

## Course Syllabus

### **African Studies: Elaborated Research Plan 1 Credits\*, Second Cycle Level 1**

#### **Learning Outcomes**

After completion of the course the student shall be able to:

- determine a well defined specific area of research within the field of African Studies
- present an overview of relevant and contemporary research associated with the chosen area of research
- present a preliminary objective and analytical questions for a future master thesis/research paper
- present a second draft research overview.

#### **Course Content**

The student will work on developing a previously presented and approved Draft Research Proposal. This will comprise a preliminary definition of a specific area of research, a presentation of an overview of the current state of research as well as the preliminary objective, questions and outline of the future research project.

#### **Assessment**

Students are assessed through active participation in seminars, the presentation of the developed research proposal and their formulation of constructive and systematic critique of other students' proposals .

#### **Forms of Study**

The course is taught through seminars. All teaching is in English.

#### **Grades**

The Swedish grades A - F.

#### **Prerequisites**

African Studies: Education and Change in African Societies, 8 credits, African Studies: The Dynamics of African Societies, 12 credits, African Studies: Religion and Politics in African

Societies, 9 credits and African Studies: Developing the Research Proposal, 1 credit, at second level

**Other Information**

Replaces AS3012.

**Subject:**

History

**Group of Subjects:**

Other Interdisciplinary Studies

**Disciplinary Domain:**

Humanities, 100%

**This course can be included in the following main field(s) of study:**

1. African Studies

**Progression Indicator within (each) main field of study:**

1. A1F

**Approved:**

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