

Planning and Quality Assurance Affairs

Form (A)

Course Specifications

General Information

Course name	Introduction to Translation
Course number	ENGL1301
Faculty	
Department	
Course type	Major Needs
Course level	1
Credit hours (theoretical)	3
Credit hours (practical)	0
Course Prerequisites	

Course Objectives

1 - Familiarize students with the concepts of equivalents and context
2 - Illustrate types of translations and translation strategies
3 - Translate English tenses and model verbs
4 - Practice multiple translation texts from English into Arabic and vice versa

Intended Learning Outcomes

Knowledge and Understanding	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Demonstrate a deep understanding of the concepts of equivalents and contexts * Practice different types of translations in both languages * Accurately translate the English tenses, the model verbs, the English article system, passive and causative
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Course Contents

1 - This course is designed to increase the student's vocabulary and to improve his/her understanding of syntax through translating various sentence forms from English into Arabic and vice versa. The course deals in depth with some of the linguistic problems that encounter the translator from one language into another. These activities should begin at a paragraph level.
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Teaching and Learning Methods

1 - Lecture (introducing topics in translation studies): theoretical foundation is presented in lecture format in the first classes of the semester. Other theoretical issues are discussed throughout the semester
2 - Workshop (in-class translation exercises): practical training is provided in workshops throughout the semester with feedback and discussions based on the theoretical foundation. Feedback is also provided on homework assignments and project work

Students Assessment

<u>Assessment Method</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>MARKS</u>
Mid-term Exam	1 Hour	30
Final Exam	2 Hours	40
Assignments1	1 Hour	10
Assignments2	1 Hour	10
Assignments3	1 Hour	10

Books and References

Course note	A course file: a selection of texts drawn from a variety of sources will be provided by the instructor.
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