TEACHING OF ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE (TESL), CERTIFICATE

The Certificate in the Teaching of English as a Second Language (TESL) is a program of study designed for teachers and prospective teachers seeking competence in the teaching of English to speakers of other languages. The program combines upper division and graduate courses in English, linguistics and education. Courses completed as part of other programs of study may be applicable toward the certificate. Candidates must maintain a grade point average of 3.0 or better in the program.

Requirements

Prerequisites

1. **An acceptable baccalaureate degree from an accredited institution and a grade point average of 2.5 or better over the last 60 semester units attempted.**

2. **A minimum of one year's work in a foreign language.**

Code	Title	Hours
ENG 314	English Syntax: Traditional	3
ENG 486	ESL Teaching Methods	3
or ENG 586	ESL Teaching Methods	
ENG 311	Phonology	3
or ENG 312	Morphology	
Select two courses from the following:		6
ENG 487	Introduction to Second-Language Learning and Teaching	
ENG 581	Semantics, Pragmatics and Discourse	
ENG 585	Second Language Acquisition	
ENG 587	Seminar: Current Issues in TESL/Applied Linguistics	
ENG 588	Sem:Pedag Gram For TESOL	
Select a practicum with the prior approval of the TESL Coordinator		
Total Hours		**15**