

Subject card

Subject name and code	Elective course I, PG_00150269						
Field of study	English Studies						
Date of commencement of studies	October 2025		Academic year of realisation of subject		2026/2027		
Education level	Master's studies		Subject group		Obligatory subject group in the field of study Optional subject group Subject group related to scientific research in the field of study		
Mode of study	full-time studies		Mode of delivery		at the university		
Year of study	2		Language of instruction		English		
Semester of study	3		ECTS credits		4.0		
Learning profile	academic		Assessment form		credit		
Conducting unit	Institute of English and American Studies -> Faculty of Languages -> Rector						
Name and surname of lecturer (lecturers)	Subject supervisor		dr Marcin Fortuna				
	Teachers						
Lesson types	Lesson type	Lecture	Tutorial	Laboratory	Project	Seminar	SUM
	Number of study hours	0.0	60.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	60
	E-learning hours included: 0.0						
Learning activity and number of study hours	Learning activity	Participation in didactic classes included in study plan		Participation in consultation hours		Self-study	SUM
	Number of study hours	60		0.0		36.0	96
Subject objectives	The aim of the course is tied with the main topic of the studies, i.e. natural language processing and linguistics (preferably from computation/technical/formal perspectives). The exact subject of the classes and its bibliography is determined at the beginning of the course.						

Learning outcomes	Course outcome	Subject outcome	Method of verification
	[FAMU2_W03] Knows and understands in depth advanced research methodologies and theories in the field of English linguistics.	[FAMU2_W03]	[SW4] test/exam - oral or written [SW2] presentation/project/paper/report
	[FAMU2_U01] Can innovatively perform analytical and interpretative tasks, formulate and solve complex and unusual problems, and set and test simple research hypotheses in the field of English linguistics and research into English literature, using the acquired subject knowledge and linguistic and literary methodological and theoretical approaches.	[FAMU2_U01]	[SU2] presentation/project/paper/report [SU6] demonstration of practical skills
	[FAMU2_U03] Can properly select sources and evaluate, select, critically analyze and synthesize and creatively interpret information derived from them, in particular in the field of English linguistic and literary studies.	[FAMU2_U03]	[SU2] presentation/project/paper/report [SU5] implementation of a problem task [SU6] demonstration of practical skills
	[FAMU2_W07] Knows and understands to an in-depth extent selected issues constituting advanced detailed knowledge in the field of linguistics, including, in particular, research into the English language.	[FAMU2_W07]	[SW4] test/exam - oral or written [SW2] presentation/project/paper/report [SW5] implementation of a problem task
	[FAMU2_U07] Can lead a debate on linguistics and literature within the framework of English Philology, present and evaluate various opinions and positions, and discuss them in English and Polish.	[FAMU2_U07]	[SU1] oral statement/conversation/discussion [SU8] observation of student's independent or team work
	[FAMU2_U06] Can communicate in speech and writing in English and Polish with diverse audiences on specialized topics in the field of linguistics and literature, also using advanced specialized terminology.	[FAMU2_U06]	[SU6] demonstration of practical skills [SU8] observation of student's independent or team work
	[FAMU2_K01] Is ready to critically evaluate the extent of their knowledge and skills, in particular in the field of English-language linguistics and literature and English.	[FAMU2_K01]	[SK2] presentation/project/paper/report [SK5] implementation of a problem task
	[FAMU2_K02] Is prepared to recognise the importance of knowledge and skills in English Studies in solving cognitive and practical problems and to seek the advice of a supervisor in their chosen place of work in the event of difficulty in solving problems on their own.	[FAMU2_K02]	[SK8] observation of student's independent or team work
Subject contents	The course content is related to the main specialization of the studies, i.e. natural language processing and linguistics, mainly from a formal/computational/technical perspective. The exact topics are selected together with the students at the beginning of the course.		
Prerequisites and co-requisites			
Assessment methods and criteria	Subject passing criteria	Passing threshold	Percentage of the final grade
	test	50.0%	100.0%

Recommended reading	Basic literature	- Clark, A., C. Fox, and S. Lappin (eds), 2010, The Handbook of Computational Linguistics and Natural Language Processing, Chichester, UK: Wiley Blackwell. - Jurafsky, D. and J.H. Martin, 2009, Speech and Language Processing, 2nd edition. Upper Saddle River, NJ: Pearson Higher Education, Prentice-Hall; - Dale R, H. Somers, and H. Moisl (eds.), Handbook of Natural Language Processing, Boca Raton, FL: CRC Press.
	Supplementary literature	Computational Linguistics (journal): https://direct.mit.edu/coli Transactions of the Association for Computational Linguistics (journal): https://direct.mit.edu/tacl
	eResources addresses	
Example issues/ example questions/ tasks being completed	* What are the main topics in contemporary computational linguistics? * What are the main challenges for Natural Language Processing?	
Work placement	Not applicable	

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