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Introduction to the politics of language 713 (LCC 713)

Qualification	Postgraduate
Faculty	Faculty of Humanities
Module credits	20.00
Programmes	BAHons Applied Language Studies
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	1 lecture per week
Language of tuition	Both Afr and Eng
Academic organisation	Afrikaans
Period of presentation	Semester 2

Module content

The nature of language as macrophenomenon; multilingualism; the impact of industrialisation, urbanisation and globalisation on the lives of languages; language political phenomena: language shift, language attrition, language death, language maintenance, language revitalisation; language rights; the politics of language as area of study.

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