



Linköping University

Linköping, Sweden

ASPIRE Exchange

Course Equivalency List

This document lists the courses at the ASPIRE Exchange partner university that have already been approved for an IU equivalent course. We will update this list when new equivalencies are established. See the date at the bottom for when this list was last updated and know that the list is subject to change as new information becomes available.

Students can enroll in many courses beyond those listed below. Any other course taken on the exchange program will provide generic, 100-level credit by default (a.k.a. “undistributed credit”). Undistributed credit counts toward the total number of credits needed to graduate, but it doesn’t fulfill Gen. Ed., CASE, or Major Requirements. To get specific credits for courses that do not yet have an established equivalency, the student requests a course equivalency evaluation. However, if a course at a partner university is not similar to a course at IU, it will remain undistributed, which is not necessarily a problem.

To request a course equivalency evaluation, refer to the [Course Equivalency How-To Guide](#) on the [ASPIRE Exchanges](#) website. Contact the [academic advisor](#) in the most relevant department at IU to provide a syllabus for the course at the partner university.

Linköping University credit conversion

1.5 -2 ECTS = 1 IU Credit
2.5-3 ECTS = 1.5 IU Credits
3.5-4 ECTS = 2 IU Credits
4.5-6 ECTS = 3 IU Credits
6.5-8 ECTS = 4 IU Credits
8.5-10 ECTS = 5 IU Credits

Natural + Mathematical Sciences Courses

Linköping Course	IU Equivalency	Notes
Applied Cognitive Science	COGS-OS 400	Approved to count toward the Major and Minor by exception. Contact a COGS advisor about this when taking the course.
Usability Testing	COGS-OS 100 Usability Testing	
Cognitive Neuroscience	PSY-P 349 Cognitive Neuroscience	
Distributed and Situated Cognition	PSY-P 335 Cognitive Psychology	
Social Cognition	PSY-P 304 Soc Psych Individual Diff	

Social + Historical Sciences Courses

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Language, Culture, and Cognition	LING-OS 100 Language, Culture, and Cognition	

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Language, Culture, and Cognition	LING-L 315 Intro to Sociolinguistics	exception

Arts + Humanities Courses

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Nordic Culture	GER-E 362: Topics in Scandinavian Culture	A student can earn a maximum of 6 credits of GER-E 362 at IU. This course is 7.5 IU credits. The additional 1.5 credits will come in as GER-OS 300 (undistributed). This insures that all 7.5 credits are useful to an IU student.

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Sweden and the Swedes I	GER-G 362 Intro to Contemporary Germany	exception
Sweden and the Swedes II	GER-OS 300 Sweden and the Swedes	exception
Swedish for Foreign Students, level A1	GER-S 100 Beginning Swedish I	exception
Philosophy and Film	PHIL-P 242: Applied Ethics	

Other

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Interaction Programming (6 ECTS)	CSCI-A 346 User-Interface Programming	Luddy School

LiU Grade	IU Grade
A	A
B	B+
C	B
D	C+
E	C
FX	F/incomplete
F	F