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## Specialised Translation Workshops - English

Teacher(s)	Lafontaine Jean-Marc (coordinator) ;Lepage Thierry ;Vanderputten Caroline ;					
Language :	French					
Place of the course	Louvain-la-Neuve					
Prerequisites	For allophone students with a competency level of B2 in both French and English					
Learning outcomes	At the end of this learning unit, the student is able to :					
Evaluation methods	Formative and/or partly summative assessment of the student's work over the course of the term.  Summative assessment during the January exam session: written exam, to be corrected by a board of teachers Students will sit one exam per translation workshop (i.e. economic, legal, and scientific and/or technical); eac exam will consist in the translation of one or several texts on matters in connection with the topics dealt with over the course of the term.  The overall mark will be calculated by averaging the three marks. In case of an overall fail mark, the failed part will have to be retaken during the August/September exam session. In case of an unjustified absence, student will have to retake all three translation workshops during the August/September exam session. Students who hav failed the teaching unit when the academic year ends will have to retake all three translation workshops (economic legal; scientific and technical) the following year.					
Teaching methods	Lectures and practical sessions.  (a) Legal translation workshop. Theme presentation. Translation of legal texts and documents with for corrections. Individual and/or group work.  (b) Economic translation workshop. Theme presentation. Preliminary reading of documents linked to content. Documentary, terminological and phraseological research, translation of economic texts and docu with formative corrections. Individual and/or group work.  (c) Scientific and technical translation workshop. Practice-oriented and example-based teaching. Manageme translation of texts with different scientific contents, difficulty levels, lengths and linguistic/drafting qualities.					
Content	Translation of texts dealing with specialised topics in the legal, economic, scientific and technical fields.  (a) Legal translation workshop: law of contract, civil law, Belgian judiciary,etc.  (b) Economic translation workshop: prosperity, austerity, local currencies, green growth, degrowth movement, etc.  (c) Scientific and technical translation workshop. Translation of scientific texts in real-life professional situation; presentation of the topic; technical explanations and comments; documentary and terminological research. The translation should be of usable quality for a specialised professional. Introduction to scientific subtitling (SubRip). Using machine translation software during a translation exercise or exam is forbidden. Such software may only be used as a starting point for a post-editing exercise given by the teacher.					
Inline resources	Resources available on the sites of the different workshops on Moodle.					
Bibliography	(a) Legal translation workshop: HOUBERT, F., Guide pratique de la Traduction juridique anglais/français, Maison du dictionnaire, 2005. Other references linked to the topics dealt with in the course. (b) Economic translation workshop: CLERC, D., Déchiffrer l'économie, 18e Éd., Paris, La Découverte, 2014. The Economist Dictionary of Business, Edited by G. BANNOCK, London, Economist Books, 2003. Other references linked to the topics dealt with in the course. (c) Scientific and technical translation workshop: bibliography linked to the topics dealt with in the course.					
Other infos						

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Programmes containing this learning unit (UE)						
Program title	Acronym	Credits	Prerequisite	Learning outcomes		
Master [120] in Translation	TRAD2M	7		•		