

Graduate Diploma in Applied Linguistics

These Program Rules should be read in conjunction with the University's policies (<http://www.adelaide.edu.au/policies>).

Overview

Applied Linguistics is the study of language use in human affairs. Linguistics is the study of human language in its various forms and uses. It addresses both language in general and the properties of individual languages. Linguistics explores the connection between language, culture and knowledge; between discourse, belief and behaviour. It examines the role of language in human communication; the way people use language to interact with one another and their environment; language acquisition; preservation and loss. At the University of Adelaide our research and teaching are informed by the social nature of language and by systemic functional linguistics.

The Graduate Diploma in Applied Linguistics is a nested award within the Master of Arts (Applied Linguistics). Students undertaking the program will be able to undertake a major in TESOL (Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages) as well as developing expertise in language and communication.

The program combines research and coursework, with a strong focus on fieldwork, classroom research and workplace documentation. Courses are offered face to face, after hours. The program would ordinarily be completed in two semesters full-time.

1. Academic Program Rules for the Graduate Diploma in Applied Linguistics

1.1 There shall be a Graduate Diploma in Applied Linguistics

2. Qualification requirements

2.1 Academic Program

To qualify for the Graduate Diploma, a candidate shall satisfactorily complete courses to the value of 24 units, chosen from the following:

LING 5001 Computer Assisted Language Learning - CALL	6
LING 5004 Language and Meaning	6
LING 5009 Language Teaching in Specific Settings	6
LING 5010 English for Academic Purposes.....	6
LING 5011 Language and Learning.....	6
LING 5017 Language Teaching Methods: TESOL/LOTE/Literacy.....	6
LING 5018 Special Topics Action Research	6
LING 5019 Academic Literacies: Writing Research.....	3
LING 5020 Introduction to Discourse Analysis.....	3
LING 5022 Linguistics Research Seminar I.....	3
LING 5023 Linguistics Research Seminar II.....	3
LING 5059 Special Topic in Linguistics	6
LING 5041 Action Research	3
LING 5103 Directed Study in Linguistics	3

2.1.2 To qualify for the Graduate Diploma with a major in TESOL (Teaching English to Speakers of Other Language), a candidate shall satisfactorily complete courses to the value of 24 units, consisting of:

LING 5004 Language and Meaning	6
LING 5009 Language Teaching in Specific Settings	6
LING 5011 Language and Learning.....	6
LING 5017 Language Teaching Methods: TESOL/LOTE/Literacy	6