LINGUISTS (LINGUIS)

LINGUIS 101 — HUMAN LANGUAGE
3 credits.

Elementary theory and practical work in phonetics, phonology, morphology, and syntax, with attention to formal grammar. Stdts may not receive cr for both LINGUIS 101 301

Requisites: Open to Fr.
Repeatable for Credit: No
Last Taught: Fall 2017

LINGUIS 103 — LANGUAGE, HISTORY, AND SOCIETY
3 credits.

Relation of variation and change to formal properties of human language; consideration of linguistic typology, basic concepts and methods of diachronic analysis. Topics include: language classification; language and social identity, geography, power and prestige; language contact; registers; writing systems. Stdts may not receive cr for both 103 303

Requisites: Open to Fr.
Repeatable for Credit: No
Last Taught: Spring 2009

LINGUIS/ANTHRO/FOLKLORE/INTL ST 211 — GLOBAL LANGUAGE ISSUES
4 credits.

A series of modules, each showcasing one language and its culture. Each module tackles a major issue about language, such as extinction and revival, language and nationhood, how widely and deeply languages differ, language and worldview, writing systems and literacy, language discrimination and inequality.

Requisites: Open to Fr.
Repeatable for Credit: No
Last Taught: Fall 2016

LINGUIS 236 — BASCOM COURSE
3 credits.

A low-enrollment course developing skills in critical reading, logical thinking, use of evidence, and use of library resources. Emphasis on writing in the conventions of specific fields. Open to Fr.

Requisites: Successful completion of or exemption from Com A requirement.
Repeatable for Credit: No
Last Taught: Fall 2011

LINGUIS 237 — LANGUAGE & IMMIGRATION IN WISCONSIN
3 credits.

Migration from abroad and other parts of North America brought and continues to bring myriad languages and dialects to Wisconsin. How and when did these immigrants and their descendants learn English and when and why did they begin to speak only English? How have immigrants shaped how English is spoken in the state? We will do hands-on, original research to find answers to these and related questions about immigrant languages and English past and present in Wisconsin. We’ll examine social and historical issues and issues of linguistic structure, drawing on local histories, archival data, Census records and audio recordings and there are opportunities to do fieldwork in communities across the state and the region.

Requisites: None
Repeatable for Credit: No
Last Taught: Spring 2017

LINGUIS 299 — DIRECTED STUDY
1-4 credits.

Requisites: Consent of instructor
Repeatable for Credit: Yes, unlimited number of completions
Last Taught: Fall 1983

LINGUIS/ANTHRO 301 — INTRODUCTION TO LINGUISTICS: DESCRIPTIVE AND THEORETICAL
3 credits.

Elementary theory and practical work in phonetics, phonology, morphology, and syntax, with attention to formal grammar. Stdts may not receive cr for both LINGUIS 101 301

Requisites: Open to Fr.
Repeatable for Credit: No
Last Taught: Fall 2017

LINGUIS 303 — LANGUAGE, HISTORY, AND SOCIETY
3 credits.

Relation of variation and change to formal properties of human language; consideration of linguistic typology, basic concepts and methods of diachronic analysis. Topics include: language classification; language and social identity, geography, power and prestige; language contact; registers; writing systems.

Requisites: Stdts may not receive cr for both 103 303
Repeatable for Credit: No
Last Taught: Spring 2017

LINGUIS 306 — GENERAL PHONETICS
3 credits.

Theory of articulatory phonetics; practice in recognition, reproduction, and transcription of speech sounds and features in various languages.

Requisites: LINGUIS 101 or 301 or cons inst
Repeatable for Credit: No
Last Taught: Fall 2017
LINGUIS 309 — GRAMMATICAL VARIABILITY OF LANGUAGE
3 credits.
Introduction to theories of variation among world languages, focusing on
syntactic phenomena. Not open to Fr
Requisites: LINGUIS 101 or 301 or cons inst.
Repeatable for Credit: No
Last Taught: Spring 2017

LINGUIS 310 — PHONOLOGY
3 credits.
Analysis and formal statement of phonological systems; problems and
methods of phonological theory.
Requisites: LINGUIS 101 or 301
Repeatable for Credit: No
Last Taught: Fall 2017

LINGUIS 322 — MORPHOLOGY
3 credits.
Morphological characteristics of the world’s languages. Introduction to
theoretical approaches to morphology. Interaction between morphology
and syntax; morphology and phonology.
Requisites: LINGUIS 310
Repeatable for Credit: No
Last Taught: Spring 2017

LINGUIS 330 — SYNTAX
3 credits.
Grammatical theory; types of elements and processes usable in syntactic
description of various sorts.
Requisites: LINGUIS 101 or 301
Repeatable for Credit: No
Last Taught: Fall 2017

LINGUIS 340 — SEMANTICS
3 credits.
Meaning in natural languages, relationship between syntax and
semantics, compositional semantics.
Requisites: LINGUIS 330 or cons inst
Repeatable for Credit: No
Last Taught: Spring 2015

LINGUIS/AMER IND 371 — SURVEY OF NORTH AMERICAN INDIAN
LANGUAGES
3 credits.
Overview of native languages of North America, including topics such as
history, distribution, diversity, government policy, language endangerment,
elaboration of cultural domains, language and worldview, speech styles,
language structure (phonology, morphology, grammatical categories),
performance (narrative, song), writing systems.
Requisites: None
Repeatable for Credit: No
Last Taught: Fall 2016

LINGUIS 373 — TOPICS IN LINGUISTICS
3 credits.
Topic varies with instructor. May be repeated. Open to Fr
Requisites: Cons inst.
Repeatable for Credit: Yes, unlimited number of completions
Last Taught: Fall 2017

LINGUIS 426 — FIELD METHODS I
3 credits.
Collection and analysis of phonetic, phonological, and morphological data
from a particular language, using one or more speakers as consultants.
Requisites: LINGUIS 310 or cons inst
Repeatable for Credit: Yes, unlimited number of completions
Last Taught: Fall 2016

LINGUIS 427 — FIELD METHODS II
3 credits.
Collection and analysis of morphological, syntactic, and semantic data
from a particular language, using one or more speakers as consultants.
Requisites: LINGUIS 310 either 322 or 330, or cons inst
Repeatable for Credit: Yes, unlimited number of completions
Last Taught: Spring 2017

LINGUIS/ANTHRO/LCA 430 — LANGUAGE AND CULTURE
3-4 credits.
The relationship of language as a communication system to the culture
transmitted by it. Principle problems in the interrelations of language and
nonlinguistic human behavior.
Requisites: So st or cons inst
Repeatable for Credit: No
Last Taught: Fall 2016

LINGUIS 481 — JUNIOR HONORS TUTORIAL
1 credit.
Requisites: Consent of instructor
Course Designation: Honors - Honors Only Courses (H)
Repeatable for Credit: Yes, unlimited number of completions
Last Taught: Fall 2016

LINGUIS 482 — JUNIOR HONORS TUTORIAL
1 credit.
Requisites: Consent of instructor
Course Designation: Honors - Honors Only Courses (H)
Repeatable for Credit: Yes, unlimited number of completions
Last Taught: Spring 2016

LINGUIS 510 — PHONOLOGICAL THEORIES
3 credits.
Theories of phonology, and advanced phonological description.
Requisites: LINGUIS 310
Repeatable for Credit: Yes, unlimited number of completions
Last Taught: Spring 2016
LINGUIS 522 — ADVANCED MORPHOLOGY
3 credits.
Advanced morphological theory.
Requisites: LINGUIS 322
Repeatable for Credit: Yes, unlimited number of completions
Last Taught: Fall 2017

LINGUIS 530 — SYNTACTIC THEORIES
3 credits.
Theories of syntax, and syntactic description. The relation of syntax to semantics, and other aspects of linguistic theory.
Requisites: LINGUIS 330
Repeatable for Credit: Yes, unlimited number of completions
Last Taught: Spring 2017

LINGUIS 540 — ADVANCED SEMANTICS
3 credits.
Indexicality, reference and quantification, intensionality, and tense.
Requisites: LINGUIS 340
Repeatable for Credit: No
Last Taught: Fall 2012

LINGUIS 561 — INTRODUCTION TO EXPERIMENTAL PHONETICS
3 credits.
Design and conduct of phonetic experiments; survey of instrumentation and techniques of investigating physiological, physical, and perceptual aspects of linguistic phenomena. Theory of acoustic phonetics. Lectures, demonstrations, lab, readings.
Requisites: A phonetics course or cons inst
Repeatable for Credit: No
Last Taught: Fall 2009

LINGUIS 562 — ADVANCED EXPERIMENTAL PHONETICS
3 credits.
Continuation of 561, with development of lab skills applied to real language problems. Relations of instrumental evidence to phonetic and phonological systems and universals. Statistical and psycholinguistic aspects. Lectures, demonstrations, lab, readings, term project.
Requisites: LINGUIS 310 and 561
Repeatable for Credit: No
Last Taught: Fall 2008

LINGUIS 571 — STRUCTURE OF A LANGUAGE
3 credits.
In-depth study of all components of the grammar of a language.
Requisites: LINGUIS 310 330, or cons inst
Repeatable for Credit: Yes, unlimited number of completions
Last Taught: Fall 2017

LINGUIS 583 — SENIOR HONORS TUTORIAL
1 credit.
Requisites: Consent of instructor
Course Designation: Honors - Honors Only Courses (H)
Repeatable for Credit: Yes, unlimited number of completions
Last Taught: Fall 2016

LINGUIS 584 — SENIOR HONORS TUTORIAL
1 credit.
Requisites: Consent of instructor
Course Designation: Honors - Honors Only Courses (H)
Repeatable for Credit: Yes, unlimited number of completions
Last Taught: Spring 2012

LINGUIS 599 — INDEPENDENT READING
1-6 credits.
5, Jr or Sr st cons inst
Requisites: LS Undergrads need 2.
Repeatable for Credit: Yes, unlimited number of completions
Last Taught: Fall 2017

LINGUIS 800 — RESEARCH METHODS AND MATERIALS
3 credits.
Requisites: Graduate or professional standing
Repeatable for Credit: No
Last Taught: Fall 2017

LINGUIS 977 — SEMINAR
2-3 credits.
See Linguistics 976 for course description.
Requisites: Graduate or professional standing
Repeatable for Credit: Yes, unlimited number of completions
Last Taught: Spring 2015

LINGUIS 978 — SEMINAR
2-3 credits.
See Linguistics 976 for course description.
Requisites: Graduate or professional standing
Repeatable for Credit: Yes, unlimited number of completions
Last Taught: Spring 2012
LINGUIS 979 — SEMINAR
2-3 credits.

See Linguistics 976 for course description.

**Requisites:** Graduate or professional standing
**Repeatable for Credit:** Yes, unlimited number of completions
**Last Taught:** Fall 2017

LINGUIS 990 — THESIS
1-12 credits.

Research in connection with the doctoral thesis.

**Requisites:** Grad st in linguistics
**Repeatable for Credit:** No
**Last Taught:** Fall 2017

LINGUIS 999 — INDEPENDENT READING
1-12 credits.

**Requisites:** Grad st in linguistics
**Repeatable for Credit:** Yes, unlimited number of completions
**Last Taught:** Fall 2017