Class: Tuesday & Thursday, 10am – 12.50pm

Royce 160

Discussion section: Thursday 2pm - 2.50 pm

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• <u>Textbook</u>: O'Grady et al. *Contemporary Linguistics*. 6th edition

+ study guide

• Course website:

We use CCLE (http://ccle.ucla.edu) for the course website. You need a UCLA login to get access to it. Here I will post assignments, slides and any other course materials that we may use.

• Grading: 5 homeworks 35%

Midterm (Thu, Aug 21) 25% Final exam (Thu, Sep 11) 40%

• Extra credit:

You have the opportunity to earn 2% extra credit points by participating in an experiment through the Psychology Department Subject Pool. By participating in experiments, you will have the opportunity to contribute to on-going research at UCLA while getting an inside glimpse of how research studies are conducted.

One credit is given for every hour of experiment participation. If you complete 2 hours of experiments, you will have 2% added to your final grade at the end of the quarter.

The posting and scheduling of experiments is handled via the Psychology Department Subject Pool system at http://ucla.sona-systems.com/. More information on how to use the system can be found at www.psych.ucla.edu.

NOTE: Before signing up for experiments, you MUST select the course for which you want your experiment credits to count. **All experiments for Summer Session** C must be completed by September 9, 2014 (Tuesday of 6th Week).

Homeworks:

Homeworks are due on Tuesdays at the **beginning of class**. If for whatever reason you can't make it to class, you can leave them in my or Yun's mailbox in Campbell 3125. Make sure that you have your homework **timestamped** so that we know you submitted your homework in time.

Late homework policy: late homeworks are only accepted for full credit in case of

documented medical emergency

otherwise: Tuesday after class: -25%, Wednesday: -50%,

after Wednesday: not accepted

Academic misconduct

Any and all instances of academic misconduct will be reported to the Dean of Students.

- Working together on homework problems is fine, but you have to write up your own version.

- There are different kinds of academic misconduct; it's not just copying. See here:

http://www.studentgroups.ucla.edu/dos/assets/documents/StudentGuide.pdf

Schedule (subject to change)

	date	topics	Reading	Homework
week 1	Tue Aug 5	intro, language & linguistics, the Chomskyan program	ch. 1	
	Thu Aug 7	Phonetics	ch. 2.1 – 2.7	
week 2	Tue Aug 12	Phonology I: phonemes, processes	ch. 2.8 – 2.9, 3.1 – 3.3	HW1
	Thu Aug 14	Phonology II: syllable structure, features, rules	ch. 3.4 – 3.6	
week 3	Tue Aug 19	Morphology	ch. 4	HW2
	Thu Aug 21	Midterm exam, in class		
week 4	Tue Aug 26	Syntax I: constituency and X-bar structure	ch. 5.1, 5.2	HW3
	Thu Aug 28	Syntax II: movement and binding theory	ch. 5.3 – 5.5, 6.3.4	
week 5	Tue Sep 2	Semantics	ch. 6.1, 6.3 + extra semantics reading	HW4
	Thu Sep 4	Semantics / pragmatics Language acquisition	ch. 6.4 ch. 10.1 – 10.4	
week 6	Tue Sep 9	Language acquisition Review	ch. 10.5 – 10.7	HW5
	Thu Sep 11	Final exam, in class		