

Course Number and Name ENGE 302 Topics in the Study of the English Language

Intended Learning Outcomes After successful completion of this course students will be able to describe both abstract objectivity theories and the dynamics of language in use and explain the development of the English language in the colonial, neo colonial and postcolonial contexts

Course Contents What is language: language as a structured system and language in use; Meaning Making; history of the English language; Standard English, Sri Lankan English and other varieties; role of the dictionary; English as a tool of dispossession or empowerment

Assessment Strategy

- i. Time of Assessment - End of the Year
- ii. Assessment Methods - Written examination

Assigned Percentage of Marks for each Component - 100%

Recommended References None