



Subject card

Subject name and code	English Language II, PG_00047370						
Field of study	Automatic Control, Cybernetics and Robotics						
Date of commencement of studies	February 2023	Academic year of realisation of subject			2023/2024		
Education level	second-cycle studies	Subject group			Obligatory subject group in the field of study		
Mode of study	Full-time studies	Mode of delivery			at the university		
Year of study	1	Language of instruction			English		
Semester of study	2	ECTS credits			2.0		
Learning profile	general academic profile	Assessment form			assessment		
Conducting unit	Language Centre -> Vice-Rector for Education						
Name and surname of lecturer (lecturers)	Subject supervisor	mgr Joanna Pawlik					
	Teachers	mgr Agnieszka Kamińska mgr Aleksandra Lis mgr Joanna Pawlik mgr Katarzyna Orłowska					
Lesson types and methods of instruction	Lesson type	Lecture	Tutorial	Laboratory	Project	Seminar	SUM
	Number of study hours	0.0	30.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	30
	E-learning hours included: 0.0						
Learning activity and number of study hours	Learning activity	Participation in didactic classes included in study plan	Participation in consultation hours		Self-study	SUM	
	Number of study hours	30	2.0		18.0	50	
Subject objectives	The aim of the course is to develop the ability to use English effectively in the academic and professional environments.						

Learning outcomes	Course outcome	Subject outcome	Method of verification
	[K7_U82] is able to proficiently obtain and process information related to field of study and academic environment in foreign language at B2+ level of the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR)	Students will be able to: gain information from various sources without infringing copyright; communicate in English regarding the fields of control engineering, cybernetics and robotics and academic environment.	[SU3] Assessment of ability to use knowledge gained from the subject
	[K7_K82] is equipped to participate actively in lectures, seminars and laboratory classes conducted in foreign language	Students will be able to: communicate in an academic and professional environment; understand specialist literature and technical instructions; understand speeches and lectures.	[SK1] Assessment of group work skills [SK4] Assessment of communication skills, including language correctness
	[K7_W81] has knowledge of complex grammatical structures and diverse lexical resources needed to communicate in foreign language in terms of general and specialist language related to field of study	Students will be able to: use specialist vocabulary in speaking and writing; understand, analyse and translate technical texts written in English; use formal English; write abstracts, summaries, instructions and manuals, reports, covering letters, CV profiles as well as describe graphs, charts and processes; prepare and give a presentation.	[SW2] Assessment of knowledge contained in presentation
	[K7_U81] is able to communicate with ease in foreign language at B2+ level of the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR) in everyday life, in academic and professional environments	Students will be able to communicate in English at university, in the workplace and in everyday English.	[SU3] Assessment of ability to use knowledge gained from the subject
	[K7_K81] is able to cooperate in international team at her/his own university, during work placement and during study abroad	Students will be able to: communicate in English at university and in other environments and collaborate to produce an international group project.	[SK1] Assessment of group work skills [SK4] Assessment of communication skills, including language correctness
Subject contents	<p>Vocabulary:</p> <p>Professional language development enhanced by scenario-based exercises, case studies, comprehension tasks, reading assignments, professional articles, vocabulary exercises contextualized in the fields of control engineering, cybernetics and robotics.</p> <p>Writing:</p> <p>Developing skills in writing various texts essential in the academic and work environments, including an abstract of an academic thesis, a report, a data analysis, a process description, a covering letter/personal statement, a formal letter and email. Developing writing techniques such as style and register, coherence and cohesion, using in-text references, paraphrasing.</p> <p>Listening and speaking:</p> <p>Developing listening comprehension and communication skills in the academic and work environments. Practising giving presentations and pitching an idea for a new product, participating in formal business meetings, videoconferences, negotiations and work performance appraisals. Developing intercultural awareness and critical thinking as well as the skills of team building, project and time management.</p> <p>Reading:</p> <p>Developing comprehension skills in reading academic and professional texts, with particular emphasis on critical reading, skimming and scanning, selecting and prioritising information, recognising and understanding implicit meanings, and note taking.</p>		
Prerequisites and co-requisites	Before joining a language group, students are expected to demonstrate language ability at level B2.		

Assessment methods and criteria	Subject passing criteria	Passing threshold	Percentage of the final grade
	presentation	60.0%	40.0%
	vocabulary tests	60.0%	30.0%
	writing	60.0%	30.0%
Recommended reading	Basic literature	Cambridge Academic English, CUP Cambridge English for Scientists, Upper - Intermediate, CUP Professional English in Use, CUP Dynamic Presentations, CUP	
	Supplementary literature	Business Vocabulary in Use, Advanced, CUP Intelligent Business, Advanced, Pearson Market Leader, Advanced, Pearson Academic English For Engineers, PL Academic publications, scientific and science magazine articles.	
	eResources addresses	Adresy na platformie eNauczanie:	
Example issues/ example questions/ tasks being completed	Writing a report Data analysis - describing a chart/table Developing intercultural awareness and critical and analytical thinking skills discussion-based activities (typologies of culture and impact of culture on work-related interactions, cross-cultural communication in the work context)		
Work placement	Not applicable		