

Science Communication in English

UGAS common course	1 Credit
<p>Brief description</p> <p><Objectives> Students develop/improve their verbal and non-verbal communication capability with basic English skills that scientists need to acquire (writing papers, giving presentations, making posters, discussing in English etc.) through interactive discussion, videos and lectures by the instructor (a native speaker of English or an instructor with a native level of English ability) and practical exercises by students in a friendly atmosphere.</p> <p><Lecture outline> The instructor visits each of the four constituent universities and provides the intensive lectures for 3 days in total. Some lectures and exercises are provided to students in all universities by the satellite lecture system. The intensive course contains active learning style (bi-directional lectures). Details of the classes will be announced to students by the UGAS Website when everything is determined.</p>	
<p>Grading</p> <p>Evaluation will be based on written assignments, presentations and participation in class.</p>	
<p>Special instructions</p> <p>Students should meet the following conditions to obtain the credit.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) More than 1 presentation must be given. 2) Students must attend all of the intensive lectures (three days) held at a constituent university. Attendance for at least one more Day 3 class from one of the three other universities (only morning time, via teleconference) is also required. 3) Students will be expected to provide comments on oral and poster presentations of other students. This will contribute toward grade evaluation and the comments will be given to the author of the work as feedback. <p>Note: Science Communication in English is provided at each semester (i.e., twice a year). Students can take one credit when they complete this class and only one credit must be included in the degree requirements (with the consent of the instructor, student may take this class as many times as possible but no additional credits are given even if students take this class over two times while they enroll at UGAS).</p>	

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