

**Course title:** Argumentative Analysis of Discourse

**Course code:** MDF0812

**Type of course:** compulsory

**Level of course:** MA

**Year of study:** 1<sup>st</sup>

**Semester:** 1<sup>st</sup>

**Number of ECTS credits allocated:** 6

**Name of the lecturer:** Oana Popârda

**Course objective:** Strengthen students' competences on the argumentative analysis of the discourse; evaluate the main trends in the field; practical applications to different types of discourse (metapolitical discourse).

**Course contents:** Methods of discourse analysis – general presentation: text grammar / discourse analysis – the main standpoints; discourse rules and principles; argumentative connectors; case study: political/metapolitical discourse; a) policy/politics; b) political discourse, a form of interdiscourse; the pragmalinguistic analysis of a corpus of political and metapolitical (electoral) discourses (editorials from *Le Point*).

**Recommended reading:** Anscombe, J.-C., Ducrot, O., 1984, *L'Argumentation dans la langue*, Mardaga, Liege; Ducrot, O., 1984, *Le dire et le dit*, Bordas, Paris; Maingueneau, D., 1990, *Pragmatique pour le discours litteraire*, Bordas, Paris; Martin, R., 1983, *Pour une logique du sens*, P.U.F., Paris; Popârda, O., 2000, *Notes a verser au dossier de la pragmatique*, Cantes, Iasi; Reboul, A., Moeschler, J., 1998, *Pragmatique du discours*, Armand Colin, Paris; Salavastru, C., 1996, *Modele argumentative in discursul educational*, Editura Academiei Romane, Bucuresti; Vignaux, G., 1976, *L'argumentation. Essai d'une logique discursive*, Droz, Paris

**Teaching methods:** interactive lecture

**Assessment methods:** ongoing evaluation, final written examination

**Language of instruction:** French