

Contrastive Linguistics and Error Analysis

Prerequisite: 31300, 31301

Credit Hours: (2)

This course reviews the history and theories of contrastive linguistics and exhibits contrasting modes of phonological, morphological, syntactic, and semantic patterns in source and target languages. The usage of the results in teaching a foreign language is under consideration.

The course also examines theories of error analysis, and studies learners' errors at the phonological, morphological, grammatical, and semantic levels. Attention is given to practical usage of this information in foreign language teaching.