

TEACHING

Courses combine lecture and seminar format. All teaching is in English. Classes held Tues, Wed or Thurs evenings (17.00-21.00), October to March. Possibility of some distance learning (consult the coordinators).

ASSESSMENT

Courses are assessed independently by a combination of coursework and assignments. Submission of a 15 credit Masters Dissertation defended in a public oral examination.

DOCTORATE Presentation of a Research Proposal, with the agreement of a tutor from the Masters Programme, to the Department and Research Committee. Doctoral thesis written under the supervision of the tutor and submitted to a Research Committee. Public defense.

ELIGIBILITY

This program is especially suitable for students who have had training in Linguistics or Linguistics and Education/Psychology. The courses are intended for all those interested in language and communication. Teachers of second/foreign languages interested in research in their own professional practice will find some courses specifically for this type of focus. Those interested in other areas of Applied Linguistics will find a number of courses on topics outside the field of education.

A good knowledge of English, at least at receptive level, is required

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Facultad de Filosofía y Letras
Departamento de Filología Inglesa

MASTERS DEGREE IN ENGLISH APPLIED LINGUISTICS

+ INFORMATION

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MATRÍCULA/REGISTRATION

FROM END MARCH 2011

Centro de Posgrado (CEP)

[http://www.uam.es/ss/Satellite/es/1242648654015/listadoAgrupado/](http://www.uam.es/ss/Satellite/es/1242648654015/listadoAgrupado/Masteres_Oficiales.htm)

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PRICE PER CREDIT

approx 25€ (minimum number of credits to register: 24)

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CURSO ACADÉMICO
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ACADEMIC YEAR
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STRUCTURE AND LEVELS OF POSTGRADUATE STUDIES

The University offers opportunities for further study to those who already have a degree, and confers a Masters Degree, with the possibility of preparing a Doctoral Thesis.

- a student who successfully passes 60 credits will be awarded a **Masters Degree**;
- a student who, after having passed the 60 credits (courses and dissertation), wants to undertake a research project leading to a doctoral thesis will be awarded a **Doctorate/PhD Degree** if the research work, judged by a specialized Committee, is of sufficient quality and makes a definite contribution to knowledge.

DESCRIPTION AND AIMS

This programme is designed specifically to cover the needs of professionals working with languages -teachers, translators, and anyone working with two or more languages- and provides a solid background in relevant aspects of linguistics and language acquisition. It gives students the theory and practice necessary to be able to detect problems of communication and acquisition, analyse them and propose theoretically-based solutions.

In addition to the specific research interests of individual members of staff, the members of the programme have a number of active research groups. See descriptions on the web. Research students are particularly welcome to participate in the on-going work of these groups.

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MODULE 1. Applied Linguistics: Methodology

(Obligatory module; 5 ECTS Credits each course)

1. Research Methods in Applied Linguistics
2. Seminar/Workshop in Research Methods in Applied Linguistics

MODULE 2. Discourse and Communication in English

(Optional subjects; 5 ECTS Credits each course)

1. Language, Function and Cognition
2. Discourse and Philosophy: Applications to Social Conflict
3. From Word to Text: Lexis, Grammar and Discourse
4. Professional Discourses: Applications to Translation

MODULE 3. English as a Foreign Language: Teaching and

Learning in Bilingual (CLIL) and Traditional (EFL) Contexts

(Optional subjects; 5 ECTS Credits each course)

1. Models of Acquisition and Development of Interlanguages: Interfaces, Transfer and Error Analysis
2. Corpus Linguistics and New Technologies in the Foreign Language Classroom
3. The Language of School Disciplines in Content and Language Integrated Learning (CLIL/Bilingual Classes)
4. Meanings and Cognition: Research into Lexis and its Acquisition in First and Second Languages

MODULE 4. Work Experience

(Optional module; 5 ECTS Credits)

Students who are working should contact the coordinators if they are interested in this module

MODULE 5. Masters Dissertation

(Obligatory module; 15 ECTS Credits)

Tutored research paper