



**TEACHING ENGLISH FOR SPECIFIC
PURPOSES
(TESL-522)**

Course Code TESL-522	Course Title Teaching English for Specific Purposes (ESP)	Credits (ECTS) 10
Department Languages and Literature	Semester 2 nd	Prerequisites None
Type of Course Elective	Field Language teaching	Language of Instruction English
Level of Course Postgraduate 2 nd Cycle	Year of Study 1 st	Proposed Lecturers Dr Antroula Papakyriakou
Mode of delivery Dist. Learning and face-to-face	Work placement N/A	Co-requisites None

Objectives of the Course:

The course introduces students to theory and practice of developing courses for learners with specific professional purposes for learning a language. It introduces students to the basic principles and techniques in ESP course design. Participants look at practical aspects of the course design like syllabus, materials, methodology and assessment. Participants discuss also resources which can help the teacher, including electronic ones.

Learning Outcomes:

After completion of the course students are expected to be able to:

- Critically evaluate currently available materials,
- Define guidelines to adapt ESP teaching in a specific professional area,
- Develop lesson plans for ESP units,
- Develop assessment plans for an ESP course,
- Use resources for the design of an ESP course, including electronic ones.

Course Content:

Areas covered in the course include the following:

- What is ESP,
- The role of the ESP teacher,
- Main considerations in ESP course development,
- Course design and needs analysis for ESP,
- ESP materials design evaluation,
- ESP materials evaluation,
- ESP testing,
- Case studies in ESP course development

Teaching Methods:

Lectures, Forum Discussion, Question-answer sessions, Seminars

Assessment Methods:

Assignments, Midterm exam, Quizzes, Forum participation, Final examination

Required Textbooks:

Authors	Title	Publisher	Year	ISBN
Harding, K.	English for Specific Purposes (Teachers' Recourse Books)	Oxford University Press	2007	9780194425759

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Authors	Title	Publisher	Year	ISBN
D. Douglas	Assessing Languages for Specific Purposes	Cambridge University Press	2000	0521585430
Orr, T	English for Specific Purposes: Case Studies in TESOL Practice	VA: TESOL Press	2002	0939791951
Hutchinson, T. & Waters, A	English for Specific Purposes A learning-centered approach	Cambridge University Press	1987	0521 318378
Basturkmen, H.	Ideas and Options in English for Specific Purposes	Lawrence Erlbaum Associates	2006	080584418X
Dudley-Evans, T. & St. John, M.	Developments in English for Specific Purposes: A multi-disciplinary approach	Cambridge University Press	1998	0 521 596750

Arno Macia, E., Soler Cervera, A and Rueda Ramos, C.	Information Technology in Languages for Specific Purposes: Issues and Prospects (Educational Linguistics)	Springer	2010	9781441939470
Hall, D. & SGollin, S. M.	Language for Specific Purposes	Palgrave Macmillan	2011	140394640X