**Content**

| Course Code | Course Name | Semester | Theory | Practice | Lab | Credit | ECTS |
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| LFR127 | Introduction to Linguistics | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 5 |

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| Prerequisites | |
| Admission Requirements | |

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| Language of Instruction | French |
| Course Type | Compulsory |
| Course Level | Bachelor Degree |
| Objective | To present great linguists of the twentieth century and<br>to define the main notions of linguistic. |
| Content | Basic concepts and principles of linguistics. Theories in linguistics, linguistic theorists. Branches of linguistics; linguistic movements; Phenomena of language, speech, discourse, meaning, and communication. |
| References | Georges Mounin, Clefs pour la linguistique.<br>Berke Vardar, Dilbilimin Temel Kavram ve İlkeleri.<br>Berke Vardar (yön.), Açıklamalı Dilbilim Terimleri Sözlüğü.<br>David Zemour, İnitiation à la linguistique.<br>F. de Saussure, Cours de Linguistique Générale |

**Theory Topics**

| Week | Weekly Contents |
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| 1 | What is linguistics? The birth of linguistics. Saussure. |
| 2 | Linguistics before and after Saussure. Characteristics of Modern/General Linguistics. |
| 3 | Basic Concepts of Saussurean Linguistics: Language/Language System (Langage/Langue); Synchrony/Diachrony; Language/Speech (Langue/Parole); The concept of system, syntagmatic and paradigmatic relations. |
| 4 | Spoken and Written Language; Structuralism in linguistics, the concept of structure, and the structuralist movement; The sign, its components, and the classification of signs; Concepts of meaning, signification, and value. |
| 5 | Branches and study areas of linguistics; The Geneva, Prague, and Copenhagen Schools of Linguistics. |
| 6 | Distributionalism (American Structural Linguistics); Martinet and Functional Linguistics-1. |
| 7 | Martinet and Functional Linguistics-2. |
| 8 | Midterm Exam. |
| 9 | Benveniste and the Linguistics of Enunciation. |
| 10 | Mel'čuk, Meaning-Text Theory; Chomsky, Generative Transformational Grammar Theory. |
| 11 | Phonology and applied studies. |
| 12 | Morphology and applied studies. |
| 13 | Syntax and applied studies. |
| 14 | Semantics and applied studies. |