



Language: Production (1) (English) (22553)

Degree: Degree in Applied Languages

Year: Second

Term: Third

ECTS credit value: 4

Total student study time (hours): 100

Course type: Compulsory

Language of instruction: English

1. General presentation

The course aims for students to engage in the production of original English texts. The student-produced texts will focus on cultural issues and current affairs, and will generally be in oral format, although written texts will also be produced. The course will address a number of oral presentation and drafting techniques and engage students in discussions on written and audiovisual model texts, providing students with a foundation for their own productions.

2. Content

- The phonological and prosodic English systems
- Linguistic, discourse-related, and socio-cultural features in the following text types:
 - Personal texts: conversation, debates, notes
 - Public texts: interviews, CVs, formal conversations, reports
 - Academic texts: oral and written summaries, oral presentations, dissertations

Assimilation tasks:

- Oral tasks: conversations, formulae for introductions, presentations, and debates
- Written tasks: techniques for reading and note-taking
- Phonetics tasks: practice with transcriptions and phonetics correctors