



## DEPARTMENT OF LANGUAGES AND LITERATURES

**AF1111 Introduction to Linguistics and African Languages, 7.5 credits**  
Introduktion till språkvetenskap och afrikanska språk, 7,5 högskolepoäng  
*First Cycle*

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**Reading list for AF1111, to be valid from autumn semester of 2021**

Reading list was confirmed by Department of Languages and Literatures on 2021-05-11  
to be valid from 2021-08-30.

See appendix.



## INSTITUTIONEN FÖR SPRÅK OCH LITTERATURER

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#### Litteraturlista

Denna litteraturlista är fastställd av Institutionen för språk och litteraturer 2021-05-11 att gälla fr.o.m. höstterminen 2021.

**Obligatory reading/  
Obligatorisk kurslitteratur:**

Culicover, Peter W. & Hume, Elizabeth V. 2017. *Basics of language for language learners*. 2nd edn. Columbus: Ohio State University Press.

*and selected parts of*

Eifring, Halvor & Theil, Rolf. 2005. *Linguistics for Students of Asian and African Languages*. Manuscript. University of Oslo. (Chapter 1-2.2, 5, 7-8)

<https://www.uio.no/studier/emner/hf/ikos/EXFAC03-AAS/h05/larestoff/linguistics/>

Richter, Borbála (ed.). 2006. *First Steps in Theoretical and Applied Linguistics*. Budapest: Bölcsész Konzorcium. (Chapter 1-6, 8)

<http://mek.oszk.hu/05200/05298/>

Other short texts and exercises, distributed during the course.

**Useful for reference/**

**Användbar referenslitteratur:**

*All these titles, except Mutaka (2000), are freely available as e-books through Gothenburg University Library.*

Childs, George Tucker. 2003. *An Introduction to African Languages*. Amsterdam & Philadelphia: John Benjamins.

Dimendaal, Gerrit J. 2011. *Historical linguistics and the comparative study of African languages*. Amsterdam & Philadelphia: John Benjamins.

Güldemann, Tom (ed.). 2018. *The languages and linguistics of Africa, The World of Linguistics* 11. Berlin & Boston: de Gruyter.

Mutaka, Ngessimo M. 2000. *An introduction to African linguistics, LINCOM handbooks in linguistics* 16. München: LINCOM Europa.

Vossen, Rainer & Dimmendaal, Gerrit J. (eds.). 2020. *The Oxford handbook of African languages*. Oxford: Oxford University Press.