

Subject	Language and Culture I
Day/Period	Tue.2Period
Categories	大学院専門科目-国際文化研究科専門科目（MC）
Credit(s)	2Credits
Instructor	HIROYUKI ETO
Course Numbering	KIC-LIN621E
Language Used in Course	英語
Course of Media Class	
Class Subject	Topics in the Theory of Language and Culture
Object and Summary of Class	This course is designed (1) to provide students a general introduction to the theory of language, society, and culture via a close reading of selected chapters/papers on the relevant topics and (2) to familiarize students with certain aspects of the history of linguistic theory. This course is conducted primarily in English during discussions and presentations.
Goal of Study	This course will look at certain theories of language, society, and culture with the aim of answering the following questions: - What is language? / What is society? / What is culture? - What are the overall view, methods, and goals suggested by the particular theory? - What is its historical and intellectual background? - What is its position in the history of linguistics? - What are its competing theories?
Object and Summary of Class	The course schedule and assignments are as follows:
Object and Summary of Class-1	Course orientation
Object and Summary of Class-2	Introductory discussion: What is language? / What is culture? / What is linguistics? / What is science?
Object and Summary of Class-3	Reading and Discussion: Introduction to Language and Culture (1) Text: Claire Kramsch. (1998). Language and Culture. Ch. 1
Object and Summary of Class-4	Reading and Discussion: Introduction to Language and Culture (2) Text: Claire Kramsch. (1998). Language and Culture. Ch. 1
Object and Summary of Class-5	Reading and Discussion: Introduction to Language and Culture (3) Text: Claire Kramsch. (1998). Language and Culture. Ch. 1
Object and Summary of Class-6	Reading and Discussion: Introduction to Language and Culture (4) Text: Claire Kramsch. (1998). Language and Culture. Ch. 2
Object and Summary of Class-7	Reading and Discussion: Introduction to Language and Culture (5) Text: Claire Kramsch. (1998). Language and Culture. Ch. 2
Object and Summary of Class-8	Reading and Discussion: Introduction to Language and Culture (6) Text: Claire Kramsch. (1998). Language and Culture. Ch. 2
Object and Summary of Class-9	Reading and Discussion: Introduction to Language and Culture (7) Text: Claire Kramsch. (1998). Language and Culture. Ch. 3
Object and Summary of Class-10	Reading and Discussion: Introduction to Language and Culture (8) Text: Claire Kramsch. (1998). Language and Culture. Ch.
Object and Summary of Class-11	Reading and Discussion: Introduction to Language and Culture (9) Text: Claire Kramsch. (1998). Language and Culture. Ch. 3
Object and Summary of Class-12	Participants' presentation (1)
Object and Summary of Class-13	Participants' presentation (2)
Object and Summary of Class-14	Participants' presentation (3)
Object and Summary of Class-15	Participants' presentation (4)

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Practical business	
Evaluation Method	Grade will be determined by participation in discussions (40%), presentation and/or assignment(s) tba (60%). More detailed information will be provided at the first-class session.
Textbook and references	Textbook: Claire Kramersch. (1998). Language and Culture. Oxford, UK: OUP References: tba *Reading materials and handouts will be distributed in the class.
Preparation and Review	Students are required to prepare and review for each class. In addition, they are expected to read assigned materials for discussion.
In Addition	Further information, including the instructor's office hours and e-mail address, will be provided at the course orientation.
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One-credit courses require 45 hours of study. In lecture and exercise-based classes, one credit consists of 15-30 hours of class time and 30-15 hours of preparation and review outside of class. In laboratory, practical skill classes, one credit consists of 30-45 hours of class time and 15-0 hours of preparation and review outside of class.