



## DEPARTMENT OF PSYCHOLOGY

### **PX36001 Scientific communication in practice, 5 credits**

Vetenskaplig kommunikation I praktiken , 5 högskolepoäng

*Third-cycle level / Forskarnivå*

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#### **Confirmation**

This syllabus was confirmed by the Department of Psychology on 2018-09-21, and was last revised on 2020-04-03. The revised course syllabus is valid from Autumn semester 2018.

#### ***Responsible Department***

Department of Psychology, Faculty of Social Sciences

#### **Entry requirements**

The student must be admitted to the PhD Programme in Psychology.

#### **Learning outcomes**

After completing the course, the PhD student will be able to:

##### ***Knowledge and understanding***

- demonstrate a systematic understanding of the principles of, and different forms of, scientific communication within the field of psychological science

##### ***Competence and skills***

- demonstrate skills in independently completing different types of presentations, such as scientific articles, abstracts and posters
- complete and be responsible for scientific discussions, presentations and popular science presentations

##### ***Judgement and approach***

- show the ability to make his/her own judgements about scientific communication in speech and writing

## Course content

This is a skills course, designed to introduce the doctoral student to the communicative practices in psychological science. The course's different sections are designed to provide familiarity with, and experience of, different forms of presentation related to research.

## Types of instruction

The course is examined individually by certifying completed activities according to a special checklist (see appendix). The course coordinator makes an assessment of the activities carried out and decides on approval.

### *Language of instruction*

The course is given in Swedish but can be given in English if necessary.

## Grades

The grade Pass (G) or Fail (U) is given in this course.

## Types of assessment

The course is examined individually by certifying completed activities according to a special checklist (see appendix). The course coordinator makes an assessment of the activities carried out and decides on approval.

## Course evaluation

The course coordinator is responsible for ensuring that doctoral students are given the opportunity to provide an anonymous, written course evaluation at the end of the course. After the course is finished, the course coordinator writes a report, which includes a summary of the course evaluation. The report is processed in the Drafting committee for doctoral studies (FUB) and will be communicated to those doctoral students who completed the course evaluation, as well as the doctoral students who will start the next course. These reports will be made available for doctoral students.