POZNAN UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY

EUROPEAN CREDIT TRANSFER AND ACCUMULATION SYSTEM (ECTS)

COURSE DESCRIPTION CARD - SYLLABUS

Course name

English [N1ZiIP2>JA1]

Course

Field of study Year/Semester

Management and Production Engineering 1/2

Area of study (specialization) Profile of study

general academic

Level of study Course offered in

first-cycle Polish

Form of study Requirements

elective part-time

Number of hours

Lecture Laboratory classes Other 0

Tutorials Projects/seminars

40

Number of credit points

5,00

Coordinators Lecturers

Prerequisites

The student has language competence compatible with level B1, according to the description of language proficiency levels (CEFR). The student has mastered the grammatical structures and general vocabulary required on the high school graduation exam with regard of productive and receptive skills. The student has the ability to work individually and in a team. The student has the ability to apply various sources of available information.

Course objective

Improving students" language competence to the minimum level of B2 (CEFR). Developing the skills of effective use of the academic language and a specialist language appropriate for a given area in four language skills. Improving the skills of working with technical texts on technical issues (familiarizing students with the basic translation techniques). Improving the ability to function on the international labor market and in everyday life.

Course-related learning outcomes

Knowledge:

The student:

- knows the technical vocabulary related to the following issues: maths, graphs, working life, projects, customers, services, facilities, teams work, logistics.

- knows the terms, phenomenons and processes associated with them, characteristic of the area of Management and Production Engineering,

Skills:

- is able to carry out business correspondence in a foreign language,
- is able to make a presentation in a foreign language on a technical or popular science topic,
- is able to speak on general topics and present technical issues, using the appropriate vocabulary and using appropriate grammatical structures

Social competences:

- is aware of cultural differences in behavior (especially those occurring during business and private conversations in a foreign language)
- is aware of the importance of the ability for communicate effectively in a foreign language, useful in a professional environment and in typical everyday situations.

Methods for verifying learning outcomes and assessment criteria

Learning outcomes presented above are verified as follows:

Learning outcomes presented above are verified as follows: Formative assessment: - current assessment during classes (based on presentations and essays prepared by the student, colloquiums and tests), Summative assessment: - an average of the grades obtained during tutorials.

Assignment of grades to percentage ranges of results: <90-100> very good; <80-90) good plus; <70-80) good; <60-70) satisfactory plus; <50-60) satisfactory; <0-50) unsatisfactory.

Programme content

Business English: working-life, employment, management of people and operations, business and tech trends, teamwork, soft skills for professional life, managerial skills

Course topics

1. Maths and graphs 2. Working life • Company structure, range of activities of various departments • Status in an organisation • Socializing and networking 3. Projects • Talking about projects • Updating and delegating tasks • Talking about current projects • Developing a new product 4. Managing conflicts 5. Services and systems • Establishing services and systems • Explaining how something works 6. Customers • Customer service in operation • Managing customer feedback 7. Working together • Team work • Encouraging people

Teaching methods

Feeding methods: work with textbook, work with online text (professional articles). Problem solving methods: case study, brain- storming, metoda inscenizacyjna, SWOT, role play, language games). Practical methods (grammar and vocabulary exercises, translations, presentations, essays writing). Discussion (Oxford debates, dialogues in pairs). Exposing methods (drama, film, auditions)

Bibliography

Basic:

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Additional:

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Grzegożek, M. / Starmach, I. 2004. English for Environmental Engineering. Politechnika Krakowska. Kucharska-Raczunas, A. / Maciejewska, J. 2009. English for Mathematics. Politechnika Gdańska. Cook R. / Pedretti M. 2008. Success with BEC. Summertown Publishing.

Breakdown of average student's workload

	Hours	ECTS
Total workload	125	5,00
Classes requiring direct contact with the teacher	40	1,50
Student's own work (literature studies, preparation for laboratory classes/ tutorials, preparation for tests/exam, project preparation)	85	3,50