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COURSE TITLE							
Course Name	Course Code	Semester	Hours	Practice	Laboratory	Credits	ECTS
Academic English I	ENG 101	FALL	3	0	0	3	3


Language of Instruction	English
Course Type	Compulsory
Course Level	Freshman
Mode of Delivery	Face-to-face
Teaching and Learning Methods	Learner-centered, integrated skills, discussion, question-answer, writing & feedback
Course Instructor(s)	

Course Objectives
<p>This course aims to enhance students' English language skills in academic contexts, focusing on reading, writing, listening, and speaking. The lecture is designed to help students acquire the necessary language skills and strategies to effectively engage with and excel in academic tasks, assignments, research, and communication within the university setting. Students will read academic texts, listen to lectures, and write academic essays while analyzing authentic texts.</p> <p>The course equips students with the language skills and academic competencies needed to thrive in a university environment, contribute effectively to their chosen fields of study, and succeed in their academic pursuits.</p>

Course Learning Outcomes
<p>Students who successfully complete this course are expected to...</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Comprehend, analyze, and produce complex academic texts • Read academic articles, understand lectures, and participate in discussions related to their field of study • Utilize different reading skills such as skimming and scanning • Express their ideas coherently and with appropriate academic language • Take notes and recognize main ideas • Summarize and paraphrase using academic language • Enhance writing skills for various academic genres • Conduct academic research and reference academic sources • Use academic language structures and vocabulary

Course Content
Each week, a reading text from the textbook <i>Pathways 4</i> (3rd Edition) will be covered while reading an authentic passage in which academic language is analyzed and from which writing tasks are developed.

Weekly Topics and Required Preliminary Preparation		
Week	Topics	Description
1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction to course & materials • Introduction to OTUZEM & Syllabus overview • Introduction: What is academic English/writing? 	
2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Unit 1 Reading 	<i>Pathways 4</i> (3rd Edition)
3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Writing Class 	<i>Pathways 4</i> (3rd Edition)
4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Unit 2 Reading 	<i>Pathways 4</i> (3rd Edition)

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5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Writing Class 	<i>Pathways 4</i> (3rd Edition)
6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Unit 3 Reading 	<i>Pathways 4</i> (3rd Edition)
7	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Writing Class 	<i>Pathways 4</i> (3rd Edition)
8	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Revision 	<i>Pathways 4</i> (3rd Edition)
9	Midterm Exam	
10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Unit 4 Reading 	<i>Pathways 4</i> (3rd Edition)
11	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Writing Class 	<i>Pathways 4</i> (3rd Edition)
12	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Unit 5 Reading 	<i>Pathways 4</i> (3rd Edition)
13	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Writing Class 	<i>Pathways 4</i> (3rd Edition)
14	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Revision 	<i>Pathways 4</i> (3rd Edition)
15	Final Exam	
16	Final Exam	

References (Textbooks and Supplementary Materials)
(Author, Title of the Book, Publisher, Year of Publication)

Coursebook:
Pathways 4 (3rd Edition) and supplementary readings and materials provided by the instructor.

Assessment Methods

Activity	Quantity	Contribution
Attendance		
Laboratory		
Practice		
Field Study		
Internship (If applicable)		
Quizzes / Studio Critique		
Assignments	1	20%
Presentations		
Projects		
Reports		
Seminars		
Midterm Exams / Midterm Jury	1	20%
Final Exam / Final Jury	1	60%

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	Total	100%
Contribution of Semester Activities to Final Grade		
Contribution of Final Exam to Final Grade		
	Total	100%

Course Category	
Core Field Course	
Specialization/Area Course	
Supportive Course	
Communication and Management Skills Course	
Transferable Skills Course	

Relation of Course Learning Outcomes with Program Qualifications						
No	Program Qualifications This may vary depending on the specific academic program.	Contribution Level				
		1	2	3	4	5
1						
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ECTS / Student Workload Table			
Activities	Quantity	Duration (Hours)	Total Workload
Course Hours (Including exam weeks)	16	3	48
Laboratory			
Practice			
Internship			
Field Study			
Individual Study	16	1	16
Preparing for Presentations / Seminars			
Project Work			
Report Preparation			
Assignments			
Quizzes / Studio Critique			
Midterm Exam Preparation			
Final Exam Preparation			
Total Workload		(...../30 =)	64