

DEPARTMENT OF CULTURAL SCIENCES

FL1230 Methods in Film Studies, 7.5 credits

Filmvetenskapliga metoder, 7,5 högskolepoäng First Cycle

Confirmation

This course syllabus was confirmed by Department of Cultural Sciences on 2020-06-25 to be valid from 2021-01-18, spring semester of 2021.

Field of education: Arts 100%

Department: Department of Cultural Sciences

Position in the educational system

The course is included in the course Film studies, intermediate level

Main field of studies Specialization

Film Studies G1F, First cycle, has less than 60 credits in

first-cycle course/s as entry requirements

Entry requirements

To be admitted to the course, 37.5 credits of Film studies is required.

Learning outcomes

On successful completion of the course the student will be able to:

Knowledge and understanding

- give an account of basic Film studies methods and work procedures

Competence and skills

- review how various media and art forms can interact concerning format, production and reception

Judgement and approach

- form an opinion on the usefulness of different methods related to various Film studies materials.

Course content

The course provides students with knowledge of Film studies methods and procedures and how these apply to the study of different films or film contexts.

Form of teaching

The teaching consists of lectures, seminars and group assignments.

Language of instruction: English and Swedish

Assessment

The students will be assessed through individual take-home exams and examination seminars.

If a student who has failed a compulsory element twice would like to have a different examiner at the next evaluation, such a request should be made in writing to the department. The request should be granted if possible (Chapter 6, Section 22, Higher Education Ordinance).

Should a course be discontinued or has undergone signifigant changes, the student is guaranteed at least three examinations (including the ordinary examination) during a period of at least one year up to two years after the course has been discontinued/changed. Regarding internships/placements, the equivalent applies but is limited to only one additional examination session.

Grades

The grading scale comprises: Pass with Distinction (VG), Pass (G) and Fail (U).

Course evaluation

The result and any changes in the course structure must be communicated to both the students who completed the evaluation and to the students who will start the course.

Additional information

Equality aspects should be taken into consideration in the content, literature, teaching and evaluation. Also, the course should, to the extent that it is relevant, sensitise about and problematise ecologically, economically and socially and culturally sustainable development.