



ERASMUS+ INCOMING STUDENTS COURSE CATALOGUE

Department of Italian Language and Literature

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General information		
Course instructor	Michele Cortelazzo, Ph.D.	
Name of the course	Linguaggi settoriali della lingua italiana	
Study programme	Graduate study programme in Italian Language and Literature – teaching track	
Status of the course	Elective	
Year of study	1 st	
ECTS credits and manner of instruction	ECTS credits	3
	Number of class hours (Lectures + Exercises + Seminars)	30+15+0

1. COURSE DESCRIPTION

1.1. Course objectives

The aim of the course is to develop students' competence in reading, understanding and analyzing administrative/business texts and texts relating to economy and law, which are written in Italian. Students will deal with different types of economic texts (ranging from articles appearing in daily newspapers and providing an economic commentary to academic texts and concrete documents relating to business environment), communication texts, administrative acts, and normative texts.

1.2. Course enrolment requirements and entry competences required for the course

None.

1.3. Expected course learning outcomes

Upon completing the course and fulfilling their responsibilities, students will be able to:
identify the major characteristics of ISP (Italian for specific purposes) at different levels of popularity and expertise, and with regard to language changes;
fully understand and analyze different types of authentic economic, legal and administrative texts from the linguistic point of view and in terms of content;
producing specialized economic, legal or administrative documents that reflect different levels of complexity.

1.4. Course content

The history of economic, administrative and legal language
Typologies and the linguistic features of economic, administrative and legal texts
Exercises in analyzing and discussing authentic economic, administrative and legal texts
Exercises in writing economic, administrative and legal texts
Since there is a wide range of topics, the course will only cover certain aspects of LSP (language for specific purposes).

1.5. Manner of instruction

- ✓ Lectures
- ✓ Exercises
- ✓ Individual assignments
- ✓ Other: consultations