

Academic Culture & Language Support

for students who speak English as an additional language

Graduate Communication Courses

10-week 2-credit courses for international graduate students to help build and refine English communication skills using materials and activities relevant to students' areas of study.

ESLG 1130 - Pronunciation for International Graduate Students

In this class, you will polish and refine your spoken English skills. Master the rhythm, stress, and intonation of American English and speak more clearly and confidently.

ESLG 1140 - Public Speaking for International Graduate Students

Improve your oral communication for effective academic, professional, and social interactions. Make presentations and impromptu speeches to prepare you for a leadership role.

ESLG 1210 - Academic Writing for International Graduate Students

Polish your structure and style, and refine sourcing skills for more effective written communication through assignments customized to your discipline.



Tutoring for Undergraduates

Free individual tutoring for international & domestic undergraduate students at CU Boulder

Topics we cover include:

- Pronunciation
- Reading
- Writing
- Grammar
- Public speaking
- Presentation skills
- Vocabulary
- Navigating the US classroom

Meetings can be in-person or on Zoom. In person sessions meet on campus.

Graduate Conversation Workshops

Confident Conversations

Free for international graduate students at CU Boulder to help build confidence in professional communication

Topics:

- *Delivering Your Professional Pitch*
- *Meaningful Interactions*
- *Breaking the Ice with Small Talk*
- *Recognizing Your Peers: offering condolences, compliments and well wishes*

Undergraduate Communication Courses

Offered in collaboration with the Department of Linguistics, these 3-credit courses satisfy elective credit for undergraduate degree completion

LING 3210 - English for Academic Purposes

Sharpen your academic English skills to express ideas more clearly, both orally and in writing, while engaging critically in class discussions, and giving presentations. Improve grammatical accuracy, develop vocabulary, and refine critical thinking skills.

LING 3200 Academic Oral Communication in English

Strengthen your communication skills for effective academic interactions while giving presentations and leading and participating in group discussions. Learn strategies for interrupting, hedging, and responding to questions, all while polishing your pronunciation.



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