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Discourse Analysis

In view of the health context linked to the spread of the coronavirus, the methods of organisation and evaluation of the learning units could be adapted in different situations; these possible new methods have been - or will be - communicated by the teachers to the students.

5 credits	15.0 h	Q1

Teacher(s)	Degand Elisabeth ;
Language :	English
Place of the course	Louvain-la-Neuve
Main themes	This course gives an overview of what discourse analysis is and covers the main methodological questions. It will treat discourse analysis from different points of view, in particular: linguistics (texture and cohesion), psycholinguistics (coherence, processing), sociolinguistics (conversation analysis, critical discourse analysis,).
Aims	Students will be able: 1 • to develop global knowledge of the different domains covered by discourse analysis as a discipline • to apply the different theoretical concepts to concrete language situations • to acquire detailed knowledge of at least one domain of investigation of discourse analysis. - - - - *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	**Due to the COVID-19 crisis, the information in this section is particularly likely to change.** The evaluation is performed through an individual written essay (80% of the grade) verifying the student's ability to resolve problems analogous to the ones presented in class. The research underlying this essay will be the input for an oral presentation in class (20%).
Teaching methods	**Due to the COVID-19 crisis, the information in this section is particularly likely to change.** Research seminar
Content	After a brief state of the art of the different theoretical schools and domains of application of discourse analysis, the course will deepen one particular domain focussing on the specific analysis methods that go with it. The students will apply themselves the analysis techniques in the framework of a practical. The course contain a number of plenary lectures (invited speakers), but will also require the student's active participation : reading, exercises, discussions, etc.
Bibliography	cf. Moodle
Faculty or entity in charge	LING

Programmes containing this learning unit (UE)				
Program title	Acronym	Credits	Prerequisite	Aims
Master [120] in Translation	TRAD2M	5		🔍
Master [120] in French and Romance Languages and Literatures : French as a Foreign Language	FLE2M	5		🔍
Master [120] in Ancient and Modern Languages and Literatures	LAFR2M	5		🔍
Master [120] in Linguistics	LING2M	5		🔍