



Course Title: EFL 313, English for Presentations

Instructor: Justin Foster-Sutherland

Schedule: Fridays at 9:00pm

Duration: May 7th to August 2nd , 2019

Room: Lab2 C600b

English Level: Upper Intermediate

Note: This is the continuation of EFL 312: English for Presentations. You may register for this course even if you have not taken the previous course.

Course Components:

This course will use *Oxford English for Presentations* as a text. In this semester we plan to cover Units 5&6.

Grammar: Grammar topics for this semester will all be related to summarizing, making recommendations, asking polite questions and reforming questions.

Speaking: This class is focused on presenting. Expect to spend 50% of the time in class communicating in English with your peers and sharing opinions. All learning activities, including grammar, vocabulary, writing, and presentations are structured in such a way to maximize student speaking time. Students will make presentations in front of their peers on a weekly basis.

Listening: Listening skills will be developed using authentic audio-visual materials to gather overall ideas and specific information.

Vocabulary: Participants' general and business-related English vocabulary will be expanded throughout the course via in-class activities. In this semester students will learn vocabulary related to concluding a presentation and handling a question and answer session.

Homework: Most classes will require students to update their presentations. If the homework involves extensive writing, or at the students' request, I will collect it and mark it. All other homework is for the students' benefit and will not be collected.

Assessment Plan: Participants will be evaluated through a variety of in-class activities, presentations and homework assignments throughout the course, and be assessed upon completion. Attendance and class participation are essential to success in this course.