ENGL 49 Course Outline as of Fall 2024

CATALOG INFORMATION

Dept and Nbr: ENGL 49   Title: INDEPENDENT STUDY
Full Title: Independent Study in English
Last Reviewed: 10/26/2020

Units			Course Hours per Week		Nbr of Weeks	Course Hours Total	
Maximum	3.00		Lecture Scheduled	0	17.5	Lecture Scheduled	0
Minimum	1.00		Lab Scheduled	0	4	Lab Scheduled	0
			Contact DHR	1.00		Contact DHR	17.50
			Contact Total	1.00		Contact Total	17.50
			Non-contact DHR	8.00		Non-contact DHR	140.00

Total Out of Class Hours: 0.00   Total Student Learning Hours: 157.50

Title 5 Category: AA Degree Applicable
Grading: Grade Only
Repeatability: 00 - Two Repeats if Grade was D, F, NC, or NP
Also Listed As:
Formerly:

Catalog Description:
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Prerequisites/Corequisites:

Recommended Preparation:
Eligibility for ENGL 1A OR EMLS 10 (formerly ESL 10) or equivalent

Limits on Enrollment:
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Transfer Credit: CSU;UC.
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ARTICULATION, MAJOR, and CERTIFICATION INFORMATION:

AS Degree:	**Area**			Effective:	Inactive:
CSU GE:	**Transfer Area**			Effective:	Inactive:
IGETC:	**Transfer Area**			Effective:	Inactive:
CSU Transfer:	Transferable	Effective:	Fall 1981	Inactive:	
UC Transfer:	Transferable	Effective:	Fall 1981	Inactive:	

CID:

Certificate/Major Applicable:
Not Certificate/Major Applicable

COURSE CONTENT

Student Learning Outcomes:
At the conclusion of this course, the student should be able to:
1. Since the purpose of the course is to afford the student an opportunity to engage in intensive study of a particular topic not covered in-depth in other English courses, the SLOs will vary according to the project proposal.

Objectives:
At the conclusion of this course, the student should be able to:
1. Discuss intelligently--orally and in writing--the topic of the independent study, citing specific evidence from literary, linguistic or cultural history, and comparing/contrasting major and minor trends.
2. Identify the relative significance of the topic to the broad evolution of literary or linguistic theory.
3. Demonstrate factual knowledge on each of the sub-topics of the paper or project.
4. Demonstrate knowledge of academic library (or other) resources (e.g. bibliographies, editions, dictionaries, biographies, histories) and MLA format for citing research.
5. Repeating students may choose different topics or emphasis depending on approval of the project.

Topics and Scope:

Contents will vary with the student, but generally will capitalize on a student's special interests and abilities. In no case will a student be allowed to undertake a topic that duplicates any other regular course offering (e.g. "Women in Lit.").

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Assignment:

Assignments for English 49 will vary with the student and the topic, but generally will involve activities common in other English courses (e.g. reading, note-taking, library research, summarizing, drafting, revision, essay writing, oral presentation, essay exams).

Methods of Evaluation/Basis of Grade:

Writing: Assessment tools that demonstrate writing skills and/or require students to select, organize and explain ideas in writing.

Essay(s)	Writing 80 - 90%

Problem Solving: Assessment tools, other than exams, that demonstrate competence in computational or non-computational problem solving skills.

None	Problem solving 0 - 0%

Skill Demonstrations: All skill-based and physical demonstrations used for assessment purposes including skill performance exams.

None	Skill Demonstrations 0 - 0%

Exams: All forms of formal testing, other than skill performance exams.

Essay Exams	Exams 0 - 10%

Other: Includes any assessment tools that do not logically fit into the above categories.

Oral Presentation of Research	Other Category 0 - 10%

Representative Textbooks and Materials:

Instructor prepared materials and textbooks recommended by the instructor as appropriate to the contract.