

Seminar

Linguistics in Jurisprudence

I. Focus, Format, and Languages

This seminar has a focus on the intersection of linguistical and legal research. In that special field, publications are mostly in English and, therefore, the language of reading material, discussions, class presentations, and seminar papers will be English.

II. Admission

Please sign up by e-mail to Martin Widmer (martin.widmer@oefre.unibe.ch). Due to the pandemic, the seminar will be conducted via Zoom with a maximum of 12 participants, probably divided into two sub-groups for better discussion. There are no preconditions for master students (MLaw) or students of other faculties (i.e., PLEP students). However, if you happen to be a bachelor student at the law faculty, you have to meet the requirement of "Einführung in die juristische Arbeitstechnik" no later than the end of the preceding term (i.e., fall semester 2020).

III. Sessions

Kickoff meeting on Monday, 22th Feb, 2021, at 14.15-16.00.

Individual feedback regarding paper subjects on Tuesday, 9th March, 2021, at 8.15-13.00.

Topic discussions and paper presentations on Saturday, 5th June 2021, 9.15-18.00.

IV. Topics (examples)

Will be announced at the kickoff meeting.