6 C	M.Fin.02b Culture of Finno-Ugric People (compulsory elective) 5 C		M.Fin.04b Language Practice I: Finland - Geography (compulsory elective) 5 C	SK.DH.01 Introduction to Digital Humanities (elective) 6 C
4. Σ 30 C	Master's thesis 30 C						
Σ 120 C	30 C (compulsory) + 12 C (compulsory elective) + 30 C (thesis)			36 C			12 C

3. Study programme "Linguistics" comprising 42 C in combination with module package "Finno-Ugric Philology" comprising 36 C - start of study in the summer semester

Sem. Σ C	Study programme „Linguistics“ (42 C)			Module package „Finno-Ugric Philology“ (36 C)				Professionalis ation (key competencies) (12 C)
	Modul	Modul	Modul	Modul	Modul	Modul	Modul	Modul
1. Σ 27 C	M.Ling.111 Foundations (compulsory) 12 C		M.Ling.512 Sign Languages and Visual Communication: Foundations (compulsory elective) 6 C	M.Fin.01 Basic Questions in Finno-Ugrian Studies (compulsory elective) 10 C	M.Fin.15 Grammar in Estonian or Finnish or Hungarian II (compulsory elective) 8 C			SK.DH.02 Foundations of Data Science (elective) 6 C
2. Σ 33 C		M.Ling.122 Methods (compulsory) 9 C					M.Fin.13b.1 Technical Language in Finnish (compulsory elective) 8 C	M.Fin.04b Language Practice I: Finland - Geography (compulsory elective) 5 C
3. Σ 27 C		M.Ling.132 Theory (compulsory) 9 C	M.Ling.522 Sign Languages and Visual Communication: Research (compulsory elective) 6 C	M.Fin.02b Culture of Finno-Ugric People (compulsory elective) 5 C				SK.IKG-ISZ.16 Writing for the Web (elective) 3 C
4. Σ 33 C	Master's thesis 30 C							SK.Phil-VML.1a Visual and Media Literacy (elective) 3 C
Σ 120 C	30 C (compulsory) + 12 C (compulsory elective) + 30 C (thesis)			36 C				12 C

4. Study programme "Linguistics" comprising 42 C in conjunction with module package "Ancient Oriental Studies" comprising 18 C and module package "German Studies/German Philology" comprising 18 C - start of study in winter semester

Sem. Σ C	Study programme „Linguistics“ (42 C)		Module package „Ancient Near Eastern Studies/ Akkadistics“ (18 C)	Module package „German Studies/German Philology“ (18 C)	Professionalisation (key competencies) (12 C)
	Module	Module	Module	Module	Module
1. Σ 33C	M.Ling.111 Foundations (compulsory) 12 C		M.AO.204 Introduction to Academic Work with Akkadian Texts (compulsory elective) 6 C	M.Ger.09 Basic Course to acquire key competences in Literary Studies C - historical and theoretical (compulsory elective) 9 C	B.JudC.01.Mp Modern Hebrew I (elective) 6 C
2. Σ 24 C	M.Ling.122 Methods (compulsory) 9 C	M.Ling.412 Language Change: Foundations (compulsory elective) 6 C	M.AO.205 Academic Work with Akkadian Texts in their Cultural and Historical Context I (compulsory elective) 6 C		B.Inf.1611 Programming for Non Computer Scientists – Introduction (elective) 3 C
3. Σ 33 C	M.Ling.132 Theory (compulsory) 9 C	M.Ling.422 Language Change: Research (compulsory elective) 6 C	M.AO.206 Academic Work with Akkadian Texts in their Cultural and Historical Context II (compulsory elective) 6 C	M.Ger.11 Diachronic and synchronic aspects of German grammar C (compulsory elective) 9 C	SK.IT.18 Producing Academic Posters with CorelDraw (elective) 3 C
4. Σ 30 C	Master's thesis 30 C				
Σ 120 C	30 C (compulsory) + 12 C (compulsory elective) + 30 C (thesis)		18 C	18 C	12 C

5. Module packages "Linguistics" with 36 C or 18 C in other Master's programmes

Sem. Σ C	Module package „Linguistics“ (36 C)	
	Module	Module
1. Σ 12 C	M.Ling.111 Foundations (compulsory) 12 C	
2. Σ 15 C	M.Ling.122 Methods (compulsory) 9 C	M.Ling.312 Language Typology and Fieldwork: Foundations (compulsory elective) 6 C
3. Σ 15 C	M.Ling.132 Theory (compulsory) 9 C	M.Ling.322 Language Typology and Fieldwork: Research (compulsory elective) 6 C
4. Σ 0 C		
Σ 36 C	30 C (compulsory) + 12 C (compulsory elective)	

Sem. Σ C	Module package „Linguistics“ (18 C)	
	Module	Module
1. Σ 12 C	M.Ling.111 Foundations (compulsory) 12 C	
2. Σ 6 C		M.Ling.512 Sign Languages and Visual Communication: Foundations (compulsory elective) 6 C
3. Σ 0 C		
4. Σ 0 C		
Σ 18 C	12 C (compulsory) + 6 C (compulsory elective)	