

Syllabus [2025Year 2 Term]

Course Information

Course Title	Language and Society	Credits	3
Course Code	562170-1	Required/Elective (For Undergraduate Courses)	
Department or Major	Department of Mobile Systems Engineering	Language	English
Methods of Teaching		Lecture Room	수3,4,5,6,7,8(국제101)
Time Allotment	Lecture(3) Experiments(0) Training & Practice(0) Performance(0) Designing & Planning(0)	Cyber Lectures	
Course Type	offline		
Cyber Lectures Preview			

Lecturer

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	Field of Interest					

Course Summary

Course Description	How is language affected by the society that we live in? This course explores the ways in which the usage and perception of language (especially Korean and English) varies within social factors. The topic includes linguistic variation derived from regional origin, gender, age, race, native status, and socioeconomic class. Students will be required to read weekly class materials before they attend class, and also encouraged to participate in class discussion actively. Some assignments in this class will require you to participate in quantitative research (e.g., collecting survey data) in order to know how directly the social factors and language are intertwined together.
Description Related Courses	
Course Goals	

Projected Results	<p>By the end of this course, students will be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Identify how language varies across regions, genders, ages, and social groups. – Reflect on social attitudes and biases toward different ways of speaking. – Understand concepts like language ideology, prestige, and linguistic discrimination. – Recognize myths and stereotypes about language, dialect, and accent. – Collect and analyze simple data on language perception and variation. – Discuss real-life language issues in Korea and beyond with critical awareness.
Percentage of the original language classes(%)	This course will be conducted 100% in English. All lectures, discussions, readings, assignments, and in-class activities will be carried out in English. Students are expected to actively participate in weekly discussions, group work, and interactive tasks. As an intensive, communication-focused course, consistent engagement in English is essential for successful completion.
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Times	Lecture Topic	Lecture Goals	Lecture Methods	Assignments
1	Course introduction	Introducing sociolinguistics	강의, 토의토론수업,	Language survey, syllabus walkthrough
2	What is language variation?	What is language variation? What domains does it cover?	강의, 토의토론수업,	Group brainstorm on types of variation
3	Authenticity & Ownership	Choose something whose authenticity is questioned by some. On what grounds is it challenged?	강의, 토의토론수업,	Discussion: who owns a language?
4	Stereotypes & Accent Myths	De-mythologizing Language and Accent	강의, 토의토론수업,	Watch & critique media examples
5	Korean Dialects	Learning about different Korean terms for linguistic variation Examples for Jeju-dialect	강의, 토의토론수업,	Jeju-eo, Gyeongsang, Seoul — video clips
6	Standard Language Ideology	How should the fate of dialects be decided?	강의, 토의토론수업,	Discuss 'correct' vs. 'natural' language
7	Perceptual Dialectology	Examining perceptual dialectology Examples about Korean research	강의, 토의토론수업,	Map task: where do dialects 'sound like'?
8	Midterm Survey Presentations	Report on dialect perception (group or solo)	강의, 토의토론수업,	
9	Anglicization English in Korean	Learning about Anglicization in Korean pronunciation Perception influences	강의, 토의토론수업,	Discuss Anglicized pronunciation & attitudes

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10	Language & Age	How is perception on Korean varied by speaker's regional origin and age?	강의, 토의토론수업,	Slang, politeness, and generational change
11	Gender & Speech	Is there any gender differences in which we speak? Do we change our speech in intimate relationship?	강의, 토의토론수업,	Aegyo, assertiveness, and intimacy
12	Sound change	Examining the loss of Korean long vowel sound, and the change of 3 way distinction of Korean stops	강의, 토의토론수업,	Long vowels, 3-way stop system shift
13	Politeness	When do we perceive politeness from the speech?	강의, 토의토론수업,	When and why do we speak politely?
14	Multilingualism in Korea	What is foreign? What aspects of your speech define it as Korean?	강의, 토의토론수업,	Foreignness, accents, and belonging
15	Final Paper	Topics based on class themes		

Methods of Grading

sequence	Description	Percentage	Details
1	Mid-tem Exam	30%	
2	Final-exam	40%	
3	Pop Quizzes	0%	
4	Assignments	20%	
5	Reports	0%	
6	Presentations & Discussions	0%	
7	Attendance	10%	
8		0%	
9	Others	0%	
All		100%	

Core of Value

핵심가치	핵심역량	하위역량	역량정의	역량구분	값 (%)
혁신 (Discovery)	문제해결 (Deliberation)	분석력 창의력 종합적 사고력	문제상황을 명확하게 이해하고 체계적으로 분석하여 창의적으로 해결할 수 있는 능력	부역량	30%
혁신 (Discovery)	전문지식 (Knowledge)	탐구능력 논리적 사고력 전문지식/기술	전공분야 지식과 기술, 그리고 관련된 다양한 정보를 활용하여 논리적으로 사고하고 탐구하는 역량		0%
헌신 (Dedication)	세계시민 (Universal value)	외국어능력 다문화 수용능력 공감능력	세계 각지의 다양한 언어, 문화, 역사에 대한 이해를 바탕으로 글로벌 이슈에 대응할 수 있는 능력	주역량	40%
헌신 (Dedication)	협력.헌신 (Dedication)	대인관계능력 협업 능력 공동체의식	공통의 목적과 가치를 위해 개방적인 태도와 균형 잡힌 시간으로 서로 돕고 헌신할 수 있는 능력		0%
능동 (self-Determination)	자기주도 (maNagement)	독립성 성찰 능력 자기개발능력	자기 스스로 목표를 세우고 목표를 달성하기 위해 주체적으로 실천할 수 있는 능력		0%
능동 (self-Determination)	의사소통 (Articulation)	표현력 이해력 조정력	언어 또는 다양한 매체를 활용하여 다른 사람들과 효과적으로 상호작용할 수 있는 능력	부역량	30%

Textbook(s) & References

Descrip tion	Title	Author	Publisher
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essential for successful completion. Therefore, a high level of English proficiency is essential for successful completion of the course.