

Linguistics 821: Seminar in Phonology
Second Language Phonetics and Phonology
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Course Structure and Requirements

The seminar is a continuation of Ling825 from Fall 2007. Participants taking the course for credit are expected to develop their research proposal from fall quarter. By the end of the quarter, each student should have a completed project written up in close to publishable form. Classes will generally take the form of lab meetings, where progress on the projects and more specialized literature relevant to the specific studies being done will be discussed.

Course Components

Weekly Presentations

Each participant taking the course for credit is required to discuss their research in class approximately once a week. Each presentation will be devoted to the presentation and discussion of one of the eight stages of the project:

1. Problem
2. Detailed methods; Stats
3. Stimulus construction; Human subjects approval
4. Dry run of experiment (ideally with one or more members of the class as subjects)
5. Running experiment
6. Raw data tabulation
7. Results of stats; implications of results
8. Final report

A student must have the "OK" of the class as a whole before proceeding to the next stage. All students should be prepared to talk about the first stage of their paper during the second week of the quarter.

Term Project: Students are required to hand in their completed project no later than Tuesday of exam week. Details concerning content and style will be discussed during the quarter.

Videoconferencing: As during fall quarter, the course will be video-conferenced to MSU students. We encourage your input and suggestions regarding how we can make this a successful experience for everyone involved.

Presentation Schedule

Date / Presenter & stage				
Tues. 1/8				
Thurs. 1/10				
Tues. 1/15				
Thurs. 1/17				
Tues. 1/22				
Thurs. 1/24				
Tues. 1/29				
Thurs. 1/31				
Tues. 2/5				
Thurs. 2/7				
Tues. 2/12				
Thurs. 2/14				
Tues. 2/19				
Thurs. 2/21				
Tues. 2/26				
Thurs. 2/28				
Tues. 3/4				
Thurs. 3/6				

The written version of the term project needs to be e-mailed to the instructors by 5pm on Tuesday, March 11th.