

COURSE SYLLABUS

Supervising Pre-service Teachers' Practitioner Research within Teacher Education in Sweden, 2.5 credits

Att handleda praktiknära forskningsprojekt inom svensk lärarutbildning, 2,5 högskolepoäng

Course Code: FLHPF33 Education Cycle: Third-cycle level
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Intended Learning Outcomes (ILO)

The student shall meet the following learning outcomes, which cover knowledge and understanding, skills and abilities as well as judgement and approach. On completion of the course, the student should be able to:

Knowledge and understanding

- demonstrate understanding of key areas of guiding and mentoring degree projects in Swedish teacher education

Skills and abilities

- account for the supervision process of pre-service teachers' degree projects relating to the context of Swedish teacher education

Judgement and approach

- critically reflect on the role of the supervisor guiding and mentoring pre-service teachers' degree projects.

Contents

- Degree project as a genre
- Ethical aspects of supervision
- Supervision as a process focusing on the text
- Supervision as a practice focusing on the supervisor-supervisee relations
- Formal aspects of supervision focusing on institutional constraints and affordances
- · Feedback and assessement

Type of instruction

Besides independent study, and auscultation and interview with an experienced supervisor, the course consists of seminars and lectures on campus and online. An online course management system is used for the course.

The teaching is conducted in English.

Prerequisites

The applicant must meet the general entry requirements for third-cycle courses and programmes.

English proficiency corresponding to English 6, or English course B in the Swedish upper secondary school system, is required.

Examination and grades

The course is graded Fail (U) or Pass (G).

Further information concerning assessment of specific intended learning outcomes and grading criteria is provided in a study guide distributed at the beginning of the course.

Registration of examination:

Name of the Test	Value	Grading
Self-reflective paper	2.5 credits	U/G

Course evaluation

The instruction is followed up throughout the course, and a course evaluation is performed at the end of the course. The course coordinator collates and comments on the evaluation before submitting it to the associate dean of doctoral programmes at the School of Education and Communication. The evaluation is to function as a basis for future improvements to the course.

Other information

See separate attachment for a detailed schedule and information about the application procedure.

Course literature

370 pages.

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Other resources:

The Interactive Anti-Plagiarism Guide - Jönköping University (will be available on the learning platform)

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