

科目名：人文社会科学特別講義Ⅰ／人文社会科学特別講義Ⅱ Humanities and Social Sciences I (Special lecture) / Humanities and Social Sciences II (Special lecture)

曜日・講時：11/13(水)1・2・3 講時、11/14 (木) 1・2・3 講時、11/15 (金) 3・4 講時

セメスター：単位数：集中(1)

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講義コード：LB98834/LM98837

科目ナンバリング：使用言語：英語

1. 授業題目：Language as a window on human societies past and present

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3. 授業の目的と概要 (Course Objectives and Course Description)：

In this course students will be exposed to the interdisciplinary study of language as a means of understanding (a) the human past, and (b) social dynamics of identity and power. Methodologically, I will discuss evolutionary theories of language, and southern theory of epistemology.

4. 学習の到達目標 (Learning Goals)：

- To understand the role of language in investigating human dispersal (out of Africa)
- To formulate theories to explain the evolution of cultural diversity
- To discuss cultural contact and language change
- To challenge Eurocentric views of language
- To appreciate current challenges in the fields of endangerment

5. 授業の内容・方法と進度予定 (Course Content, Methods, and Course Schedule)：

Day 1 (11/13)：

- 8.50-10.20 The origins of languages
- 10.30-12.00 Linguistic diversity and human dispersal
- 13.00-14.30 Dispersal in Northeast Asia

Day 2 (11/14)：

- 8.50-10.20 The search for universality
- 10.30-12.00 Identity and ethnicity in language change
- 13.00-14.30 Endangered languages and social justice

Day 3 (11/15)：

- 13.00-14.30 Theory, ideology and race
- 14.40-16.10 Open session and presentation

6. 成績評価方法 (Grading)：

Group assignment: teams of 3.

- a. Select a topic during the course
- b. Produce a short introduction to the topic for children
- c. Options: poster; video; presentation
- d. Deadline: one week after end of course

7. 教科書および参考書 (Materials)：

To be provided later

8. 授業時間外学習 (Out-of-hours learning)：

4-6

9. その他 (Others)：