

Course Specification for Graduation Project

College	Az Zulfi College of Education		
Department	English Language Department		
Course Name:	Graduation Project	Course Code	ENGL 428
Level	9	Credit Hours	2 hrs.
Course Objective	<p>Train students to put into practice knowledge and skills gained from the totality of their B.A study plan.</p> <p>2. Provide students with an opportunity to bridge the gap between theory and practice (and to see for themselves the problems and challenges that may lie therein).</p> <p>3. Develop a range of project conducting skills (along with the relevant research-related strategies and skills).</p> <p>4. Encourage students to integrate, through their project endeavor, the three components of the B.A. programme (linguistics, literature and translation).</p> <p>5. Understand that a project is in many ways an unfinished work that could very often be completed in a future study (e.g. MA or PhD, research paper, etc.).</p> <p>6. Stimulate students to think critically and in an interdisciplinary and cross-disciplinary way.</p> <p>7. Train students to communicate with the larger community they live in (e.g. contacting some government, social or economic institutions and firms).</p> <p>8. Empower students with some effective project management skills (management, inter-team and intra-team work, project presentation and project reporting).</p>		
Course Content	<p>1. Introducing the definition, objectives and sources of projects. What is a project? Suggested project topics and samples.</p> <p>2. Discussion about the methods of selecting the graduation project. Revision of research process, methods, plagiarism and its consequences. Drafting students' initial decisions on topics and formation of teams (if any)</p> <p>3. Students decide their areas of interests and the potential subject of the project.</p> <p>4. Approving topics and setting project outline and road maps.</p> <p>5. Students initial presentations: project title, description, motivation, aims.</p> <p>6. Individual conference with students to discuss the advancements of</p>		

	their projects.
	7. Submission of first draft.
	8. Receive feedback
	9. Oral or poster presentations of projects.
	10. Submission of final draft.
Required Textbook	1. The Research Project: how to write it. By Berry, R published by Routledge (1994)



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