

30268 - Technical English

Syllabus Information

Academic year: 2024/25

Subject: 30268 - Technical English

Faculty / School: 326 - Escuela Universitaria Politécnica de Teruel

Degree: 443 - Bachelor's Degree in Informatics Engineering

ECTS: 6.0

Year:

Semester: Second semester

Subject type: Optional

Module:

1. General information

The aim of this course is for the student to acquire the necessary competence to communicate appropriately and precisely in oral, written and graphic form, adapting to the audience and the purpose of the discourse in different professional and academic contexts. Develop appropriate strategies and techniques of oral and written communication in English in order to prepare, process, interpret and present data. English is the lingua franca in professional and academic communication. Discursive competence in English is a fundamental part of professional competence. Students of English language should be able to use English to carry out various types of activities related to their discipline and future career.

2. Learning results

- Communicate and transmit knowledge, skills and abilities.
- Work in a multidisciplinary group and in a multilingual environment.
- Use and express themselves in a second language.
- To learn continuously and develop autonomous learning strategies.
- Apply information and communication technologies.
- Write reports or documents in English.

3. Syllabus

- BLOCK 1. TERMINOLOGY AND SPECIFIC FUNCTIONS OF THE TECHNICAL FIELD.

Processes, materials, properties, functions and applications. Projects: technical specifications, graphics and trends. trends.

Information technologies, research and development.

BLOCK 2: WRITING AND COMPREHENSION OF PROFESSIONAL AND ACADEMIC DOCUMENTS (CV, letters, emails, etc.), emails, etc.)

BLOCK 3: ORAL COMMUNICATION IN PROFESSIONAL AND ACADEMIC CONTEXTS.

Oral presentations, English in other professional situations (telephone conversations, exchange of information, etc.), etc.).

4. Academic activities

- Participative master class: 30 hours. The contents of the course will be presented, with a practical orientation.
- Problems and cases: 30 hours. Sessions to solve practical cases posed by the teacher.
- Study of the subject; class preparation; practical activities: 86 hours.
- Evaluation tests: 4 hours

5. Assessment system

Students must demonstrate that they have achieved the expected learning outcomes by means of the following assessment activities

CONTINUOUS ASSESSMENT:

1. Written test (55%):

- Reading comprehension activities

- Listening comprehension activities
- Vocabulary activities and use of the foreign language or use of English.

Oral expression and interaction activities. Attention: 2. Oral test (15%): as this is an individualised test, it is held on different dates and at different times from the written test, for organisational reasons.

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3. Practical tasks (30%): Written and oral production activities.

OVERALL ASSESSMENT TEST:

1. Written test (70%):

- Reading comprehension activities
- Listening comprehension activities
- Written expression activities
- Vocabulary and use of English activities.

Speaking and interaction activities. Attention: 2. Oral test (30%): as this is an individualised test, for organisational reasons, if it cannot be taken together with the written test, it will take place on the date and at the time indicated by the teacher.

It will be compulsory to take all parts of the evaluation. In order to pass the subject, it will be necessary to obtain 50% of the total.

In the second sitting the tests and percentages are the same as in the first sitting (global assessment), but the student will only have to take the test that he/she will only have to take the test not passed in the first call, keeping the grade obtained in the test passed.

6. Sustainable Development Goals

4 - Quality Education