

# Morphology



Niveau d'étude  
Master 1



ECTS  
3 crédits



Composante  
UFR  
Linguistique



Volume horaire  
30h



Période de  
l'année  
Semestre 1

## En bref

- > **Langue(s) d'enseignement:** Anglais
- > **Forme d'enseignement :** Cours magistral & Travaux dirigés
- > **Ouvert aux étudiants en échange:** Oui

## Présentation

### DESCRIPTION

Morphology can be defined as the study of the internal structure of words and the way words relate to one another: for instance, the words "cognitive" and "cognition" are morphologically related in a specific way.

The purpose of this course is to provide a broad introduction to morphology as an empirical domain, based on data from very diverse languages. We will cover basic concepts of morphological analysis, provide a basic introduction to morphological theory, and discuss the nature and organization of inflection, derivation, and compounding. Special attention will be paid to the typological diversity of morphological systems.

### OBJECTIFS

On successful completion of this course, students should be able to:

- \* Segment words into morphs by comparison with related words
- \* Make sense of the interplay between diachronic and synchronic aspects of the analysis of a word.
- \* Identify types of morphophonological relatedness (affixation, infixation, reduplication, root-and-pattern morphology, suprasegmental morphology, etc.) and discuss edge cases
- \* Identify types of morphological relations (conversion, derivation, compounding, inflection, etc.) and discuss edge cases
- \* Make sense of the structure of a morphological system in any language

### HEURES D'ENSEIGNEMENT

Morphology	Cours Magistral	18h
Morphology	Travaux Dirigés	12h

### PRÉ-REQUIS NÉCESSAIRES

There are no prerequisites: students with no prior knowledge of morphology are very welcome.

A basic introduction to general linguistics (basics of phonology, morphology, syntax) will be helpful but is not required.

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