



**Annex 1 : Module Plan**

**1<sup>st</sup> semester: Vytautas Magnus University, Kaunas, Lithuania**

Module 1: Multilingual Baltic-Sea Europe I: Language-sociological perspectives	
Course	ECTS
a) Mediatization of Language, Culture and Everyday Life	6
b) Multilingualism in Europe	6
Total	12

Module 2: Language and Communication Skills I	
Course	ECTS
a) English Academic Writing OR b) Cross-Cultural Communication	6
b) 1. For non-native Lithuanian-speakers: Lithuanian Language Course; OR b) 2. For native Lithuanian-speakers: Language Course in a Nordic or Baltic language	6
Total	12

Module 3: Methods of Sociolinguistics	
Course	ECTS
a) Quantitative and Qualitative Research Methods in Sociolinguistics	6
Total	6

**2<sup>nd</sup> semester: Johannes Gutenberg University, Mainz, Germany**

Module 4: Multilingual Baltic-Sea Europe II: Sociolinguistic perspectives	
Course	ECTS
a) Current Trends in Sociolinguistics	6
b) Regional and Minority Languages	4
Total	10

Module 5: Language and Communication Skills II	
Course	ECTS
a.1) For non-native German-speakers: German Language Course; OR a.2) For native German-speakers: Language Course in a Nordic or Baltic language;	4
b) Research Reporting	6
Total	10



Module 6: Methods in Sociolinguistics II	
Course	ECTS
a) Qualitative data analysis	4
b) Professional Project Planning	6
Total	10

**3<sup>rd</sup> semester: University of Tartu, Estonia (Focus field I: Estonian – a language between East, North and West)**

Module 7a: Multilingual Baltic-Sea Europe III.a: Language Contacts	
Course	ECTS
a) Estonian in Europe	6
Total	6

Module 8a: Language and Communication Skills III.a	
Course	ECTS
a) Estonian or other relevant languages	12
Total	12

Module 9a: Historical and Cultural Background III.a	
Course	ECTS
a) History of Estonia	6
b) Estonian Culture	6
Total	12

**3<sup>rd</sup> semester: Stockholm University, Sweden (Focus field II: Swedish and Baltic Languages)**

Module 7b: Multilingual Baltic-Sea Europe III.b: Language Contact	
Course	ECTS
a) Language Contacts in the Baltic area: Baltic-Finnic, Baltic-Slavic, Baltic-German	6
b) Research and Argumentation Skills	1,5
Total	7,5

Module 8b: Language and Communication Skills III.b	
Course	ECTS
a.1) For non-native Swedish-speakers: Swedish Language course OR a.2) For native Swedish-speakers: Language course in another Nordic language	7,5
b) For all students: Language course in one of the Baltic languages	7,5
Total	15



Module 9b: Historical and Cultural Background III.b	
Course	ECTS
a) Language Situation and Language Policy in the Baltic Countries	7,5
Total	7,5

**4<sup>th</sup> semester: Vytautas Magnus University, Kaunas, Lithuania or Johannes Gutenberg University, Mainz, Germany**

Module 10: Master's thesis	
Course	ECTS
M.A. thesis and thesis defence	30
Total	30
	<b>TOTAL: 120 ECTS</b>