

Course Syllabus

1. **Name of Curriculum:** French Minor
Faculty/Institute/College: Mahidol University International College
 Mahidol University
2. **Course Code:** ICLF 330 **Course name:** Intermediate French: Oral Skills A
3. **Number of Credits:** 4 (4-0)
4. **Prerequisite:** ICLF 320 Intermediate French: Written Skills A
5. **Type of Course:** Required
6. **Trimester / Academic Year:**
 Trimester 1 or 2 / Every year
7. **Course Description:**
 Concentrates on the analysis of various audio documents—such as TV and radio broadcast, plays and films—and the production of similar documents, in order to prepare the students for the oral skill part of a standard intermediate level proficiency test.
8. **Course Objectives:**
 At the end of the course, the students will master the following specific oral skills:
 - Describe a person and a place;
 - Narrate a sequence of events;
 - Develop a short argumentative oral presentation (using examples, cause and effect, hypothesis, refutation, etc);
 - Listen to, understand and summarize orally similar types of audio documents.
 - Prepare and succeed the French DELF exam B1
9. **Course Outline:**

Week	Topic		Instructor
	Lecture / Seminar	Hours	
1.	<i>Presentation of the course</i> Description	2 x 1h50	Assigned section instructor.
2.	Description	2 x 1h50	"
3.	Description <i>Quiz 1.</i>	2 x 1h50	"
4.	Narration	2 x 1h50	"
5.	Narration	2 x 1h50	"
6.	Narration <i>Quiz 2.</i>	2 x 1h50	"
7.	Argumentation	2 x 1h50	"
8.	Argumentation	2 x 1h50	"
9.	Argumentation	2 x 1h50	"
10.	Argumentation <i>Formal oral evaluation.</i>	2 x 1h50	"
11.	<i>Review.</i>	2 x 1h50	"
	Total	40	

N.B. The coordinator reserves the right to change topics when appropriate.

10. Teaching Methods

Lecture;
Practical exercises and activities.

11. Teaching Media

CD Rom.
Computerized audiovisual materials.

12. Course Achievement

MUIC standard grading criteria: 90% and above will have grade A.

13. Course Evaluation

1. 2 quizzes + oral evaluations 50%;
2. Final Examination 50%.

14. References

Common European Framework of Reference for Languages, www.coe.int

15. Instructors

Mr. Bruno Mahon.

16. Course Coordinator

Mr. Bruno Mahon.