Evaluering av SV9107 International Publishing, høst 2026

The PhD course in International Publishing (SV9107) was held for the ninth time in fall 2026. The course has a stable structure and organization, with small updates and changes from year to year.

In the fall 2026, there have been only few minor changes in the content of the lectures. In session 4, the lecture on "AI in international publishing" has been updated, since this is a topic in rapid development that needs to be monitored closely. This is also the topic that seems to be of high interest for the PhD students at present, and that generated interesting discussions during the lecture.

Regarding the lecturers involved in the course, there has been an active and broad participation from all Departments of the Faculty to session 2, which discusses the characteristics of top publications in different fields of research within the social sciences. Two new lecturers contributed to this group session (from SAI and ØI, respectively).

The PhD students' evaluations of the course were in line with those of previous years. A large majority of participants reported that they were very satisfied with the course overall, and that they gained new knowledge about international publishing. On the whole, the response share of this online evaluation of the course was low (about 25%).

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