

Université catholique de Louvain

ANGL2421 English communication skills for students in criminology

[30h+30h exercises] 3 credits

This course is taught in the 1st and 2nd semester

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Language: english

Level: 2nd cycle course

Aims

The course aims to enable the student to function in the relevant social and professional contexts (law enforcement, the judicial world, the execution of criminal sentences, the field of prevention policies and psycho-social interventions).

Main themes

Classroom activities simulate real situations which call on speaking skills (meetings, job interviews, telephone conversations, talks on legal topics, etc#) and, to a lesser extent, writing (e-mail, letter of application, etc#).

Other information (prerequisite, evaluation (assessment methods), course materials recommended readings, ...)

CONTENT

The course aims at developing the communication techniques appropriate to professional life as well as improving command of the language (general and specific vocabulary, grammar and pronunciation).

TEACHING METHODS

- Interactive communication through classroom activities.
- Exposure to a variety of real-life situations requiring specific language functions.
- Consolidation and improvement of grammar use, vocabulary accuracy as well as pronunciation.
- Regular feedback on the student's oral production.

OTHER INFORMATION

PREREQUISITE

The ANGL 1823 course or any other equivalent course.

EVALUATION

- Continuous assessment.
- Oral exam.

TEACHING MATERIAL

- Course notes.
- Self-tuition CD-Rom.

FURTHER HELP BESIDE THE COURSE

- Teachers' reception hours.
- Personalized help with language problems at the self-tuition centre of the Institut des Langues Vivantes (ILV).
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Other credits in programs

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