Course syllabus English Language II



COURSE DETAILS		
Type of study programme	Undergraduate professional study programme - 180 ECTS	
Study programme	Electronics, Power Engineering	
Course title	English Language II	
Course code	SEN/SEL 010	
ECTS (Number of credits allocated)	2	
Course status	Core	
Year of study	First	
Course Web site	http://moodle.oss.unist.hr/	
Total lesson hours per semester	Lectures	10
	Seminars	0
	Auditory exercises	20
Prerequisite(s)	B1 level	
Lecturer(s)	Petra Grgičević Bakarić, senior lecturer	

COURSE DESCRIPTION		
Course Objectives:	 development and improvement of all linguistic skills, with particular emphasis on writing and speaking, acquisition of relevant grammatical and lexical structures of Business English at intermediate level in everyday business environment 	
Learning outcomes On successful completion of this course, student should be able to:	 define basic and general Business English terms related to the following topics: human resources department, international trade and markets,, leadership, ethics describe a narrow range of general topics (cuture) and specific topics from the area of electrical engineering (technology in use, materials technology) and a wider range of general business topics (recruitment and hiring process, job applications, functions of human resources department, corporate top management, business ethics,) with adequate emphasis on essential elements and important accompanying details. make use of the acquired grammatical knowledge from the following areas: idioms, -ing forms and infinitives, conditions, narrative tenses, relative clauses, compound nouns, adjectives and prepositions, nouns and prepositions and apply the accompanying sociolinguistic and communication knowledge in the appropriate context while doing both written and oral tasks 	
	4. prepare a portfolio of written and oral assignments on a given topic by highlighting essential elements and including relevant complementary details.	
Course content	Culture – Discussing cultural awareness in business, Idioms, Business Idioms, Reading and listening about cultural differences, Modal Verbs, Social English. Human Resources – Talking about students' job interviews, Vocabulary: Employing the right people,ing forms and infinitives, Getting information on the phone. International markets – Discussing the development of international markets, Vocabulary: Free trade, Conditions, Negotiating, Portfolio: Writing a short essay on E-Commerce. Leadership - Discussing the qualities of good leadership, Words to describe characters, Reading and listening about successful managing directors, Portfolio: Writing an e-mail, Ethics – Discussing questions of ethics at work, Vocabulary for describing illegal activity or unethical behaviour, Narrative tenses, Considering options, Portfolio: Writing a CV. Technology in Use – Describing technical functions and applications: GPS applications, Words stemming from <i>use</i> , Verbs: <i>allow, permit, enable, ensure</i> Explaining how technology works: Space elevator, Verbs describing movement, Emphasizing technical advantages: Otis lift technology, Verbs and adjectives describing technical advantages, Adverbs for adding emphasis, Relative clauses, Materials	

technology – Describing specific materials: Materials recycling, Nouns and prepositions, Adjectives and prepositions, Categorising materials: Regenerative brakes, Noun-ferrous metals, Verbs: consist of, comprise, be made of, be made from, Describing and specifying properties: Kevlar, Compound nouns and Compound adjectives

CONSTRUCTIVE ALIGNMENT – Learning outcomes, teaching and assessment methods

Alignment of students activities with learning outcomes			
Activity	Student workload ECTS credits	Learning outcomes	
Lectures and auditory exercises	30 hours / 1 ECTS	1,2,3,4	
Portfolio and presentation	9 hours /0,3 ECTS	3,4	
Mid-term exams (preparation and delivery)	6 hours / 0.2 ECTS	1,2,3,4	
Self-study	9 hours / 0.3 ECTS	1,2,3,4	
Office hours and final exam	6 hours /0.2 ECTS	1,2,3,4	
TOTAL:	60 hours / 2 ECTS	1,2,3,4	

CONTINUOUS ASSESSMENT		
Continuous testing indicators	Performance A_{i} (%)	Grade ratio $k_{ m i}(\%)$
Class attendance and participation	70-100	10
Presentation	50-100	15
Portfolio	50-100	25
First mid-term exam	50-100	25
Second mid-term exam	50-100	25

FINAL ASSESSMENT		
Indicators checks - final exam (first and second examination date)	Performance Ai (%)	Grade ratio $k_{\rm i}(\%)$
Theoretical exam (written)	50 - 100	50
Previous activities	0 - 100	50

(include all continuous testing indicators)		
Indicators checks - final exam (third and fourth examination date)	Performance A _i (%)	Grade ratio $k_{\rm i}(\%)$
Theoretical exam (written)	50 - 100	50
Previous activities (include all continuous testing indicators)	0 - 100	50

PERFORMANCE AND GRADE		
Percentage	Criteria	Grade
50% - 62,4%	basic criteria met	sufficient (2)
62,5% - 74,9%	average performance with some errors	good (3)
75% - 87,4%	above average performance with minor errors	very good (4)
87,5% - 100%	outstanding performance	outstanding (5)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- knowledge of general English language at B1 level is needed
- at least 70% attendance for full-time students and 50% for part-time students is required.