

Veranstalter/in:	Eva Maria Luef
Modul:	Language, Society, Culture (...)
Art der Veranstaltung:	Seminar II
Veranstaltungsnummer:	
Zeit:	
Raum:	
Beginn:	
<p>Course Description:</p> <p>In this course, we study the relationship between language and culture, as well as the linkages between language, culture, and society. Language is defined as the common human condition, which is also a fundamental mode of diversity across communities, and considered an integral part of culture – the sum of knowledge and practices shared by members of a community. We will discuss several of the topics that sociolinguists and anthropological linguists traditionally study, including the relationships between social identity and language use, linguistic diversity, linguistic relativity, and language variation and change. We will also examine some of the methods for collecting and analyzing data, including digital means to study linguistic and cultural communities. Students will become familiar with philosophical ideas, sociolinguistic models, and anthropological theories that have inspired the study of language. An up-to-date review of the latest theories and findings in all the key areas will be presented alongside famous and influential studies that have shaped the fields in the past. By the end of this course, students will have acquired the ability to understand aspects of cultural theory and data, based on knowledge of the scholarly research in the field.</p> <p>Participants are invited to give an oral presentation of a topic of their choice and to prepare a term paper. Regular attendance and active participation are expected.</p>	
Sprechstunden im Semester:	s. Sprechstundenliste
Sprechstunden in der vorlesungsfreien Zeit:	s. Sprechstundenliste