

European Master in Lexicography (EMLex)

Advanced module A8: Lexicography and lexicology

Name of module	Advanced module A8: Lexicography and lexicology	5 ECTS
Course	<u>If the common second semester takes place in Nancy or Rome</u> : 1 hour/week over 12 weeks and 12 hours “blocked“ over 5 days. <u>Otherwise</u> : 24 hours “blocked“ over 5 days.	
Lecturers	Éva Buchi (Nancy), Stefania Nuccorini (Rome), Carlos Valcárcel Riveiro (Vigo)	
Person responsible for module	Éva Buchi	
Contents	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Lexical meanings and lexicographic definitions2. Polysemy and its lexicographic description3. Lexical functions4. Phraseology from a lexicological and a lexicographical point of view5. From scientific etymology to etymological information in general dictionaries	
Learning outcomes	The students shall become aware of discrepancies between lexicological analysis and lexicographical description, especially in the fields of semantics and etymology. They shall develop a capacity for transposing lexicological research results into lexicographic description and of making use of methodological innovations in prominent dictionaries (possibly of other languages than their mother tongue) to improve less prominent ones (possibly of their mother tongue).	
Requirements for participation	25 ECTS marks from the first semester	
Position within the timetable	Elective module in the second semester (6 from 9)	
Applicability of the module	For the Master degree course EMLex	

Examination	The teachers choose one of the following: a) 90-minute final exam on the contents of the seminar or b) presentation in class plus a brief paper (10-15 pages) or c) longer paper (15-20 pages)	
Calculation of the final mark for the module	The assessment counts as 1	
Repetition of examination	1	
Presentation cycle	Annually, during summer term	
Amount of work	Attendance of 24 hours and private study (various assignments)	
Language of teaching	English	
Preparatory reading	<u>Synchronic lexicology and lexicography:</u> Mel'čuk, Igor (2013): <i>Semantics. From Meaning to Text</i> , Amsterdam/Philadelphia: Benjamins: vol. 2: 259-368. <u>Diachronic lexicology and lexicography:</u> Buchi, Éva (2016): "Etymological dictionaries". In: Durkin, Philip (ed.): <i>The Oxford Handbook of Lexicography</i> . Oxford: Oxford University Press: 338-349.	