

授業科目名 Title of Course	Medical English – Oral Communication Skills.		
対象学年 Eligible Students	3st year students in the School of Medicine	単位 Credits	2
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授業方法 Lesson Style	The practice and implementation of Medical English in a Doctor's daily routine when dealing with foreign patients whose native language is English.		
概要 Overview	To help the 3 rd Year Graduate students gain confidence and knowledge of key points in oral English required to communicate efficiently and effectively with patients from overseas through intensive oral practice of the Doctor >> Patient communication skills required to help explain in effective & helpful Medical English.		
到達目標 Academic Goals	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Increase the ability and confidence of the 3rd Year Graduate students to be able to use English in communicating effectively and easy to understand Medical terms to patients whose native language is English. - To focus on the language and communication skills that doctors need to make consultations more effective using five elements of good communication: verbal communication, active listening, voice management, non-verbal communication and cultural awareness. The course teaches learners how to sensitively handle a range of situations such as taking a patient history and breaking bad news, as well as preparing doctors for dealing with different types of patients. To aid the Graduate students to demonstrate the impact of good communication on the doctor-patient relationship and enable students to become confident and effective practitioners in English. 		
講義日程 Class Schedule	18 Lectures – from April 7 th , 2015 to July 22 nd , 2015. 18 Lectures – from September 3 rd , 2015 to January 6 th , 2016.		

出席の取り扱い Class Attendance Policy	Compulsory attendance to every lecture. Students will only be allowed to be absent from lectures if they are too ill to attend. They will then have to arrange a make-up lecture to participate in the lecture that they missed through absence.
評価項目 Evaluation Item	Two tests – oral presentations. One test to be held at the end on the final lecture of each semester.
評価法 Evaluation Method	Students will be evaluated depending on their overall ability to orally communicate effectively, clearly, and understandably to a native English speaker in a number of different scenarios of Doctor to Patient medical situations.
推奨参考書 Recommended Reference Books	English for Health Sciences – Professional English. Good Practice Student's Book: Communication Skills in English for the Medical Practitioner, (Cambridge Professional English).