

In view of the health context linked to the spread of the coronavirus, the methods of organisation and evaluation of the learning units could be adapted in different situations; these possible new methods have been - or will be - communicated by the teachers to the students.

3 credits	20.0 h	Q1 and Q2
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Teacher(s)	Byrne Timothy (coordinator) ;
Language :	English
Place of the course	Louvain-la-Neuve
Main themes	Class activities will be based on the mastery of the four academic language skills: 1. reading, 2. <b>writing</b> , 3. listening 4. and <b>speaking</b> , with a focus on the productive skills (speaking and writing).
Aims	1. to consolidate and develop the participants' speaking skills (taking part in tutorials, asking and answering questions, debating and presentation skills) ---- 2. to provide practice in listening skills (distinguishing between the essential and the peripheral) ---- 3. to master academic writing skills (the first steps towards writing an academic paper) ---- 4. to master academic reading skills (skimming versus scanning, note taking) ---- <i>The contribution of this Teaching Unit to the development and command of the skills and learning outcomes of the programme(s) can be accessed at the end of this sheet, in the section entitled "Programmes/courses offering this Teaching Unit".</i>
Evaluation methods	<b>Due to the COVID-19 crisis, the information in this section is particularly likely to change.</b> 1. Continuous assessment throughout both terms (Q1 and Q2) 2. Test at the end of Q1 3. Test at the end of Q2
Teaching methods	<b>Due to the COVID-19 crisis, the information in this section is particularly likely to change.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Work in small groups</li> <li>• Tutorials, workshops</li> </ul>
Content	Class activities will be based on the mastery of the four academic language skills: reading, writing, listening and speaking, with a focus on the productive skills (speaking and writing): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Academic grammar refresher</li> <li>• Academic vocabulary refresher</li> <li>• Effective essay writing</li> <li>• Bibliography writing</li> <li>• Academic listening skills</li> <li>• Academic debating skills</li> <li>• Academic presentation skills</li> <li>• Academic reading skills</li> </ul>
Inline resources	<a href="https://moodleucl.uclouvain.be/course/view.php?id=12835#section-7">https://moodleucl.uclouvain.be/course/view.php?id=12835#section-7</a>
Faculty or entity in charge	ILV

<b>Programmes containing this learning unit (UE)</b>				
Program title	Acronym	Credits	Prerequisite	Aims
Bachelor in Philosophy, Politics and Economics	PPE1BA	3		