

Course Support for International Graduate Students

ESL Program / Georgia State University

Courses are offered to help international graduate students increase their confidence and understanding of academic English and U.S. academic culture.

ESL 7250 Academic Listening & Speaking for Graduate Students (3 credits)

Develop communication skills needed to give effective academic and professional presentations, actively participate in small talk and discussions, better understand academic lectures, and improve English fluency and pronunciation.

ESL 7350 Academic Writing for Graduate Students (3 credits)

Analyze and write academic genres (e.g., data commentary, summaries, critiques), develop research writing skills (paraphrasing, synthesizing, citing), practice the writing process (including developing revision and editing skills), and refine the use of academic vocabulary and grammar.

ESL 7500 Teaching at the University for International GTAs (3 credits)

Gain valuable classroom language and intercultural skills, complete microteaching sessions on topics in your discipline, and analyze the teaching of undergraduate courses. This course can stand alone as a foundation course for new international teachers or serve as a vital supplement to departmental pedagogy courses often designed for native English speakers. Prerequisite: ESL 7250 if GSTEP recommended.

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