

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

2024-25

Code:
3086

Type of course:

Bachelor's Master's MAS DAS CAS Other: ...

Level:

- Basic module
 Further studies module
 Advanced module
 Specialised module
 Other: ...

Characteristic:

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:

- Main module
 Module linked to main module
 Optional or subsidiary module
 Other: ...

Time schedule:

- Module over 1 semester
 Module over 2 semesters
 Spring semester
 Autumn semester
 Other: ...

2. Organisation

ECTS credits 2

Language:

- French Italian
 German English
 Other: Spanish

3. Prerequisite

- 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

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.)

5. Teaching and content

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

Each course syllabus available on the moodle platform Cyberlearn describes the assessment and validation methods.

7. Reassessment requirements

- 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)

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