ESL 372CP Course Outline as of Summer 2021

CATALOG INFORMATION

Dept and Nbr: ESL 372CP Title: ESL HIGH-INTERM COMMUN

Full Title: ESL High-Intermediate Conversation/Pronunciation

Last Reviewed: 1/24/2022

| Units | | Course Hours per Week | | Nbr of Weeks | Course Hours Total | |
|---------|------|-----------------------|------|--------------|---------------------------|-------|
| Maximum | 3.00 | Lecture Scheduled | 3.00 | 17.5 | Lecture Scheduled | 52.50 |
| Minimum | 3.00 | Lab Scheduled | 0 | 6 | Lab Scheduled | 0 |
| | | Contact DHR | 0 | | Contact DHR | 0 |
| | | Contact Total | 3.00 | | Contact Total | 52.50 |
| | | Non-contact DHR | 0 | | Non-contact DHR | 0 |

Total Out of Class Hours: 105.00 Total Student Learning Hours: 157.50

Title 5 Category: AA Degree Non-Applicable

Grading: Grade or P/NP

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:

Course Completion of ESL 371CP; OR Course Eligibility for ESL 372; OR ESL 372A or higher

Limits on Enrollment:

Schedule of Classes Information:

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Transfer Credit:

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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: Effective: Inactive:

UC Transfer: Effective: Inactive:

CID:

Certificate/Major Applicable:

Certificate Applicable Course

COURSE CONTENT

Student Learning Outcomes:

At the conclusion of this course, the student should be able to:

- 1. Demonstrate high-intermediate critical thinking, listening, speaking, and pronunciation skills needed to analyze and communicate complex ideas on a variety of themes related to academic, professional, and social issues.
- 2. Employ high-intermediate, culturally-appropriate communication skills in a variety of academic, vocational, and social settings.

Objectives:

Upon completion of this course, students will be able to:

- 1. Demonstrate a high-intermediate ability to use spoken and written English for discussion, analysis, and problem solving.
- 2. Follow the organization of an academic lecture, take notes, and respond to questions.
- 3. Prepare and deliver high-intermediate oral presentations, panel discussions, and debates.
- 4. Demonstrate high-intermediate understanding of appropriate academic, social, and workplace behaviors.
- 5. Demonstrate a high-intermediate level of native-like rhythm, intonation and stress patterns in words and sentences.

Topics and Scope:

- A. Sociolinguistic and Cultural Content
 - 1. Cross-cultural traditions, controversial issues, and current events
 - 2. Roles for discussion participants
 - 3. Non-verbal communication skills
 - 4. High-intermediate level clarification strategies
 - 5. Workplace culture, values, expectations, and communications, such as interviews

B. Academic Content

- 1. Comprehension of adapted lectures, presentations and audio/visual materials through note-taking, outlining, and summarizing
 - 2. Topic selection and delivery techniques for oral presentations
 - 3. Evaluation of peers' group discussions, debates, paired activities, and oral presentations
 - 4. Practice and analysis of oral arguments
 - 5. Use of presentation software such as PowerPoint in oral presentations

C. Pronunciation Skills

- 1. Stress, intonation and rhythm patterns in speeches, debates, role-plays, and oral presentations
- 2. Self-monitoring of pronunciation and accent reduction through the use of CDs, software, and the Internet
 - 3. Utilization of the dictionary as a pronunciation tool

Assignment:

- 1. Panel discussions and debates on controversial issues and current events
- 2. Mock job interviews and work-related role-playing
- 3. Job and career research for presentations
- 4. High-intermediate note-taking, outlining, and summarizing of adapted academic lectures
- 5. High-intermediate level listening activities
- 6. Individual and group presentations on current events/issues
- 7. Evaluation of peers' oral presentation skills
- 8. Practice of pronunciation including stress, intonation, and rhythm patterns
- 9. Weekly textbook-based exercises and other homework assignments, such as cloze exercises
- 10. Exams and weekly quizzes, mid-term and final

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.

Written homework: cloze exercises, sentences and paragraphs

Writing 10 - 20%

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

Homework problems and field work (e.g., surveys)

Problem solving 10 - 20%

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

Note-taking, in-class presentations, role-playing, speeches

Skill Demonstrations 30 - 50%

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

Objective quizzes and exams, midterm and final

Exams 20 - 30%

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

Class attendance and participation; presentations

Other Category 10 - 20%

Representative Textbooks and Materials:

Q: Skills for Success: Listening and Speaking 4 with Student Online Access Card, Earle-Carlin, Oxford University Press, 2011.

Northstar Listening and Speaking 4 with Student Online Access Code, Ferree & Sanabria, 4th Edition, Pearson-Longman, 2014.

Pathways Listening, Speaking, and Critical Thinking 3, Chase & Johannnsen, Heinle, Cengage Learning, 2012.

Instructor prepared materials