



ANGL2480 English Communication skills for engineers

[30h] 2 credits

This course is taught in the 2nd semester

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Language: French
Level: Second cycle

Aims

Reading comprehension

- Cfr BAC 2
- B2 level of the " Common European Framework ".(CEF)

Listening comprehension

- . Individual : Cfr BAC 2
- . Interactive : Cfr BAC 2
- . B2 level of the " Common European Framework ".(CEF)

Speaking skills

- . Individual :
 - Well-structured presentation of a topic in bio-engineering or related to the student's discipline (internship, final dissertation, project work etc.) followed by question -time and discussion.
 - Job interviews : candidate and jury part.
- . Interactive :
 - Interactive communication through classroom activities: role play, story-telling etc
 - Exposure to a variety of real-life situations requiring specific language functions.
 - Consolidation and improvement of grammar use, vocabulary accuracy as well as pronunciation.
- . Level B1 du " Cadre européen commun de référence pour les langues "

Writing skills

- Writing a CV and a covering letter.
- A2-B1 level of CEF

Main themes

Usage

- Consolidation and improvement of grammar use, vocabulary accuracy as well as pronunciation.
- Language functions : agreeing ;disagreeing, interrupting politely etc

Culture

Socializing, introducing oneself and other colleagues, welcoming colleagues, small talk etc

Teaching Method

The student will take part in language activities which will enable him/her to improve communication skills in general and language accuracy, mainly speaking skills.(see above)
 o socializingo what makes a good presentation ?o meetings :
 participating and chairingo negotiation, debating etco telephoningo job interviews

Content and teaching methods

- AGRO Bac 3
- 30h-2nd quadrimester, 2h/week
- This course aims at developing English communication skills of the student in order to enable him/her to function in the relevant social and professional contexts .
- Assessment: continuous assessment and oral exam.

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

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Prerequisite

To have attended the ANGL 1880 A + ANGL 1880 B or reached the B1 level of CEF.

Work load

- Classroom hours : 30 heures
- Self-study : 30 heures

Pedagogical support

- 18 students at most (interactive type of class)
- teacher available by appointment or during reception hours.
- Course notes
- Self-tuition CD-Rom
- Self-tuition and multimedia room of the ILV.

Assessment

- Continuous assessment
- Oral exam :
 - . role play with 4 students integrating a maximum of language functions practiced in class.
 - . New job interview

Programmes in which this activity is taught

BIR2 Bio-ingénieur
CMAG2

Other credits in programs

BIR21/A	Première année du programme conduisant au grade de bio-ingénieur (Agronomie)	(2 credits)	Mandatory
BIR21/C	Première année du programme conduisant au grade de bio-ingénieur (Chimie)	(2 credits)	Mandatory
BIR21/E	Première année du programme conduisant au grade de bio-ingénieur (Environnement)	(2 credits)	Mandatory