

SYLLABUS ENGLISH EMPOWERMENT IGS

Mod 64-22

INTRODUCTION

LEARNING OBJECTIVES:

- 1) To give language support to the Cybersecurity course (comprehension, vocabulary)
- 2) To improve the ability to communicate orally in English in a wide range of business and IT-related situations.
- 3) To develop essential business communication skills such as
 - ***presentation skills (exam)***
 - *reading skills*
 - *speaking skills*
 - *listening skills*
 - *vocabulary and grammar skills*
- 4) To develop interpersonal skills such as
 - **public speaking (exam)**
 - active listening
 - critical thinking
 - decision making
 - teamwork
 - negotiation
 - assertiveness

DOCUMENTS:

- Course Material
- Cybersecurity courses
- Authentic interviews and videos with businesspeople
- Authentic articles on IT and business-related topics

ATTENDANCE:

- **Week 1-14:** Mandatory every week for students having a B2 or lower level (cf. test module 1)
- Students with a C1 level: exempted (strongly recommended to attend the 1st courses).

EVALUATION: week 15

- Presentation skills and English assessed during the “Cybersecurity” end-of-the year presentation.

REFERENCES

- Market Leader Upper Intermediate. 3rd Edition Extra. Pearson.
- Oxford English for Information Technology. Oxford University Press

SYLLABUS

I- Cybersecurity course support

English: [GIVING PRESENTATIONS](#)

- Presentation techniques
- Listening comprehension
- Steve Jobs presentations
- Link words
- Writing e-mails

II- Cybersecurity course support

English: [CYBERSECURITY](#)

- Cybersecurity and definition of a virus
- Common computer crimes
- Listening comprehension: Ex-hacker interview.
- Phrasal verbs in Cybersecurity
- Taking part in meetings
- Present and past tenses

III- Cybersecurity course support

English: [RISK](#)

- Vocabulary used with the word “risk”
- Listening comprehension
- Risk analysis
- Role play

IV- Cybersecurity course support

English: [SOCIAL ENGINEERING](#)

- Social engineering definition, goals and prevention
- Types of attacks
- Grammar: passive
- Role play

V- Cybersecurity course support

English: [E-COMMERCE](#)

- History of e-commerce
- Describing graphs
- Grammar: conditionals
- Role play