

Recommended readings:

Most readings are available online (see URLs below). The ones without a link can be found on EALING's password protected site.

This reading list obviously goes beyond what is readable in a week. Asterisks indicate the most relevant reading for each lecture. The overview paper covers material throughout the course.

Overview:

*Hacquard, V (*to appear*). 'Modality' in C. Maierborn, K. von Stechow and P. Portner (eds.) *Semantics: An International Handbook of Natural Language Meaning*. Berlin: Mouton de Gruyter
http://www.ling.umd.edu/~hacquard/papers/HoS_Modality_Hacquard.pdf

Portner, P. 2009. *Modality*. Oxford: Oxford University Press.

Lecture 2:

Drubig, H. 2001. On the Syntactic Form of Epistemic Modality, ms. Tübingen, U of Tübingen
<http://www.sfb441.uni-tuebingen.de/b2/papers/DrubigModality.pdf>

*Matthewson, L. 2010. 'On Apparently Non-Modal Evidentials'. To appear in *Empirical Issues in Syntax and Semantics*, ed. Olivier Bonami & Patricia Cabredo Hofherr.
<http://www.linguistics.ubc.ca/sites/default/files/MatthewsonCSSPpaperrevised.pdf>

Faller, M. (2002) *Semantics and Pragmatics of Evidentials in Cuzco Quecha*. Ph.D. Dissertation. Stanford University.
<http://personalpages.manchester.ac.uk/staff/Martina.T.Faller/documents/Thesis-A4.pdf>

Lecture 3:

*Kratzer, A. (1991). 'Modality'. In: A. von Stechow & D. Wunderlich (eds.). *Semantik: Ein internationales Handbuch zeitgenössischer Forschung*. Berlin: Mouton de Gruyter.

Hacquard, V. (2010). 'On the Event-Relativity of Modal Auxiliaries', *Natural Language Semantics*. 18(1): 79-114.
http://www.ling.umd.edu/~hacquard/papers/hacquard_NALS_eventrelativity.pdf

Kratzer, A. (2010) 'On the notional category of modality'. *Collected Papers on Modals and Conditionals*. Oxford University Press.
<http://semanticsarchive.net/Archive/Tc2NjA1M/notional-category-modality-new.pdf>

Lecture 4

*Villalta, E. (2008) 'Mood and Gradability: An investigation of the subjunctive mood in Spanish'. *Linguistics and Philosophy* 31-4.