

Máster en Lingüística Inglesa: Nuevas aplicaciones y Comunicación Internacional (MLINACI)

ENGLISH AS AN INTERNATIONAL LANGUAGE AND INTERCULTURAL COMMUNICATION

Description

This module explores the role of English in a globalized context, covering a broad range of topics like historical development; varieties; standardization and EIL teaching; intercultural communicative competence; and presence in computer-mediated communication.

Contents

1. *Introduction: English in the world*
2. *The spread of English*
3. *World Englishes and English as a Lingua Franca*
4. *Teaching English as an International Language*
5. *Intercultural communication*
6. *Intercultural pragmatics and cognitive sociolinguistics*
7. *English and the Internet*
8. *The future of English as an International Language*

Objectives

The main aim is to familiarize students with the conceptual and terminological issues connected to the fast-growing relevance of English in intercultural communication and globalization, so that this knowledge can be subsequently applied in further academic and professional situations.

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