

**Course title:** Language/Text Theory and Practice

**Course code:** GE1053 (A), GE1056 (B)

**Type of course:** compulsory

**Level of course:** BA

**Year of study:** 3<sup>rd</sup>

**Semester:** 5<sup>th</sup>

**Number of ECTS credits allocated:** 5/5

**Name of the lecturer:** Astrid Agache, Ana-Maria Palimariu

**Course objective:** The subject of this course, namely the infinitive and participle constructions, has been chosen with the purpose of clarifying all aspects related to these constructions which are specific to the German sentence, as they are widely used and can be found difficult by Romanian students.

**Course contents:** formation and functions of the infinitive, the place of the „zu“ particle, the place of the infinitive in the sentence, ways of using the infinitive, infinitive constructions, infinitive constructions replacing subordinates, completive infinitive constructions, subjective infinitive constructions, attributive infinitive constructions, the dependence of infinitive constructions of the verb valency, infinitive tenses and constructions, place of infinitive constructions, secondary clauses and infinitive constructions, infinitive constructions in the German literary text.

**Recommended reading:** Hentschel/Weydt: Handbuch der deutschen Grammatik. Berlin 1990; Flämig, Walter: Untersuchungen zum Finalsatz im Deutschen, München 1994; Helbig/Buscha: Deutsche Grammatik. Berlin 1991; Flämig, Walter: Untersuchungen zum Finalsatz im Deutschen. München 1994; Ulrich Engel, Mihai Isbacescu, Speranta Stanescu, Octavian Nicolae: Kontrastive Grammatik. Heidelberg 1993

**Teaching methods:** lectures, interactive approaches

**Assessment methods:** intermediate test (written); final test (oral)

**Language of instruction:** German