# Language Acquisition and Cultural Knowledge I

Model type:	Elective module
Module Number:	536008000
ECT credits:	5
Hours per week:	4 hrs.
Semester:	5 <sup>th</sup> semester
Frequency:	Begins every fall semester
Length:	1 semester
Attendance time:	60 hrs.
Self-Study:	90 hrs.
Total Workload:	150 hrs.
Qualification goal:	Students can communicate fluently and articulately orally in French at an advanced level. In order to cope with language mediation, they can deal creatively with the languages involved and use intercultural competence and appropriate communicative strategies to convey contents and intentions relevant to the addressee in the in the respective other language. They have optimised their contrastive system competences in the French and German language in order to use them for translations into the French target language. In addition, they have further deepened their knowledge of regional studies.
Course content:	Advanced ability to communicate orally also on complex topics; Ability to translate even difficult texts into the target language; Teaches intercultural knowledge in order to communicate in a language appropriate to the target group; in-depth knowledge of the country in question.
Methodological competence:	Advanced knowledge of translation strategies; rhetorical competence, analytical skills; ability to apply existing knowledge to new problems, transferability.
Social and Self-competence:	Willingness and ability to accept and implement constructive criticism of one's own language competence in French.

Learning methods:

Independent learning, exercises in the course group,

small group work.

Module Coordinator:

Prof. Dr. Cordula Neis

*Applicability of the Module:* 

**B.A. Educational Sciences** 

Notes:

Please note that only module component 1 is available for international students.

## Module Components\*

#### **Oral Communication III**

Module Number	536008100	Instruction type	Exercises
Hours per week	2 hrs	Attendance time	30 hrs
Module type	mandatory	Self- study	30 hrs
Group size	40	Total hours	60 hrs

## Translation and language mediation II

Module Number	536008200	Instruction type	Exercises
Hours per week	2 hrs	Attendance time	30 hrs
Module type	mandatory	Self- study	30 hrs
Group size	40	Total hours	60 hrs

### Exam

Module Number	536008500	Exam duration	-
Exam type	The form of examination (90-minute written examination or 20-minute oral examination in French) will be announced by the lecturer in the second week of the course at the latest.	Exam preparation time	30 hrs
Graded exam?	yes		