### How to navigate lnu.se to find courses offered for exchange students

To find the courses offered for exchange students at Linnaeus University you should follow the directions below:

- 1. Go to lnu.se
- 2. Click "In English" in the right hand corner
- 3. Click "Future Students" on the right hand side of the web page
- 4. Click "Exchange Students" on the right hand side of the web page

You now have the web page with ALL information directed to future and present exchange students.

- 5. Click "Courses and Programmes for exchange students" on the left hand side of the web page
- 6. Choose your study site, Kalmar or Växjö on the right-hand side of the web page: "Course offer Växjö" or "Course offer Kalmar".

The list of courses now presented on the web page is all courses offered to exchange students, regardless of semester and year. In order to find the courses that you can select for your intended semester, you will find by using the "Filter".

- 1. Press "Filter"
- 2. Check the boxes for your study site and the semester of your exchange (You can always see what filter you have used on top of the list, it says as an example: *"Active Filter Växjö, Autumn 11"*)
- 3. Academic subject sorts the courses presented in the filtered list. To get more information about a specific course, click on the course name.



### **Course page**

Here you can also see when the course is offered, if more than one semester show up, the filtered semester is marked in black, the other semesters are marked in grey.



If a course is offered in both study sites, both sites will show up even if you have used the filter to mark only one of the study sites. (Please note that you can only study at one study site per semester).

On the course page you will find the course content, syllabus, prerequisites etc:

Above the information for each course, it will say: (Example): **Kalmar, 25%, Distance** This indicates the study site, the study pace and if the course is offered as a regular course or a distance course. A distance course means that the course is offered On-line. A distance course can still require a few physical meetings. As an exchange student, it is not an option for you to choose distance courses only.

Example below: A course that is offered at the study site Växjö, part time:

## Växjö, 66%

Explanation of the course descriptions found on-line (See picture below):

*City-* this is the study site where the course is offered

**Duration-** the time period during the semester that the course is offered. **Please note!** The Swedish academic system is based on consecutive scheduling; you take one course after the other during the semester. One semester consists of 4 study periods, usually of each 5 weeks. It is recommended that you choose more than 1 full time course during the same study period.

*Study Pace-* the intensity of the course, full time equals 40 hours/week (100%). Courses can be offered on a full-time or part-time basis

*Semester-* the semester that the course is offered

Selection- you do not need to consider this!

*Contact person-* he or she can answer questions related to the course

*Last application date-* 15 April (not 1 May) for autumn semester or full academic year and 1 October for spring semester

*Syllabus-* detailed description of the course

**Prerequisites-** the previous academic studies that are required to be accepted to the course. If it says that you need 1-30 or 1-60 credits in a subject, it means that you need to have at least 30 or 60 credits.

*Tuition fee whole course-* this is not valid since you are an exchange student, please ignore!

# Example below: Introduction to English Linguistics and English Language History, 10 credits:

City: Växjö Duration: 29 Aug - 6 Nov, 2011 Study pace: Part time/Day Semester: Autumn 11. Find course start Selection: credits 100%. Contact person: Emil Tyberg, emil.tyberg@lnu.se Last application date: 1 May, 2011 Syllabus: Syllabus (PDF) Prerequisites: Good English language proficiency level, equivalent to level B2 in the Common European Framework of Reference (CEFR).

The aim of the course is to give an introduction to the scientific study of the English language. The aim is also to further students' knowledge and understanding of English language history by focusing on language development of various time periods.

*Tuition fee whole course:* SEK 12,500 Tuition fees do NOT apply for EU/EEA citizens or exchange students. Tuition fee information

### Please note!

As an exchange student you can ONLY choose courses and programmes offered for exchange students, finding them the way described above. The links called "All programmes", "All courses", Programmes in English" and "Courses in English" are NOT open for exchange students.

#### **Read More**

You can find more information about our academic system on the following web page: http://lnu.se/future-students/exchange-students/courses-and-programmes-for-exchange-students?l=en