UNIVERSITÀ
DEGLI STUDI DI MILANO-BICOCCA

COURSE SYLLABUS

Further Language Skills For Finance - French

2122-2-F1601M043

Learning area

Linguistics

Learning objectives

The course aims to :

- develop reading, writing and listening skills,

- deepen the insight into the culture, the civilisation of the comunities and countries where French language is spoken,

- understand specific topics in French, especially in written form, through summary and translation.

Contents

In-depth study of French grammar (the complex sentence) and vocabulary; comprehension of authentic documents.

Detailed program

The topics covered during lab work and object of the exam are the following:

1. All the grammatical topics of the first year (French language 6 cfu)
2. Le conditionnel
3. Le subjonctif présent
4. La proposition subordonnée relative
5. Expression de la condition, de l'hypothèse, de la cause et du temps
6. Emploi du subjonctif, de l'indicatif et du conditionnel dans les propositions subordonnées.

Dispensa : Collection of articles drawn from newspapers and course materials (available for downloading online).

Prerequisites

Teaching methods

Lessons and lab work, in French and Italian.

During the Covid-19 emergency period, lessons will take place in asynchronous and synchronous videotaped lessons. Wherever possible, some meetings will be scheduled on campus.

Assessment methods

The exam consists of an oral exam in two parts:

- a grammar test

- the candidate will have to understand, summarize French texts drawn from a variety of sources and answer questions about their main topics.

During the Covid-19 emergency, the exams will be done online via WebEx.

Textbooks and Reading Materials

- *Grammathèque,* Genova, Cideb Editore, 2002.

- *450 nouveaux exercices*, Paris, CLE, *Niveau intermédiaire* e *Niveau avancé*.
- Paola Paissa, Sylvie Pipari, Cristina Vigna, *Franconomie. Cours de français pour les affaires*, Torino, Celid, 2006.
- Dispensa : Collection of articles drawn from newspapers and course materials (online downloadable).