

# DEPARTMENT OF LANGUAGES AND LITERATURES

# SL1180 Ukrainian, Introductory Course, Stage 4: Culture and Society, 7.5 credits

Ukrainska, Grundkurs, Etapp 4: Kultur och samhällsliv, 7,5 högskolepoäng First Cycle

#### Confirmation

This course syllabus was confirmed by Department of Languages and Literatures on 2022-03-28 and was last revised on 2022-04-11 to be valid from 2022-08-29, autumn semester of 2022.

*Field of education:* Arts 100%

Department: Department of Languages and Literatures

# Position in the educational system

Main field of studies Specialization

Slavic Languages G1N, First cycle, has only upper-

secondary level entry requirements

# **Entry requirements**

General entrance requirements.

# **Learning outcomes**

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

Knowledge and understanding

- describe basic issues concerning Ukrainian culture and Ukrainian social life;
- identify relevant nonfiction in the field;

Competence and skills

- analyse central events in Ukraine's culture, history and modern social life and reflect on their importance for current events and phenomena;
- apply correct handling of sources his/her own writing;
- actively participate in oral presentations;

## Judgement and approach

- critically review reference material and relate critically to his/her own learning process.

#### Course content

The course gives an overview of Ukraine's history, culture and modern social life. Certain central problems that are of great importance to contemporary Ukraine are analysed in more detail, for example Ukrainian independence and nationalism; Ukraine during Tsarist Russia and the Soviet Union, and Ukraine during the Dual Monarchy of Austria-Hungary; The history of the Jews in Ukraine; Ukrainian minorities in eastern Europe with special focus on Lemker and Rutener; Ukrainian diaspora.

# Form of teaching

The course may be given as an on-campus course or as an online course. On the online course, the teaching is conducted digitally via a virtual learning platform and by means of a digital teaching tool.

Language of instruction: Swedish

Course literature may be in English.

## **Assessment**

To what extent the student has achieved the aims of the course is tested through written assignments, oral examinations, and through a final written examination. Furthermore, students must have completed the Canvas modules on academic integrity: Academic integrity 1 and Academic integrity 2.

Students who have failed any part of the course are given the possibility of a new test. In connection with written assignments, supplementary assignments may be offered in order for the student to achieve a Pass grade. Such a supplementary assignment should be done within the stipulated time (normally five working days after the result has been posted). Otherwise a Fail grade will be reported.

A student who has passed a subtest may not do a new test for a higher grade. Nor do students have the right to withdraw a submitted test and in such a way avoid being graded.

If a student who has failed the same examined component twice, wants to change examiner before the next examination, they should submit a written request to the department responsible for the course. The request shall be granted unless there are special reasons to the contrary (Chapter 6, Section 22 of Higher Education Ordinance).

If the University of Gothenburg has decided that a student is eligible for special study support, the examiner may, provided it is compatible with the aim of the course and it can be done within the scope of available resources, decide to offer the student an adjusted examination or a different examination format.

If the course has been discontinued or substantially revised, a student should be guaranteed to sit the examination on at least three occasions (including the ordinary examination occasion) during a period of at least one year, but not later than two years after the course was discontinued or revised. As regards internships/placement the same as above applies, with the exception that examination is offered on only one occasion.

### **Grades**

The grading scale comprises: Pass with Distinction (VG), Pass (G) and Fail (U). For the grade of Pass with distinction on the course, this grade is required on the final written examination.

## **Course evaluation**

The students are given the opportunity to make a written evaluation of the course. The results of the evaluation are published digitally.

# **Additional information**

Equality aspects should be taken in consideration in content, literature, teaching and evaluation.

When the course is web-based, students need to have access to a computer, a web camera and stable broadband connection.