Academic Year 2023/24

Master of Arts in Applied Linguistics & TESOL

Code: 4056 F/P

Notes

- (i) These programme regulations should be read in conjunction with the University's Taught Programme Regulations.
- (ii) A core module is a module which a student must pass.
- (iii) A compulsory module is a module which a student is required to study.
- (iv) All modules are delivered in Linear mode unless stated otherwise as Block, eLearning or distance learning.

1. Programme structure

- (a) The programme is available for study in both full-time and part-time modes.
- (b) The period of study for full-time mode shall be one year starting in September. The period of study for part-time mode shall normally be two years starting in September.
- (c) The programme comprises modules to a credit value of 180.
- (d) All candidates shall take the following compulsory modules:

| Code | Descriptive title | Total Credits | Credits Sem 1 | Credits Sem 2 | Credits Sem 3 | Level | Туре | Mode |
|---------|---|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|-------|------|------|
| ALC8020 | Research Methods in Applied Linguistics | 20 | 10 | 10 | | 7 | | |
| ALC8098 | Dissertation | 60 | | | 60 | 7 | | |

(e) All candidates shall take at least TWO from the following modules:

| Code | Descriptive title | Total | Credits | Credits | Credits | Level | Туре | Mode |
|---------|--------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|-------|------|------|
| | | Credits | Sem 1 | Sem 2 | Sem 3 | | | |
| ALC8024 | Language Awareness | 20 | 20 | | | 7 | | |
| ALC8025 | English Language | 20 | 20 | | | 7 | | |
| | Teaching Methods | | | | | | | |
| ALC8026 | Language Learning | 20 | 20 | | | 7 | | |

(f) All candidates shall take further optional modules to a value of 60 credits from the following:

| Code | Descriptive title | Total Credits | Credits Sem 1 | Credits Sem 2 | Credits Sem 3 | Level | Туре | Mode |
|---------|--|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|-------|------|------|
| ALC8022 | Technology Enhanced Language Learning (TELL) | 20 | 20 | | | 7 | | |

| ALC8027 | Spoken Interaction in | 20 | 20 | 7 | |
|---------|-------------------------|----|----|---|--|
| | Language Learning and | | | | |
| | Testing Contexts | | | | |
| ALC8029 | TESOL for Young | 20 | 20 | 7 | |
| | Learners | | | | |
| ALC8030 | Reflective Practice and | 20 | 20 | 7 | |
| | Second Language | | | | |
| | Teacher Development | | | | |
| ALC8033 | Teaching for Academic | 20 | 20 | 7 | |
| | Purposes | | | | |
| ALC8038 | Teaching Languages | 20 | 20 | 7 | |
| | Online | | | | |

(g) Students may take one of the following option modules to a maximum 20 credits instead of modules listed in (f). Alternative option module arrangements may be considered with the approval of the Degree Programme Director.

| Code | Descriptive title | Total | Credits | Credits | Credits | Level | Туре | Mode |
|---------|----------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|-------|------|------|
| | | Credits | Sem 1 | Sem 2 | Sem 3 | | | |
| ALC8002 | Sociolinguistics | 20 | | 20 | | 7 | | |
| ALC8009 | English in the World | 20 | 20 | | | 7 | | |
| ALC8012 | Language and Social | 20 | | 20 | | 7 | | |
| | Interaction | | | | | | | |
| ALC8037 | Multilingualism | 20 | 0 | 20 | | 7 | | |

(h) Students who are taking the Technology route shall take the following compulsory modules:

| Code | Descriptive title | Total | Credits | Credits | Credits | Level | Туре | Mode |
|---------|--------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|-------|------|------|
| | | Credits | Sem 1 | Sem 2 | Sem 3 | | | |
| ALC8020 | Research Methods in | 20 | 10 | 10 | | 7 | | |
| | Applied Linguistics | | | | | | | |
| ALC8022 | Technology Enhanced | 20 | 20 | | | 7 | | |
| | Language Learning (TELL) | | | | | | | |
| ALC8098 | Dissertation | 60 | | | 60 | 7 | | |

(i) And shall take at least TWO modules from the following list:

| Code | Descriptive title | Total | Credits | Credits | Credits | Level | Туре | Mode |
|---------|--------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|-------|------|------|
| | | Credits | Sem 1 | Sem 2 | Sem 3 | | | |
| ALC8024 | Language Awareness | 20 | 20 | | | 7 | | |
| ALC8025 | English Language | 20 | 20 | | | 7 | | |
| | Teaching Methods | | | | | | | |
| ALC8026 | Language Learning | 20 | 20 | | | 7 | | |

(j) And shall take 40 credits from the following optional modules:

| Code | Descriptive title | Total | Credits | Credits | Credits | Level | Туре | Mode |
|------|-------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|-------|------|------|
| | | Credits | Sem 1 | Sem 2 | Sem 3 | | | |

| ALC8024 | Language Awareness | 20 | 20 | | 7 | |
|---------|---------------------------|----|----|----|---|--|
| ALC8025 | English Language | 20 | 20 | | 7 | |
| | Teaching Methods | | | | | |
| ALC8026 | Language Learning | 20 | 20 | | 7 | |
| ALC8027 | Spoken Interaction in | 20 | | 20 | 7 | |
| | Language Learning and | | | | | |
| | Testing Contexts | | | | | |
| ALC8029 | TESOL for Young | 20 | | 20 | 7 | |
| | Learners | | | | | |
| ALC8030 | Reflective Practice and | 20 | | 20 | 7 | |
| | Second Language | | | | | |
| | Teacher Development | | | | | |
| | | | | | | |
| ALC8038 | Teaching Languages | 20 | | 20 | 7 | |
| | Online | | | | | |
| EDU8213 | The Future of Learning in | 20 | 20 | | 7 | |
| | the Digital Age | | | | | |

2. Assessment methods

Details of the assessment pattern for each module are explained in the module outline.