Corpus-based understanding of foreign language texts for speakers of Swedish

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Abstract

"The course in focus of this data-driven learning presentation is called Textförståelse med grammatik (approx. 'Understanding text through grammar'), and is focused on written text of slightly different genres. It is especially made for a language taught and learned outside of its own language area. I will go through steps to both improve which words and expressions to focus on, and the incorporation of grammar in the students learning process, based on variation theory, information processing theory and theories about data-driven learning. I will show how this can be done using corpora of modern, older or even ancient texts, with the aim of giving the students an interactive course where they also may show and discuss their grammatical knowledge with their peers."

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