

English for Academic Purposes 2

This course is for students who want to progress their skills in writing academic English.

Target group: BA English Studies (semesters 2, 4, 6.)

Description

This module focuses on the importance of accurate, efficient and well-structured writing to effectively communicate academic ideas and arguments. The module will present, discuss and analyse the main components of academic writing including style, genre, language, and structure, and demonstrate a variety of techniques associated with each feature. Students will apply these linguistic, stylistic and structural techniques to their own work to effectively and appropriately convey and support their ideas and arguments

Learning outcomes

By the end of this course, students should be able to:

- IDENTIFY, evaluate and use key components of academic writing;
- PRODUCE coherent and cohesive academic texts through the use of key writing strategies;
- DEVELOP and support an academic argument;

Prerequisites

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Evaluation

- Speaking, listening, writing and reading skills will be evaluated in task based activities
- Listening: key information from listening texts has to be understood (radio, TV, etc.)
- Reading: key information in (or answer questions to) a short reading texts has to be found
- Writing: simple texts are to summarized and simple text production
- Students will be evaluated on their active participation in the course, their regular homework (which can also be grammar or vocabulary exercises) and on their final test (written and spoken).

Registration

see study program concerned