

TEMATICA SI BIBLIOGRAFIA PENTRU EXAMENUL DE LICENTA STRUCTURA LIMBII - ENGLEZA A

Studentii vor alege **două discipline**, cu tematica si bibliografia aferente.

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PHONETICS AND PHONOLOGY

1. The vowels and consonants in English. Their description, distribution and IPA transcription.
2. Phonological processes.
3. Syllable structure. Syllabification.

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- Brozbă, G. 2018. *From Zero to Hero. English Phonetics and Phonology*. Bucharest: Ars Docendi; pp. 51-69; pp. 100-110.
- Mateescu, D. 2002. *English Phonetics and Phonological Theory*. Bucharest: Editura Universității din București; pp. 159-186.

TENSE-ASPECT-MODALITY

1. Progressive aspect: core value, the progressive viewpoint and situation-type aspect, non-aspectual uses of the progressive.
2. Perfect aspect: core value, the perfect viewpoint and situation-type aspect.
3. Modal verbs. Morpho-syntactic and semantic properties.

Bibliography

Huddleston, R., Pullum, G. K. (eds) 2002. *The Cambridge Grammar of the English Language*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press; Chapter 3, Sections: 3.1, 3.2 (pp. 118-125), 5.1-5.5 (pp. 139-147), 9.3 (pp.180-185), 9.5 (pp.188-194), 9.8.1 (pp.196-198), 9.9 (pp.203-204).

SYNTAX I

1. Unaccusatives and unergatives
2. Double object constructions
3. Passive sentences

Bibliography

Avram, L. 2006. *English Syntax. The Structure of Root Clauses*. Bucharest: Editura Universității din București. Chapter IV. Intransitive predicates: 1.1, 1.2.1 (pp. 168-173), 1.2.3.1, 1.2.3.2 (pp. 175-178); 1.2.3.4., 1.2.3.5, 1.2.3.6 (pp. 181-191). Chapter V. Transitive predicates: 2.1, 2.2, 2.3 (pp. 211-218); 2.5.2 (pp. 224-227). Chapter VI. The floating nature of (in)transitivity: 3.1 (pp. 294-295); 3.3, 3.4, 3.5 (pp. 301-320).

SYNTAX II

1. Negation in English.
2. *That*-complement clauses: syntactic functions.
3. Gerund and participle clauses.

Bibliography

Cornilescu, A. 2003. *Complementation in English*. Bucharest: Editura Universității din București; pp. 37-39, 178-181, 188-190, 203-205, 208-212, 416, 466-469, 476-485, 453-454.

Huddleston, R., Pullum, G. K. (eds.) 2002. *The Cambridge Grammar of the English Language*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press; chapter 9, pp. 786-787, 822-831.

LEXICAL SEMANTICS

1. Historical semantics. 1.1 Semantic changes. 1.2 The social change perspective on the evolution of the vocabulary.
2. Structuralist semantics. 2.1 Basic tenets (the linguistic sign, *langue* vs. *parole*, the synchronic vs. diachronic dimension; the substance vs. form dichotomy; the paradigmatic vs. syntagmatic opposition; semes, sememes, lexemes; paradigms and taxonomies). 2.2 Motivation of meaning; the principle of compositionality, degrees of opacity/transparency (collocations, idioms, dead metaphors). 2.3 Componential analysis (method and major difficulties). 2.4 Lexical decomposition.
3. Cognitive semantics. 3.1 Prototype Theory (category and categorization; the representation of a prototype; hedges). 3.2 Frames and Idealized Cognitive Models (propositional structures, image schematic models, metaphoric mappings, metonymic mappings).

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- Cruse, D. A. 1986. *Lexical Semantics*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press; pp. 32-43.
- Hughes, G. 1988. *Words in Time. A Social History of the English Vocabulary*. Oxford: Basil Blackwell Ltd; pp. 67-75.
- Saeed, J. I. 2003. *Semantics*, 2nd edition. Oxford: Blackwell; pp. 347-356.
- Ullman, S. 1964. *Semantics. An Introduction to the Science of Meaning*. Oxford: Basil Blackwell; pp. 211-235.

Optional bibliography

- Cruse, D. A. 2000. *Meaning in Language*. Oxford: Oxford University Press.
- Cornilescu, A. (manuscript) 'Lecture notes on Lexical semantics'.

PRAGMATICS

1. Speech act theory: felicity conditions, the classification of speech acts, direct and indirect speech acts (Searle).
2. The Principle of Cooperation, conversational maxims, conversational implicatures (Grice).
3. Politeness theory: face (positive/negative), politeness strategies, negative/positive politeness (Brown and Levinson 1987).

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- Sorea, D. 2007. *Pragmatics. Some Cognitive Perspectives*, Bucharest: Editura Universităţii din Bucureşti; chapter 2, section 2.2., pp. 43-52, chapter 3, sections 3.1, 3.2, 3.3, pp. 56-69; chapter 4, sections 4.1, 4.2, pp. 82-96, chapter 5, sections 5.3, 5.4, pp. 130-139.

SYNCHRONY AND DIACHRONY: THE HISTORY OF ENGLISH

1. Linguistic consequences of the Norman Conquest.
2. Nouns in the history of English.
3. Verbs in the history of English.

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- Culpeper, J. 2005. *History of English* (Second Edition). New York and London: Routledge; chapter 7, pp. 51-58; chapter 8, pp. 59-65.
- Vişan, R. 2018. *Landmarks in the History of English*. Bucharest: Ars Docendi; chapter II, section 2, pp. 59-75.