淡江大學九十學年度碩士班招生考試試題

系別:西洋語文研究所

科目:英語語言學概論

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Examination in Linguistics

- In linguistics, we have different terms whose meanings are different from ordinary meanings on the surface. Please define the following terms: grammar, grammars, and grammaticality with examples. 10%
- 2. How are English vowels classified? Give examples. 10%
- 3. How are English consonants classified? Give examples. 10%
- 4. Why is the schwa the most commonly used vowel in English? Explain and give examples. 10%
- 5. What is an allophone? What are the allophones of /t/ in English? Explain by giving examples and their distributions. If you can, please give rules to account for their distributions. 10%
- 6. What does K.K. mean? What does IPA mean? Are they the same or different? Why? Where are they often used? 10%
- 7. What is standard English? Why do American black people use Black English rather than standard English? Discuss this sociolinguistic phenomenon. 10%
- 8. What is morphophonemics? Explain by giving examples from the meaning of plural number in English. 10%
- Define deep structure and surface structure. How are they represented? How do
 we derive surface structure from its deep structure? Discuss and give examples.
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