



Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences  
Spanish  
Syllabus

**Course Approval**

The syllabus was approved by the Faculty Board of Arts and Social Sciences on 9 April 2013, and is valid from the Spring semester of 2014 at Karlstad University.

**Course Code:** ESGB40

**Spanish II: Modern Spanish Literature, 7.5 ECTS Credits**

**(Spanska II: Modern spanskspråkig skönlitteratur, 7.5 Swedish credit points)**

**Degree Level:** Bachelor

**Progressive Specialisation:** G1F (First cycle, has less than 60 credits in first-cycle course/s as entry requirements)

**Language of Instruction**

Spanish.

**Prerequisites**

Spanish 30 ECTS cr at undergraduate level.

**Major Field of Study**

SPA (Spanish)

**Learning Outcomes**

Upon completion of the course, students should be able to:

1. analyse and interpret contemporary Spanish literature in different genres, using basic theoretical concepts,
2. independently analyse texts with a focus on their historical, cultural and literary context,
3. search for, assess and structure information and present it orally and in writing with correct handling of sources, quotations and references according to instructions and
4. produce well structured and coherent texts.

**Content and Form of Instruction**

The course includes reading, analysing and interpreting 20th and 21st century literary texts in different genres. Basic theoretical concepts are applied in the analysis and interpretation of the texts and contribute to developing students' understanding of literary perspectives and interpretation strategies.

**Reading List**

See separate document.

**Examination**

Assessment is individual.

Learning outcome 1-3 are assessed on the basis of mandatory seminar discussions. All learning outcomes are also assessed on the basis of written hand-in assignments.

## Grades

One of the grades Distinction (VG), Pass (G), or Fail (U) is awarded in the examination of the course.

## Quality Assurance

Follow-up relating to learning conditions and goal-fulfilment takes place both during and upon completion of the course in order to ensure continuous improvement. Course assessment is based on student views and experiences as reported in written course evaluations and/or group discussions. Students will be informed of the result of the evaluation and of the measures to be taken.

## Course Certificate

A course certificate will be provided upon request.

## Additional Information

Students who enrolled before 1 July 2007 will complete their studies in accordance with the requirements of the earlier admission. Upon completion students may request degree and course certificates to be issued under the current ordinance if they meet its requirements.

The course ESGB40 cannot be included in the same degree programme as the courses ESGB01, ESGBB3 and ESGBLA.

The local regulations for studies at the Bachelor's and Master's levels at Karlstad University stipulate the obligations and rights of students and staff.

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