

## LGERM1113

2016-2017

## German language: elementary grammar

| 5.0 credits | 30.0 h + 15.0 h | 1 + 2q |
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| Teacher(s):                  | Sabel Joachim ;   |
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| Language :                   | Allemand  |
| Place of the course          | Louvain-la-Neuve  |
| Prerequisites :              | Level A1 of the Common Europea Framework of Reference for Languages   |
| Main themes :                | - Studies of German Phonetics and morphology; - German Sentence Types, Grammatical Functions; - Detailed Description of Basic Rules concerning: Verbs, (Pro-) Nouns, Adjectives/Adverbs, Determiners, Prepositions, conjunctions and particles.   |
| Aims :                       | Introduction to descriptive German grammar. The understanding and utilization of (basic) German grammatical rules to facilitate the acquisition of a German "competence grammar".  The contribution of this Teaching Unit to the development and command of the skills and learning outcomes of the programme(s) can be accessed at the end of this sheet, in the section entitled "Programmes/courses offering this Teaching Unit".  |
| Evaluation methods :         | The course will be assessed both in January and in June thanks to written exams. The exam taking place in January is a partial exam assessing the first half of the course. If the student passes the January exam, he just needs to take the second part of the June exam. His result will then be computed as the average of his results in January and in June. If the student fails the January exam, he will have to take the whole June exam. His result in this case is only determined by his grade in the June exam. If the student takes the exam in September, all previous results are disregarded. The September exam covers the entirety of the course. |
| Teaching methods :           | 1   |
| Content:                     | Title. German Basic Grammar Summary. Introduction to descriptive German grammar. Studies of German Phonetics. German sentence types (infinitivals, finite sentences and sentence mood), German word order, Grammatical functions. Detailed description of basic rules concerning form an distribution of: verbs, (pro-) nouns, adjectives/adverbs, determiners, and prepositions. Declination of nouns and adjectives, conjugation of verbs. Subcategorization properties of lexical categories. Teaching: Lecture, Exercises in Class  |
| Bibliography:                | V   |
| Other infos :                | A syllabus for this course (written in German) is available.  |
| Faculty or entity in charge: | LMOD  |

| Programmes / formations proposant cette unité d'enseignement (UE)         |           |         |           |                        |  |  |
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| Intitulé du programme   | Sigle     | Credits | Prerequis | Acquis d'apprentissage |  |  |
| Bachelor in Modern Languages and Letters : General                        | ROGE1BA   | 5       | -         | ٩                      |  |  |
| Minor in Linguistics  | LLING100I | 5       | -         | ٩                      |  |  |
| Bachelor in Modern Languages<br>and Letters: German, Dutch and<br>English | GERM1BA   | 5       | -         | ٩                      |  |  |
| Minor in German Studies   | LALLE100I | 4       | -         | ٩                      |  |  |