

Course title: Spanish language

Course code: SP1061 (A), SP1064 (B)

Type of course: compulsory

Level of course: BA

Year of study: 3rd

Semester: 6th

Number of ECTS credits allocated: 5/5

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Obiectivul cursului: Familiarize students with the characteristics of the colloquial Spanish and the diversity of idioms. An interactive approach aiming at improving students' skills for coherent argumentation, fluency in speaking and intervention strategies (opportunity, negotiation...).

Course contents: The presentation of the characteristics of the colloquial Spanish (dialogues, spontaneity, lack of reflexive formalisation, the separation from the syntactic forms of the literary language, the emergence of idiolects, "the lexical poverty", the presence of an *I* and *you*, the presence of deictic elements, the tendency to a "linguistic economy", the presence of paralinguistic factors, the preponderance of the expressive function of language) and the diversity of idioms in reference with cultural aspects and various thematic fields.

Recommended reading: Beinhauer, Werner, *El español coloquial*, Biblioteca Románica Hispánica, Editorial Gredos, Madrid, 1991; Cascón Martín, Eugenio, *Español coloquial. Rasgos, formas y fraseología de la lengua diaria*, 2a edición ampliada, Editorial Edinumen, Madrid, 2000; De Oliveira Silva, María Eugenia, *Ni da igual, ni da lo mismo. Para conocer y usar las locuciones verbales en el aula de español*, Editorial Edinumen, Madrid, 2006; Lorenzo, Emilio, *El español de hoy, lengua en ebullición*, Biblioteca Románica Hispánica, Editorial Gredos, Madrid, 1980; Miranda, José Alberto, *Usos coloquiales del español*, 2a edición, Ediciones Colegio de España, Salamanca, 1998; Prieto Grande, María, *Hablando en plata, Modismos y metáforas culturales*, Editorial Edinumen, Madrid, 2007

Teaching methods: lectures, interactive approaches, practical exercises

Assessment methods: (a) ongoing evaluation; (b) final written examination

Language of instruction: Spanish