Modern lexicography

ECTS Credits: 1,5

Language: English

Duration: VI semester

Status: electives

Course description: The course is designed to familiarize students with the origin of dictionaries, their classification and the variety of dictionaries available. With the very rapid advances in the technologies and formats of reference materials, particularly as a result of the development of electronic media, the horizons of lexicography have extended, and we are witnessing the emergence of a more global academic domain of 'reference science' in the modern context of the widespread availability of, and ever-increasing needs for rapid access to, all forms of information. The course deals with classification of dictionaries, reveals their peculiarities and offers students practical recommendations how to use them in language studying.

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Seminars

Seminar I

1) Subject matter of lexicography
2) Dictionary and Glossary
3) Origin of dictionaries
4) Classification of dictionaries

Seminar II

1) Unabridged dictionaries
2) Desktop dictionaries

Seminar III

1) Specialized dictionaries
2) Historical and logical order
3) Dictionary shelf-life