

# Course Specifications

Valid as from the academic year 2023-2024

## Lingála III (A003807)

Course size (nominal values; actual values may depend on programme)

Credits 5.0 Study time 150 h

Course offerings in academic year 2023-2024

A (semester 2) Dutch, Lingala Gent

Lecturers in academic year 2023-2024

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Offered in the following programmes in 2023-2024 crdts offering

Bachelor of Arts in African Languages and Cultures 5 A

## Teaching languages

Lingala, Dutch

#### Keywords

Lingála, African languages, Central Africa

#### Position of the course

Advanced course building on Lingála II.

#### Contents

The goal is to deepen the conversational skills and, in the process, to expand the vocabulary and the grammatical routines.

#### Initial competences

Having completed the course 'Lingála II' with success, or having acquired the intended competencies thereof in another way.

#### Final competences

The student has a more advanced knowledge of the lexicon, the phonology, the morphology and the syntaax of Lingála, as well as of much of the idiomatics of the language.

#### Conditions for credit contract

Access to this course unit via a credit contract is determined after successful competences assessment

## Conditions for exam contract

This course unit cannot be taken via an exam contract

#### Teaching methods

Seminar

## Extra information on the teaching methods

Possibly 'excursions' (Fedasil) as well:

The participation (assessment method) does not only refer to the seminars, but also includes trips (excursions) to Fedasil in Brussels, where the students practice conversational skills with Congolese asylum seekers who are native speakers of Lingala. The aim is to enable students to combine language acquisition with concrete social engagement outside the university's walls. Only if the cooperation with Fedasil cannot continue for logistical reasons, this part will be canceled.

If covid measures so require: online

#### Learning materials and price

Will be distributed.

## References

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No specific references

#### Course content-related study coaching

Interactive lessons & contacts with native speaker(s) (teaching assistant and/or others)

#### Accessment moments

end-of-term and continuous assessment

#### Examination methods in case of periodic assessment during the first examination period

Oral assessment

### Examination methods in case of periodic assessment during the second examination period

Oral assessment

#### Examination methods in case of permanent assessment

**Participation** 

#### Possibilities of retake in case of permanent assessment

examination during the second examination period is not possible

#### Calculation of the examination mark

50% non-periodical/continuous assessment

50% periodical/end-of-term assessment

A second exam is not possible for the continuous assessment: in the resit examination period the same mark apllies that was obtained in the first examination period.

The end-of-term assessment can be redone.

If students choose not to participate in the assessment of one component (non-periodical or periodical), passing the course unit as a whole is no longer possible. If the total score does turn out to be a mark of 10 or more out of twenty, this is reduced to the highest fail mark (9/20).

### **Facilities for Working Students**

Facilities:

- 1 Class attendance is mandatory as it will be included in the calculation of the final score.
- 2 No online/digital facilities (lectures take place on campus, without recordings, except in case of covid measures).
- 3 It is not possible to take the exam at another time.
- 4 Possibility to receive feedback at another time: by appointment.

For more information contact the monitoring service of the Faculty of Arts and  $\,$ 

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