

Ü: Methods and Theories in Linguistics

Seminar dates: Monday, 19th, Thursday, 22nd, and Friday, 23rd October 2015
Room: U5/02.23

Virtual Campus site: <https://vc.uni-bamberg.de/moodle/course/view.php?id=12549>

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Date	Unit	Topic	Background information
19 th Oct	1	Preliminaries and introduction	Meyer 2009 (see VC site)
	2	Distribution of mini-projects	
	3	Academic writing <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Writing good academic English- Avoiding plagiarism	W & B 21 & 23 W & B 22
22 nd /23 rd Oct	4	Handling secondary literature <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Citavi	http://www.citavi.com/sub/manual4/de/index.html
	5	Techniques for collecting data (mini-projects) <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Corpus studies- Other electronic databases- Electronic dictionaries- Experiments- Questionnaires, interviews- Audio- and video-recorded data	W & B 19, A & M 4 --- --- W & B 13, A & M 6 W & B 14, A & M 5 W & B 12 & 16
	6	Statistical evaluation of data <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Scales of measurement- Central tendency and standard deviation- Correlations- Distributions	W & B 20 A & M 7 A & M 8 A & M 9 A & M 10–11

Legend:

A & M = Albert & Marx 2010

W & B = Wray & Bloomer 2012

The numbers represent the chapters of these books

**Recommended reading
(to be found on the reserve shelf in TB 4):**

- Albert, Ruth & Cor J. Koster. 2002. *Empirie in Linguistik und Sprachlehrforschung: Ein methodologisches Arbeitsbuch*. Tübingen: Narr.
- Albert, Ruth & Nicole Marx. 2010. *Empirisches Arbeiten in Linguistik und Sprachlehrforschung: Anleitung zu quantitativen Studien von der Planungsphase bis zum Forschungsbericht*. Tübingen: Narr. [electronic full text available via OPAC] **[A & M]**
- Creswell, John W. 2009. *Research Design: Qualitative, Quantitative and Mixed Methods Approaches*. 3rd edition. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications.
- Davies, Martin Brett. 2007. *Doing a Successful Research Project: Using Qualitative or Quantitative Methods*. Basingstoke: Palgrave Macmillan.
(<http://www.palgrave.com/sociology/davies/index.html>)
- Hahner, Markus, Wolfgang Scheide & Elisabeth Wilke-Thissen. 2011. *Wissenschaftliche[s] Arbeiten mit Word 2010*. Unterschleißheim: Microsoft Press.
- Kennedy, Graeme D. 1998. *An Introduction to Corpus Linguistics*. London: Longman.
- Lindquist, Hans. 2009. *Corpus Linguistics and the Description of English*. Edinburgh: Edinburgh University Press.
- Litosseliti, Lia. 2010. *Research Methods in Linguistics*. London: Continuum.
- McEnery, Tony & Andrew Hardie. 2012. *Corpus Linguistics: Method, Theory and Practice*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press. (<http://corpora.lancs.ac.uk/clmtp>)
- Meindl, Claudia. 2011. *Methodik für Linguisten: Eine Einführung in Statistik und Versuchsplanung*. Tübingen: Narr. [electronic full text available via OPAC]
- Perkuhn, Rainer, Holger Keibel & Mark Kupietz. 2012. *Korpuslinguistik*. Paderborn: Fink.
- Podesva, Robert J. & Devyani Sharma, eds. 2014 *Research Methods in Linguistics*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press. [on the neighbouring reserve shelf for the Seminar "Research Methods in Language Variation and Change"]
- Rasinger, Sebastian M. 2010. *Quantitative Research in Linguistics: An Introduction*. London: Continuum.
- Rothstein, Björn. 2011. *Wissenschaftliches Arbeiten für Linguisten*. Tübingen: Narr. [electronic full text available via OPAC]
- Krug, Manfred & Julia Schlüter, eds. 2013 *Research Methods in Language Variation and Change*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press. [on the neighbouring reserve shelf for the Seminar "Research Methods in Language Variation and Change"] (<http://www.uni-bamberg.de/eng-ling/research-methods>)
- Wray, Alison & Aileen Bloomer. 2012. *Projects in Linguistics and Language Studies*. 3rd edition. London: Hodder Education. **[W & B]**