

## Course description

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<b>Course name:</b>	Advanced English Conversation 2		
<b>Academic Year:</b>	2023/2024	<b>Printed:</b>	03.06.2024 07:55

<b>Department/Unit /</b>	UJP / AC2			<b>Academic Year</b>	2023/2024
<b>Title</b>	Advanced English Conversation 2			<b>Type of completion</b>	Pre-Exam Credit
<b>Accredited/Credits</b>	Yes, 2 Cred.			<b>Type of completion</b>	
<b>Number of hours</b>	Seminar 2 [Hours/Week]				
<b>Occ/max</b>	Status A	Status B	Status C	<b>Course credit prior to</b>	NO
<b>Summer semester</b>	0 / -	1 / -	3 / -	<b>Counted into average</b>	NO
<b>Winter semester</b>	0 / -	0 / -	0 / -	<b>Min. (B+C) students</b>	15
<b>Timetable</b>	Yes			<b>Repeated registration</b>	NO
<b>Language of instruction</b>	English			<b>Semester taught</b>	Summer semester
<b>Optional course</b>	Yes			<b>Internship duration</b>	0
<b>Evaluation scale</b>	S N				
<b>No. of hours of on-premise</b>					
<b>Auto acc. of credit</b>	Yes in the case of a previous evaluation 4 nebo nic.				
<b>Periodicity</b>	K				
<b>Substituted course</b>	CJP/AC2				
<b>Preclusive courses</b>	N/A				
<b>Prerequisite courses</b>	N/A				
<b>Informally recommended courses</b>	N/A				
<b>Courses depending on this Course</b>	N/A				

### Course objectives:

The purpose of this course is to provide students with an opportunity to continue using and improving their English speaking skills in a variety of discussions and other speaking activities. Courses AC and AC2 can be taken in any order, as the topics do not overlap.

### Requirements on student

Participation in at least 70% of speaking activities  
Preparation for activities as assigned by teacher

### Content

Week 1  
Main Activity - Introduction to the course; informal conversation  
Language Functions - Greetings

Week 2  
Main Activity - Pair conversations and introductions  
Language Functions - Offers

Week 3  
Main Activity - Discussion: Animal Rights  
Language Functions - Interruptions

Week 4  
Main Activity - Book or film review  
Language Functions - Recommendations

## Week 5

Main Activity - Discussion on topical issue; Human body and movements

Language Functions - Nonverbal communication

## Week 6

Main Activity - News reports

Language Functions - Invitations

## Week 7

Main Activity - Discussion on topical issue

Language Functions - Borrowing &amp; lending

## Week 8

Main Activity - Moral dilemma activity

Language Functions - Apologies &amp; excuses

## Week 9

Main Activity - Discussion: Crime and Punishment

Language Functions - Accusations &amp; denials

## Week 10

Main Activity - Report on department

Language Functions - Expressing surprise

## Week 11

Main Activity - Discussion on topical issue

Language Functions - Compliments &amp; criticisms

## Week 12

Main Activity - Future plans: expectations for career and other aspects of life

Language Functions - Saying good-bye

## Fields of study

## Guarantors and lecturers

- **Guarantors:** Peter Joel Watson (100%)
- **Tutorial lecturer:** Joan DeForeest, M.A. (100%)
- **Seminar lecturer:** Joan DeForeest, M.A. (100%), Peter Joel Watson (100%)

## Literature

- **Basic:** Wallwork, Adrian. *Discussions A-Z : a resource book of speaking activities : advanced*. Cambridge : Cambridge University Press, 1997. ISBN 0-521-55979-0.
- **Basic:** DeForeest, Joan. *Good Discussion and Natural English Interaction*. Plzeň, 2005. ISBN 80-86898-46-6.
- **Recommended:** PORTER, Gillian. *Role Play*. Oxford University Press, 1991.

## Time requirements

## All forms of study

Activities	Time requirements for activity [h]
Contact hours	26

Total:

26

**assessment methods****Knowledge - knowledge achieved by taking this course are verified by the following means:**

Skills demonstration during practicum

Oral Exam

**Skills - skills achieved by taking this course are verified by the following means:**

Skills demonstration during practicum

Oral exam

**Competences - competence achieved by taking this course are verified by the following means:**

Oral Exam

**prerequisite****Knowledge - students are expected to possess the following knowledge before the course commences to finish it successfully:**

Language competence at minimum B1 level of Common European Framework for Languages

be sure to control all verb tenses in simple and continuous form

use modal verbs correctly

create survey and supplementary questions, including questions on the subject

to form a passive voice

form relative clauses

form conditional sentences

master time and place prepositions and prepositional phrases

use indirect speech

step up adjectives

use conjunctions - adverbs, prepositions and conjunctions

use members correctly

use phrasal verbs and idiomatic expressions

use vocabulary when communicating in everyday situations

use common conversational phrases and phrases

choose appropriate linguistic means for expressing one's own opinions and arguments

use correct pronunciation and intonation

**Skills - students are expected to possess the following skills before the course commences to finish it successfully:**

to speak fluently and clearly on general conversational topics

describe your experiences, feelings and impressions

tell a continuous story or plot

formulate and justify clearly their views and attitudes

engage appropriately in a discussion, respond promptly, and contribute to interaction with others

**Competences - students are expected to possess the following competences before the course commences to finish it successfully:**

N/A

**teaching methods****Knowledge - the following training methods are used to achieve the required knowledge:**

Practicum

Multimedia supported teaching

Individual study

group and individual conversation

**Skills - the following training methods are used to achieve the required skills:**

Practicum

Collaborative instruction

Discussion  
Individual study  
group and individual conversation

#### Competences - the following training methods are used to achieve the required competences:

group and individual conversation

#### learning outcomes

##### Knowledge - knowledge resulting from the course:

use all common verb tenses with more certainty  
use more established phrases - collocations  
use more advanced conjunctions - adverbs, prepositions and conjunctions  
use phrasal verbs  
use idiomatic expressions  
use more advanced linguistic means to express opinions and arguments

##### Skills - skills resulting from the course:

to express with greater certainty about general but also more complex topics  
engage more confidently in discussions  
better to defend their views  
respond appropriately to the views of others  
to agree and disagree  
express appropriately criticism and praise  
express an apology  
express surprise

##### Competences - competences resulting from the course:

N/A

#### Course is included in study programmes:

Study Programme	Type of	Form of	Branch	Stage	St. plan v.	Year	Block	Status	R.year	R.
Mathematics	Postgraduate Master	Full-time	Training Teachers of Mathematics at Higher Secondary Schools	1	2018	2023	Cizí jazyky	B	2	LS
Mathematics and its Applications	Postgraduate Master	Full-time	Diskrétní matematika a algebra	1	2018	2023	Language Module	B	2	LS
Mathematics and its Applications	Postgraduate Master	Full-time	Geometrie a geometrické modelování	1	2018	2023	Language Module	B	2	LS
Mathematics and its Applications	Postgraduate Master	Full-time	Matematická analýza a numerická matematika	1	2018	2023	Language Module	B	2	LS
Mathematics and its Applications	Postgraduate Master	Full-time	Matematika a její aplikace	1	2018	2023	Language Module	B	2	LS
Mathematics for Business Studies	Postgraduate Master	Full-time	Matematika a finanční studia	1	2018	2023	Cizí jazyk	B	1	LS
Mathematics for Business Studies	Postgraduate Master	Full-time	Matematika a finanční studia	1	2023	2023	Cizí jazyk	B	1	LS
Učitelství fyziky pro střední školy	Postgraduate Master	Full-time	Secondary School Education Physics - Maior	1	2020	2023	Cizí jazyky	B	2	LS
Učitelství fyziky pro střední školy	Postgraduate Master	Full-time	Secondary School Education Physics - Maior	1	2022	2023	Cizí jazyky	B	2	LS
Učitelství fyziky pro střední školy	Postgraduate Master	Full-time	Secondary School Education Physics - Maior	1	2023	2023	Cizí jazyky	B	2	LS
Učitelství matematiky pro střední školy	Postgraduate Master	Full-time	Secondary School Education Mathematics - Maior	1	2020	2023	Cizí jazyky	B	2	LS
Applied Physics and Physical Engineering	Postgraduate Master	Full-time	Aplikovaná fyzika a fyzikální inženýrství	1	2019	2023	Volitelné předměty (typ C) - doporučené	C	2	LS

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Applied Physics and Physical Engineering	Postgraduate Master	Full-time	Aplikovaná fyzika a fyzikální inženýrství	1	2023	2023	Volitelné předměty (typ C) - doporučené	C	2	LS

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