



Teaching in English

Dates: 13.10. & 20.10.2021

Time / duration: 09:00 - 17:00 Uhr; 16 Stunden

Location: AD EG 19
Karlsplatz 13, 1040 Wien, Trakt AD, EG (ground floor)

Trainer: Anthony Copnall

Group size: min. 8 participants; max. 12 participants

Target group: all TU lecturers who teach in English

Learning outcomes:

By the end of the course, participants will have learnt to teach more confidently using English as a medium of instruction. This will include:

- using their linguistic skills more effectively to present and explain course content in individual contexts
- dealing with awkward situations in the teaching environment
- understanding and considering the additional linguistic and communicative requirements of the students

Content:

Amongst other things this workshop will focus on:

- Using appropriate language for describing processes and data and any other course content
- Providing instructions, explaining objectives and giving course details, including relevant higher education terminology
- Tips and advice on giving feedback and offering criticism
- Considerations for effective management of the learning environment
- Dealing with students' questions and answers
- Check-up on pronunciation and other language issues

Methods:

- Practical role-play tasks will be provided to give each participant ample opportunity to practise in a relaxed yet focussed way.
- Participants will be encouraged to work on and practise elements of their own individual teaching material and gain peer-feedback.
- The multi-stage workshop is designed to maximise the effect of regular practice.
- Constructive feedback will be provided with a focus on individual needs.
- A variety of exercise types will be offered, providing a stimulating and effective learning environment.