

# **SYLLABUS**

**SUBJECT: PRAGMATICS AND PARALINGUISTICS (LECTURES)**

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## **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

The aim of the lectures is to familiarize students with functional and formal linguistics, linguistic pragmatics, different approaches to discourse analysis and paralinguistics treated as part of functional linguistics. Special emphasis will be put on the following discourse approaches: Gricean pragmatics, Speech Act Theory and Conversation Analysis. Moreover, theories of linguistic politeness and impoliteness will be discussed. In addition, different models of communication, the notion of dialogue and a survey of research into non-verbal communication will be presented.

## **LEARNING OUTCOMES**

The student's will have a wider knowledge of linguistic pragmatics, politeness theory, discourse analysis and paralinguistics. After the course the students should be able to analyze different types of discourse.

## **GRADING POLICY**

The grades are based on a student's attendance and the final test.

## **TIMETABLE**

1 hr a week.

## **TEXTBOOK AND REQUIRED MATERIALS**

Calero Henry. 2005. *The Power of Nonverbal Communication*. Silver Lake Publishing: Los Angeles.

Chruszczewski Piotr. 2002. *The Communicational Grammar*. Logos Verlag: Berlin.

Kalisz Roman. 2001. *Językoznawstwo Kognitywne w Świetle Językoznawstwa Funkcjonalnego*. Wydawnictwo Uniwersytetu Gdańskiego: Gdańsk.

Levinson Steven. 1983. *Pragmatics*. Cambridge University Press: Cambridge.

Pikor-Niedziałek Marta. *Linguistic Politeness versus Impoliteness*. Wydawnictwo Uniwersytetu Rzeszowskiego: Rzeszów.

Schiffrin Deborah. 2004. *Approaches to Discourse*. Blackwell: Oxford.

Horn L. and G. Ward. 2007. *The Handbook of Pragmatics*. Blackwell: Oxford.

## **PREREQUISITES:**

Basic knowledge of linguistics.