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**THE LANGUAGE CENTRE**

Course description

This course develops skills in all four language activities required to act successfully in an English-speaking engineering environment. Students are prepared to deal with topics relevant to engineering such as processes, planning, agreements, or testing. Additionally, students learn essential presenting skills that help them prepare and deliver effective presentations.

Teaching materials

Bonamy D., Technical English 4 (Course Book), Pearson Longman, ISBN 978-1-4082-2955-2

Requirements

Successful completion of B2 English in Engineering Part 1

Examinable components

- ▶ Active participation in at least 75% of all classes and submission of assignments
- ▶ 10 min. presentation on a piece of news from the world of engineering with subsequent discussion
- ▶ Final written test (marked)

Learning Content

- ▶ Development of reading comprehension skills, applying different reading techniques
- ▶ Development of writing skills - production of different text types (definitions, test report)
- ▶ Development of oral communication skills (giving a presentation on a piece of news from the world of engineering with subsequent discussion)
- ▶ Revision and consolidation of linguistic devices expressing cause–effect or different degrees of certainty
- ▶ Revision and consolidation of grammatical structures (use of future tenses, active – passive voice, hyphenated attributive adjectives (a 20-by-17-metre shake table) etc.)

Schedule & Credit Points

- ▶ Part 2 of the two-semester “English in Engineering” programme
- ▶ 90 min/week (2 SWS)
- ▶ Offered every semester
- ▶ Credit points according to the relevant degree programme and exam regulations

Target Group

Open to all students of engineering

#### Remarks on Registration

- ▶ Registration only via <https://sprachenzentrum.ovgu.de> (see dates there)
- ▶ Before the actual enrolment, all students will be put on a waiting list. Places will be assigned in due course. You will receive an automated email informing you about the status of your course enrolment.

#### Contact

General enquiries

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#### Course registration

Available courses

Department Coordinators

#### **Refresher Courses**

##### **Specific Purposes**

› Nancy Wiesmann

##### **Language Proficiency Tests**

› Stefanie Conradi

##### **UNICert® III**

› Robert Segrott

##### **Academic Skills**

##### **UNICert® IV**

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#### Course fees



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