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Language :	English > French-friendly
Place of the course	Louvain-la-Neuve
Prerequisites	The <b>LANGL1882</b> course or any other equivalent course (reading skills roughly corresponding to Level <b>C1</b> (lower) of « the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages » and listening skills corresponding to Level <b>B2</b> (lower). <i>The prerequisite(s) for this Teaching Unit (Unité d'enseignement – UE) for the programmes/courses that offer this Teaching Unit are specified at the end of this sheet.</i>
Main themes	To reach these objectives, teaching activities will focus on the following topics: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• socializing ( introducing oneself, greeting, inviting, small talk, ')</li> <li>• meetings and negotiating: taking part in and chairing a meeting, debating, agreeing and disagreeing, convincing, concluding, '</li> <li>• presentation skills: presenting and defending a project., facts and figures, processes and cycles, graphs, '</li> <li>• giving/receiving a phone call</li> <li>• applying for a job: writing a CV and cover letter, leading up the job interview.</li> </ul>
Learning outcomes	<b>At the end of this learning unit, the student is able to :</b> By the end of this course students will be able to use general and field-related English in interactive communication situations such as those they will encounter in their future professional lives as bioengineers. A more short-term objective is to prepare them for the presentation of their final year dissertation in Master 2. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Speaking: level B2+ (upper intermediate)</li> <li>• Listening: level B2+ (upper intermediate), building on BAC1+2 courses</li> <li>• Reading: level C1 (upper intermediate to advanced), building on BAC1+2 courses</li> <li>• Writing: level B1-B2 (lower intermediate to intermediate)</li> </ul>
Evaluation methods	<b>Assessment in June</b> a) Participation (warm-up discussions, debates,...) 20% b) Presentation 20% c) CV 5% d) Cover letter 5% e) Meeting (group exam): 25% f) Job interview (individual exam): 25% <b>Assessment in September</b> a) Written report 20% b) Presentation 20% c) Cover letter 10% d) CV 10% e) Meeting 20% f) Job interview 20%
Teaching methods	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Interactive communication through classroom activities: debates, meetings, job interview,...</li> <li>• Exposure to a variety of real-life situations (scientific presentation, CV and cover letter, job interviews) requiring specific language functions.</li> <li>• Consolidation and improvement of grammar use, vocabulary accuracy as well as pronunciation.</li> <li>• Regular feedback to students.</li> <li>• Pairwork and small groups (conversation tables)</li> </ul>
Content	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Interaction in general and professional situations.</li> <li>• Participation in and management of debates and meetings.</li> <li>• Negotiation skills.</li> </ul>

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Inline resources	<a href="https://moodle.uclouvain.be/course/view.php?id=605">https://moodle.uclouvain.be/course/view.php?id=605</a>
Other infos	This course aims to promote the Transition and sustainable development.
Faculty or entity in charge	ILV

<b>Programmes containing this learning unit (UE)</b>				
Program title	Acronym	Credits	Prerequisite	Learning outcomes
Master [120] in Agriculture and Bio-industries	<a href="#">SAIV2M</a>	2		
Bachelor in Bioengineering	<a href="#">BIR1BA</a>	2	<a href="#">LANGL1882</a>	