## **COURSE SYLLABUS**

Course Title Listening/Speaking for Advanced II

Course Number ESL302-2

Clock Hours 50

**Instructional Methods** Lecture (50 hours)

Schedule TBA Instructor TBA

Office Hours by appointment

Required Text(s) Barton, L., & Sardinas, C. D. (2009). Northstar: Listening and

Speaking level 4. (3<sup>rd</sup> ed.). White Plains, NY: Pearson Education, Inc.

Additional Text(s) N/A

Handouts will be given as needed

### **Course Description**

The primary focus of this course is to promote conversational fluency and to facilitate language acquisition through the understanding of American culture. This course is also designed to help strengthen and expand students' academic vocabulary. Words introduced are essential for higher educational programs. Students who complete this course successfully will be able to increase their cultural awareness and social skills, demonstrate accuracy in their spoken English, and express their thoughts and feelings through a diverse range of vocabulary. Prerequisite: ESL301 or equivalent.

## Prerequisite(s) and Corequisite(s)

Prerequisite: Qualifying score between 311.00 and below 340.99 on the ACCUPLACER Test or the successful completion of ESL 301.

Corequisites: ESL302-1 Grammar for Advanced II ESL302-3 Reading/Writing for Advanced II

ESL302-4 Discussion for Advanced II

#### **Learning Objectives and Goals**

Upon completion of this course, students will be able to:

- A. Improve comprehensibility through pronunciation improvement
- B. Strengthen the abilities to monitor and evaluate their own English language
- C. Progress, initiate self-improvement, and develop compensatory language skills
- D. Practice and improve general and academic listening and speaking skills
- E. Use critical thinking skills and make inferences to understand the English language more clearly.
- F. Make conversation more fluently and clearly through understanding the American culture.
- G. Express ideas and thoughts using a wide range of vocabulary.
- H. Recognize the main ideas and supporting details

- I. Recognize the presenter's organizational structure and follow the sequence of ideas expressed
- J. Note how examples, illustrations, and visual aids support or take away key message
- K. Determine literal and implied meaning of message
- L. Make jot notes to assist recall of the main idea(s) expressed by the speaker

### **Listening and Speaking Requirement**

Students are required to register in their ESL class on www.myenglishlab.com Once students register, a class code will be provided by the class instructor which you can use to locate the class and join.

Please, use the link: <a href="http://www.longmanhomeusa.com/are-you-a-student">http://www.longmanhomeusa.com/are-you-a-student</a>

Students are recommended to spend at least 2 hours each week in the listening and speaking lab to complete the lab courses. Students must log in at the Lab reception desk before entering.

## Library Usage Guideline

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#### **HELPFUL VIDEOS**

Our Librarian staff have composed several <u>YouTube Videos</u> that you might find useful. Of particular interest:

- Starting Your Research with LIRN's Gale Core
- Find Digital Books in Ebook Central: Academic Complete

#### **Code of Conduct**

A student who engages or assists in misconduct shall be subject to disciplinary measures, including reprimands, suspensions, or dismissal, when justified, to violations of this policy.

## Academic Dishonesty/Misconduct

- Students shall not cheat during exams or quizzes.
- Students shall not plagiarize; plagiarism is defined as a student presenting the work or ideas of another as his/her own in a paper, exam, or other assignment.
- Students shall not sell or purchase previous examinations or other assignments.

### Non-Academic Dishonesty/Misconduct

- Physical and/or psychological abuse, threat, or harassment
- Initiating any false report, warning, threat of fire, explosion, or other emergency
- Unauthorized use, possession, storage of any weapon, dangerous chemical, or explosive element
- Disrupting, obstructing, or interfering with the college-sponsored events
- Theft of the college equipment, products, or materials
- Unauthorized possession, use, sale, or distribution of alcoholic beverages or any illegal or controlled substances
- Gambling or holding lotteries/raffles on the college campus without proper approval
- Disorderly, lewd, or obscene conduct
- Making illegal copies of college software The college software is protected by copyright. Students must not copy the institution's software without permission of the copyright holder. Additionally, students must not install personal software on the college computers or damage/destroy the software/computers.

#### Prohibition of Sexual Harassment of Students

- Sexual harassment is defined as unwelcome acts of a sexual nature including sexual advances, requests for sexual favors and/or other verbal or physical conduct including written communication of an intimidating, hostile or offensive nature, or action taken in retaliation for the reporting of such behavior. Sexual harassment can be verbal, written, or physical and ranges from subtle innuendos of a sexual nature to derogatory gender-specific comments about physical exposure, assault, to coerced sexual relationships.
- Sexual harassment is a serious offense. As a consequence, any faculty or staff member who engages in such conduct or encourages such behavior shall be subject to disciplinary action that may include dismissal from the College. Students accused of sexual harassment will have the right to due process.

#### **Grading Policy**

The formal grading system utilized by the instructor conforms to recognized education standards.

Grade	Percent	<b>Standing</b>
A	90-100	Excellent
В	80-89	Very Good
C	70-79	Satisfactory
D	60-69	Poor
F	0-59	Failing
I	Incomplete	Not applicable

#### **Assessment Scale**

Course grades, at the determination of the instructor, will be based on class and group participation, daily work, exams, other presentations, projects, papers, and/or portfolio. Instructors will distribute evaluation and his/her grading policies to students at the beginning of each term.

10% Attendance 10% Homework 20% Quiz 20% Class participation 40% Final Exam

#### **Course Schedule**

Week	Date	Topics and Activities	Quiz/Assignment Due
1		Ice-breaking/ Assessment Unit 1. Information Overload - Compare sources of news - Make predictions - Summarize points - Use context clues to find meaning - Passive voice	Estimated Homework Time: 5 hours  Listening: Page 8. Listening Two: Does the Media Overwhelm Our Lives?  Re-Listening  Grammar: Study for the table on page 13.  Listening and speaking lab www.myenglishlab.com
		Unit 1. Information Overload  - Analyze effects of news reporting styles  - Listen to student broadcasts and analyze them  - Give a newscast	Estimated Homework Time: 5 hours Speaking:

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	-	Express and defend opinions Use descriptive adjectives	Use phrases such as these to explain the quotes: In other words, What she's saying is, I think he means that
			Grammar: Answer the questions on pages 14, 15.
			Listening and speaking lab www.myenglishlab.com
2	Unit - - - - -	2. The Achilles Heel Identify personal obstacles Identify thought groups in speech Share experiences Define words Gerunds and infinitives	Estimated Homework Time: 5 hours  Listening: Page 26. Listening Two: The Achilles Track Club Climbs Mount Kilimanjaro
			Grammar: Study for the table on page 33.  Listening and speaking lab www.myenglishlab.com
	Unit - - - - langu	2. The Achilles Heel Rank the value of personal qualities Listen to classmates' reports and pose questions Practice storytelling Plan and give a three-minute speech Differentiate between literal versus figurative	Estimated Homework Time: 5 hours  Speaking: If you had to write a college application essay that showed something about your character, what topic would you choose?
			Grammar: Answer the questions on pages 34, 35. Listening and speaking lab
3	Unit - -	3. Early to Bed, Early to Rise Interpret a proverb Interpret speakers' tone and emotions	www.myenglishlab.com Estimated Homework Time: 5 hours
	- - -	Make contrastive statements Use context clues to find meaning Present unreal conditional	Listening: Pages 47, 48.

	Unit 3. Early to Bed, Early to Rise  - Hypothesize scenarios  - Listen for details  - Act out scripted dialogues  - Define words  - Use idiomatic expressions	Listening Two: Get Back In Bed  Grammar: Study for the table on page 54.  Listening and speaking lab www.myenglishlab.com  Estimated Homework Time: 5 hours  Speaking: When teenagers get enough sleep, they are in better moods and tend to do better in school. Should schools redesign their schedules to help teenagers sleep more?  Grammar: Answer the questions on pages 54, 55, 56, 57.  Listening and speaking lab www.myenglishlab.com
4	Unit 4. Animal Intelligence - Recognize speakers' attitudes - Relate previous knowledge to the listenings - Give and ask for examples - Use context clues to find meaning - Reported speech	Estimated Homework Time: 5 hours  Listening: Pages 68, 69. Listening Two: What Motivates Animals?  Grammar: Study for the table on pages 73, 74.  Listening and speaking lab www.myenglishlab.com
	Unit 4. Animal Intelligence - Make judgments - Infer word meaning from context - Report on research - Define words - Find and use synonyms	Estimated Homework Time: 5 hours  Grammar: Answer the questions on pages 74, 75.

		Listening and speaking lab
5	Unit 5. Longevity: Refusing to Be Invisible - Recognize feeling from tone of voice - Identify main ideas - Make suggestions - Define words - Tag questions	www.myenglishlab.com  Estimated Homework Time: 5 hours  Listening: Page 91. Listening Two: On vinegar and Living to the Ripe Old Age of 115
		Grammar: Study for the table on pages 96, 97.
		Listening and speaking lab www.myenglishlab.com
	Unit 5. Longevity: Refusing to Be Invisible - Draw conclusions from graphs - Identify speakers' feelings - Ask and answer questions	Estimated Homework Time: 5 hours  Speaking:
	- Role-play a family meeting - Find and use synonyms	Do you think that countries should try to increase the number of young people?
		Grammar: Answer the questions on pages 97, 98.
		Listening and speaking lab www.myenglishlab.com
6	Unit 6. Giving to Others: Why Do We Do It?  Read and interpret graphs	Estimated Homework Time: 5 hours
	<ul> <li>Make predictions</li> <li>Express opinions about philanthropy</li> <li>Use context clues to find meaning</li> <li>Adjective clauses</li> </ul>	Listening: Page 110. Listening Two: <i>The Mystery Donor</i>
		Grammar: Study for the table on pages 117, 118.
		Listening and speaking lab www.myenglishlab.com
	Unit 6. Giving to Others: Why Do We Do It? - Compare and contrast information	Estimated Homework Time: 5 hours

	<ul> <li>Listen for details</li> <li>Discuss examples of charitable efforts</li> <li>Prioritize and rank ideas</li> <li>Find and use synonyms</li> </ul>	Grammar: Answer the questions on pages 118, 119, 120. Listening and speaking lab www.myenglishlab.com
7	Unit 7. What's the Use of Homework?  Interpret a cartoon  Predict content  Express opinions  Use context clues to find meaning  Make, let, help, and get	Estimated Homework Time: 5 hours  Listening: Page 134. Listening Two: A Duty to Family, Heritage, and Country: Another Perspective on Homework  Grammar: Study for the table on page 140.  Listening and speaking lab www.myenglishlab.com
	Unit 7. What's the Use of Homework?  - Connect opinions to specific people - Support answer with details - Restate information for clarification - Perform a role play - Use idiomatic expressions	Estimated Homework Time: 5 hours  Grammar: Answer the questions on pages 140, 145.  Listening and speaking lab www.myenglishlab.com
8	Unit 8. Goodbye to the Sit-Down Meal  - Relate general factors to specific behaviors  - Classify vowel sounds  - Compose and perform a dialogue  - Find and use synonyms  - Phrasal verbs	Estimated Homework Time: 5 hours  Listening: Page 155. Listening Two: Food in a Bowl  Grammar: Study for the table on page 160.  Listening and speaking lab www.myenglishlab.com
	Unit 8. Goodbye to the Sit-Down Meal  - Interpret meaning from context  - Listen to and evaluate student food shows using a rubric	Estimated Homework Time: 5 hours Grammar:

	<ul> <li>Explain how to use a tool</li> <li>Develop and perform a food show</li> <li>Use idiomatic expressions</li> </ul>	Answer the questions on pages 161, 162, 163.  Listening and speaking lab www.myenglishlab.com
9	Unit 9. Finding a Niche: The Challenge for Young Immigrants  - Compare personal experiences - Relate the listenings to personal values - Practice gambits to hesitate in response to a question - Define words - Present and past- contrasting verb tenses	Estimated Homework Time: 5 hours  Listening: Pages174, 175. Listening Two: <i>The Words</i> Escape Me  Grammar: Study for the table on page 182.  Listening and speaking lab www.myenglishlab.com
	Unit 9. Finding a Niche: The Challenge for Young Immigrants - Propose solutions - Understand and interpret song lyrics - Simulate a town meeting - Conduct an interview - Use idiomatic expressions	Estimated Homework Time: 5 hours  Speaking: Would you like to be a teacher in a school with large immigrant population?  Grammar: Answer the questions on pages 183, 184, 185, 186.  Listening and speaking lab www.myenglishlab.com
10	Review for the final exam	Estimated Homework Time: 5 hours  Listening and speaking lab www.myenglishlab.com  Study for the exam.
	Final Exam	, and the second