



LUND UNIVERSITY
Faculty of Social Sciences

The Department of Human Geography
Human Ecology Division

Syllabus

SAHE006

Specialized reading course adapted to specific needs of the doctoral student 1

(Specialiserad litteraturkurs 1)

A. Third cycle course: 7,5 higher education credits

The course was adopted and the syllabus approved by the Board of the Department of Human Geography, Lund University, 2015-05-05. This syllabus is valid from 2015-08-31.

B. Course Details.

The course is offered as a single subject course at the PhD level.
The language of instruction is Swedish or English.

C. Learning Outcomes.

On completion of the course, the student shall be able to:

- demonstrate knowledge and understanding of relevant literature in the field of study
- critically examine different contributions to the field
- discuss key concepts within the chosen field
- evaluate major developments within the field

D. Course Content

The course offers insights into a specialized field of study within Human Ecology, related to the particular thesis topic of the student.

E. Teaching and Assessment

The student shall read a selection of key contributions to the field, chosen jointly by student and supervisors and approved by the examiner. At the end of the course, the student will present an essay in which the chosen field of study is analysed and evaluated, to demonstrate the fulfilment of learning outcomes. The essay may serve as draft for a thesis chapter.

F. Grades

The grades awarded are Pass or Fail. To receive Pass, the student must fulfil the learning outcomes and participate actively in the course.

G. Admission Requirements.

Applicants must be Ph.D. students in the discipline.

H. Literature

Literature is selected jointly by student and supervisors and should be approved by the examiner.