

Course Title: The Russian Language in Diachrony

Course Code: RU1061 (A), RU1064 (B)

Type of course: compulsory

Level of course: BA

Year of study: 3rd

Semester: 6th

Number of ECTS credits allocated: 5/5

Name of the lecturer: Marina Vraciu

Course objective: The course presents a series of facts related to the evolution of Russian language in time and space, providing elements combining the history of language and the history of literary language, offering a better perspective on linguistics, language changes and the evolution of language.

Course contents: Periods in the evolution of Russian: koine and standard language. Diachronic stylistics. Morphology in diachrony: categories and paradigms of the noun and the verb. The structure of Russian vocabulary. Slavonic translations of the Bible. Presentation and analysis of text fragments. Russian today. Theoretical models of Russian. The Russian language in Diaspora.

Recommended reading: Ariton Vraciu 1982, *Curs de lingvistica generala si comparata (pentru studentii anului II rusa)*. *Fonetica si morfologia comparata a limbilor slave*, EUAIC, 1982; N.A. Kuleshov 1956, *Slav'janskije jazyki*, M.; A.I. Efimov 1961, *История русского литературного языка*, M; C.E.Townsend, L.A.Janda 1996 *Common and Comparative Slavic* Slavica Publisheres 1996

Teaching methods: lectures, interactive approaches

Assessment methods: tests, final examination (written and oral)

Language of instruction: Russian, Romanian, English