



Main Topic: Cultural differences and their observation. The course introduces to rules and conditions in different cultures and various media. We discuss differences and similarities in the spheres of eating and drinking, familiar life, politics, relations between men and women, but also in language and other cultural traits. Comparing basically patterns of human behaviour, the course helps to understand the roots and conditions of modern day culture.

→ **Important:** Every Student of the class has (in cooperation with classmates) to prepare a short presentation to introduce the given topic. The presentation should take 15 minutes and might use a wide range of media: PowerPoint; film-fragments; music, sounds, performances etc. It can be prepared and held together with other students, e.g. in groups. Material you can find on the Internet (wikipedia etc.) and in the library. Please choose a topic and write down your name in the registration formula.

→ Without presentation no graduation. → Absence: If you are more than two times absent, you will not get a grade.

開課班級	College of foreign languages and literatures	系, 所 (日、進、研) 年 班 Intercultural Issues	Wednesday, 16:10-18:00 T 310
學分數	學分 小時 (單、上、下學期 學分)	先修科目	
教學內容 及進度	週次	月/日	內 容
	第一週	2/20	Introduction – Cultural differences and their observation
	第二週	2/27	Eating and drinking
	第三週	3/5	Family life
	第四週	3/13	Politics: before the Presidential elections
	第五週	3/19	Boys and Girls; Men and Women
	第六週	3/26	Relaxing and traveling
	第七週	4/2	Socializing – Networking
	第八週	4/9	Future plans and strategies
	第九週	4/16	Taboos
	第十週	4/23	Mid-Term Examination
	第十一週	4/30	Symbol systems in different cultures and societies
	第十二週	5/7	Languages and styles of thinking
	第十三週	5/14	Money
	第十四週	5/21	Fashion and attraction
	第十五週	5/28	Learning and teaching
	第十六週	6/4	Memorizing and forgetting; saving and losing
	第十七週	6/11	Mass media and communication
第十八週	6/18	Preparation for the Final Examination	
	第十八週	6/25	期末考試週
講授方式	√ 課堂講授	√ 分組討論	參觀實習 其他 ()
教學設備	電腦	√ 投影機	
教材課本	Papers, PowerPoint-Presentation; Pictures and films; Material from the WWW et al.		
批改作業 篇數		備 註	本欄位僅適用於所授課程需批改作業之教師填寫。
成績考核 方式	Presentation in groups: 20%		Midterm-Examination: 30%
	Final Examination: 50%		
	Total : 100%		