

COURSE SYLLABUS

Course Number	Lingg 130	Instructor	Louward Allen M. Zubiri
Course Title	Structure of a Philippine Language (Bikol languages)	Consultation Hours	WF 10:00 AM - 12:00 NN 2:30 PM - 5:30 PM
Course Credit	3 units	Office	FC 2116
Class Schedule	WF 1:00 - 2:30 PM	E-mail Address	shykyoichi@gmail.com

Course Outline

Session No.	Date/Day	Topic
1	June 13	The Syllabus and The Course
2	June 15	Introduction to Bikol languages
3	June 20	Bikol languages as Philippine Languages
4	June 22	Bikol languages as an L-complex
5	June 27	Internal Subgrouping of Bikol languages
6	June 29	Research Break (Informant Work/Data Elicitation)
7	July 4	
8	July 6	
9	July 11	Phonology: Consonant Inventory
10	July 13	Phonology: Vowel Space
11	July 18	Phonology: Suprasegmentals and Phonotactics
12	July 20	Phonological Processes
13	July 25	FIRST QUIZ
14	July 27	Research Break (Informant Work/Data Elicitation)
15	Aug 1	Morphology: Variation in the Lexicon
16	Aug 3	Morphology: Nouns and Noun Phrases
17	Aug 8	Morphology: Pronouns
18	Aug 10	Morphology: Adjectives
19	Aug 15	Morphology: Verbs and Verb Phrases
20	Aug 17	
21	Aug 22	SECOND QUIZ
22	Aug 24	Research Break (Informant Work/Data Elicitation)
23	Aug 29	Syntax: Basic Sentence Types
24	Aug 31	
25	Sept 5	Syntax: Negation
26	Sept 7	Syntax: Interrogative Sentences
27	Sept 12	THIRD QUIZ
28	Sept 14	Research Break
29	Sept 19	
30	Sept 21	
31	Sept 26	Paper Presentation

32	Sept 28	
33	Oct 3	Research Break
34	Oct 5	

Class Requirements

Requirement	Points
Quizzes	75
Informant Work/Data Elicitation	60
Term Paper	50
Class Participation	15
Total	200

Grade Computation

1.00 = 195-200; 1.25 = 185-194; 1.50 = 175-184; 1.75 = 165-174; 2.00 = 155-164; 2.25 = 145-154; 2.50 = 135-144; 2.75 = 126-134; 3.00 = 120-125; 4.00 = 120-100; 5.00 = <100; INC; DRP

Guidelines

1. Arriving 30 minutes after the class has started will be marked absent. A university rule states that a student is allowed only 6 absences. Students who incur more than 6 absences should officially drop the course; otherwise, they will be given a grade of 5.0. Deadline for dropping is on Sept. 10, 2012.
2. Missed course requirements are equivalent to zero. Make-up exams shall be given only if there is a valid excuse. In case of illness, a UP Health Service Medical certificate is needed.
3. To avoid disruption of the class, turn off or put in silent mode all mobile phones and other such devices during class hours. In addition, there should be no sending of text messages in class.

References

- Hernandez, J. F. (1998). *Wikang Rinconada sa Bikol*. (Unpublished Master's Thesis). University of the Philippines, Diliman, Quezon City, Philippines.
- Lobel, J.W., Tria, W. J. S., and Carpio, J. M. (2000). *An satuyang tataramon / A study of the Bikol language*. . Naga City, Philippines: Lobel & Tria Partnership,Co.
- McFarland, C. D. (1974). *The dialects of Bikol area*. (Unpublished Doctoral Dissertation). Yale University, New Haven, Connecticut, USA.
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