

Current Record

Module Details	
Module Code	RUF104
Module Name	RUSSIAN LANGUAGE 1
Module Short Title	
ECTS weighting	10
Semester/term taught	
Contact Hours	6 hours per week
Module Personnel	
Learning Outcomes	<p>"On successful completion of this module students will be able to</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) use Russian to express information about themselves and others, tell a story, express an opinion; b) use Russian in the classroom; c) correctly use the case system and the verbal system; d) express the following meanings: quantity (how many?), time (when?), location + direction (where?), means (how?), cause (why? how come?), purpose (to what end?); e) comprehend and extract main points from Russian-language texts, correctly identify the general idea of a text, locate specifically required information, summarise; f) comprehend contextual information (people, places and events) in Russian-language texts; g) use reference tools (dictionaries and grammars) to obtain grammatical and lexical information; h) formulate questions about structures they do not understand."
Module Learning Aims	<p>The module aims to</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) enable students to use spoken and written Russian inside and outside the classroom; b) develop students' understanding of how the Russian language works; c) develop students as autonomous and independent learners; d) foster in students the language skills necessary to pursue their interests through the medium of Russian e) foster an interest in and awareness of Russian society and culture.
Module Content	This is an intensive practical language module for ab initio learners of Russian.
Recommended Reading List	Set text RUS', A Comprehensive Course in Russian, Sarah Smyth and Elena V. Crosbie, Cambridge University Press, 2002, ISBN 0 521 64555 7
Module Pre Requisite	

Module Co Requisite	
Assessment Details	<p>Annual assessment:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. written language 50% 2. oral 15% 3. listening comprehension 15% 4. assessed work 20% <p>Students are required to pass the written language paper (this is a non-compensatable component) and to pass the overall aggregate of all four components.</p> <p>Supplemental assessment</p> <p>The supplemental assessment in language modules is exactly the same as in the annual/end-of-year examination session. It consists of four parts weighted in the same proportions as in the annual examination:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. written language 50% 2. oral 15% 3. listening comprehension 15% 4. assessed work 20% <p>The only difference is that the fourth element (assessed work) in the annual session is made up of weekly assignments and tests, whereas in the supplemental session candidates who are required to be re-assessed in this component submit a single piece of work by the Friday before the beginning of the examination session. The department will contact students and let them know the requirements for the re-assessment component of this 4th element as and when the need arises.</p>
Module Website	
Module approval date	
Approved By	
Academic Start Year	
Academic Year of Data	2014/15