

電気通信大学 平成17年度シラバス

授業科目名	英語演習		
英文授業科目名	Intermediate Seminars in English		
開講年度	2005年度	開講年次	2年次
開講学期	4学期	開講コース・課程	昼間コース
授業の方法		単位数	2
科目区分	総合文化科目-言語文化科目-言語文化演習科目		
開講学科・専攻	情報通信工学科 情報工学科 電子工学科 量子・物質工学科 知能機械工学科 システム工学科 人間コミュニケーション学科		
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【主題および達成目標】
The topic of this seminar is the Vietnam War, or as it is called in Vietnam, the American War. We will use English to study, discuss, and critically evaluate the history of this war. In the process, students will not only learn history, but will also improve their ability to understand and use written and spoken English in an academic context.

【前もって履修しておくべき科目】
English A, English B, English C, English D

【前もって履修しておくことが望ましい科目】

【教科書等】

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【授業内容とその進め方】

Readings will be assigned as homework each week. During class, I will lecture and answer students' questions about the material covered in the assigned reading. In addition to gaining factual knowledge about the Vietnam War, one purpose of the reading assignments and related lectures is for students to develop their ability to understand written and spoken English as used in an academic context. Class time will also be devoted to group and class discussions based on the reading homework and class lectures. One purpose of these discussions is for the students to develop a critical perspective towards the reading material and towards the history of the Vietnam War. A second purpose is for the students to develop the skills necessary for participation in discussions in English. Students will be asked to keep a journal in which they will expand on the issues introduced in the reading assignments, lectures, and discussions. In addition to developing a critical perspective, one purpose of keeping a journal is for the students to gain facility with expressing themselves in written English. Finally, students will complete a group research project and a group presentation based on this project. This project and presentation will give students the opportunity to use and extend the knowledge they have gained about the Vietnam War and their growing proficiency with academic English.

【成績評価方法及び評価基準(最低達成基準を含む)】

Grades will be based on the following point system:

- active participation (including completion of reading homework and participation in group discussion), up to 20 points
- group research project and presentation, up to 50 points
- journals, up to 30 points

The maximum number of points is 100. Ten points will be deducted for each unexcused absence. Four points will be deducted for unexcused tardiness.

90-100 points 秀

80-89 points 優

70-79 points 良

60-69 points 可

0-59 points 不可

【オフィスアワー：授業相談】

火曜日、2時限（10時40分～12時10分）

However, I am often in my office and students may see me at other times as well.

【学生へのメッセージ】

This is an English seminar, but I am not planning to teach English. Instead, I will teach history. However, I will teach, and students will learn, through English. I believe that this type of class is one of the best ways to learn a foreign language. I also believe that the subject, history of the Vietnam War, is interesting and important.

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【その他】

Students will be required to read several pages of English almost every week. The reading is not very difficult, but it is not easy either. Students should not take this class unless they enjoy reading and are relatively confident in their ability to read English.