

## COURSE: PRONUNCIATION WORKSHOP

<b>Language</b>	Spanish
<b>Level of Spanish required</b>	Beginner (or above)
<b>Hours of class</b>	22.5 hrs.
<b>Credits</b>	3 ECTS

### Course description

The main aim of this course is for students to improve their Spanish pronunciation. Aspects of Spanish phonetics and articulation are presented with a practical focus, so that students learn to listen to, recognize and speak Spanish correctly.

### Methodology

In each session, an aspect of Spanish pronunciation will be presented, practiced in controlled activities, and put into context through texts and conversation.

### Assessment

Attendance and participation in class: 20%

Class activities: 20%

Final exam: 60%

### Syllabus

1. Principles of phonetics and pronunciation
2. General introduction to Spanish phonetics
3. Prosody:
  - 3.1. Syllable and Synaloepha
  - 3.2. Intonation and Rhythm
4. Difficult Pronunciations:
  - 4.1. Trill consonants: r/rr
  - 4.2. The vowels: a/e/i/o/u
  - 4.3. Diphthongs
  - 4.4. Nasal consonants: m/n/ñ
  - 4.5. Palatal consonants: y/ll
  - 4.6. Fricative consonants: s/z/f/j
5. Standard pronunciation and variations



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