

Module description

Field of study: *Business, Management and Services*

Degree course: *Bachelor of Science HES-SO in International Business Management*

1. Title of module	Languages III	2018-19
Code: 3086	Type of course: (Compulsory – 1 possible response) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bachelor's <input type="checkbox"/> Master's <input type="checkbox"/> MAS <input type="checkbox"/> DAS <input type="checkbox"/> CAS <input type="checkbox"/> Other: ...	
Level: (Optional – 1 possible response) <input type="checkbox"/> Basic module <input type="checkbox"/> Further studies module <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Advanced module <input type="checkbox"/> Specialised module <input type="checkbox"/> Other: ...	Characteristic: (Optional – 1 possible response) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Module where failure may lead to final dismissal from the degree course in accordance with Art.25 of the Framework directives on the Bachelor and Master degrees at the HES-SO	
Type: (Optional – 1 possible response) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Main module <input type="checkbox"/> Module linked to main module <input type="checkbox"/> Optional or subsidiary module <input type="checkbox"/> Other: ...	Time schedule: (Optional – multiple responses possible) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Module over 1 semester <input type="checkbox"/> Module over 2 semesters <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Spring semester <input type="checkbox"/> Autumn semester <input type="checkbox"/> Other: ...	

2. Organisation

ECTS credits 2

Language:
(Compulsory – multiple responses possible)

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> French	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Italian
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> German	<input type="checkbox"/> English
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other: Spanish	

3. Prerequisite

(Compulsory – 1 possible response)

- To have validated the module
 To have followed the module
 No prerequisite
 Other: to have validated the first-year assessment. In addition, a certain level may be required for some languages: B1 basic

4. Skills to be gained / general learning objectives

(Compulsory – write in as required)

At the end of this module, the students have to :

handle the most of the skills in Listening, Speaking, Reading and Writing, corresponding to level **B2** – related to **economics** –, such as defined by the *Common European Framework of Reference for Languages*.

Thus students can “understand the main ideas of complex text on both concrete and abstract topics, including technical discussions in his/her field of specialisation ; interact with a degree of fluency and spontaneity that makes regular interaction with native speakers quite possible without strain for either party ; produce clear, detailed text on a wide range of subjects and explain a viewpoint on a topical issue giving the advantages and disadvantages of various options.”

(Cadre européen commun de référence pour les langues : apprendre, enseigner, évaluer. Paris, Didier, 2001, p 25. (en ligne : http://www.coe.int/t/dg4/linguistic/Source/Framework_FR.pdf ; English : http://www.coe.int/t/dg4/education/elp/elp-reg/Source/Global_scale/globalscale.pdf)

5. Teaching and content

(Compulsory – write in as required)

Topics and vocabulary : Students will learn a wide economic vocabulary studying economic topics based on documents up to date issued by different media. Complementary political and socio-cultural topics will be studied.

Grammar : Consolidating of grammar skills on Level **B2**.

6. Assessment and validation methods

(Compulsory – write in as required)

The grading of the module shall be based on:

- Mid-term assessments during weeks 1 to 14 according to decision of the coordination of the module.

(The methods and weightings are communicated by the professor before the evaluations.)

7. Reassessment requirements

(Compulsory – multiple responses possible)

- Reassessment possible
 No reassessment
 Other (please specify): ...

other reassessment modalities

Reassessment if the module grade is between 3.5 (included) and 3.9 (included).

After reassessment, the maximum grade is 4.0

7a Reassessment requirements (if module is repeated)

(Compulsory – multiple responses possible)

- Reassessment possible
 No reassessment
 Other (please specify): ...

8. Remarks

(Optional – write in as required)

9. Bibliography

(Optional – write in as required)

10. Teaching staff

Various instructors

Name of the person responsible for the module:

Stefan Schoettke

Module description validated on

(Compulsory)

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