DEPARTMENT NAME: LANGUAGES, LINGUISTICS AND COMPARATIVE LITERATURE
COLLEGE OF: DOROTHY F. SCHMIDT COLLEGE OF ARTS AND LETTERS

RECOMMENDED COURSE IDENTIFICATION:
PREFIX ___TSL_________ COURSE NUMBER _____6248___ LAB CODE (L or C) ______

(TO OBTAIN A COURSE NUMBER, CONTACT ERUDOLPH@FAU.EDU)

COMPLETE COURSE TITLE
APPLIED LINGUISTICS AND TESOL

CREDITS: 3

TEXTBOOK INFORMATION: JUSTICE. RELEVANT LINGUISTICS: AN INTRODUCTION TO THE STRUCTURE AND USE OF ENGLISH FOR TEACHERS; SWAN & SMITH, LERNER ENGLISH: A TEACHER’S GUIDE TO INTERFERENCE AND OTHER PROBLEMS.

EFFECTIVE DATE:
SPRING 2010

GRADING (SELECT ONLY ONE GRADING OPTION): REGULAR ___X___ PASS/FALSE _____ SATISFACTORY/UNSATISFACTORY ______

COURSE DESCRIPTION, NO MORE THAN 3 LINES:
AN ANALYSIS OF PHONOLOGICAL, MORPHOLOGICAL, AND SYNTACTIC FEATURES OF ENGLISH AS WELL AS THE NATURE OF ITS SPELLING SYSTEM FOR TEACHERS OF ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE.

PREREQUISITES W/MINIMUM GRADE: *LIN 3010 – INTRODUCTION TO LINGUISTICS

PREREQUISITES, COREQUISITES & REGISTRATION CONTROLS SHOWN ABOVE WILL BE ENFORCED FOR ALL COURSE SECTIONS.

*DEFAULT MINIMUM GRADE IS D-.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS NEEDED TO TEACH THIS COURSE:
PH.D. IN LINGUISTICS OR RELATED FIELD

Other departments, colleges that might be affected by the new course must be consulted. List entities that have been consulted and attach written comments from each. I have consulted and received positive responses from Dr. Jim McLaughlin, Department of Curriculum, Culture and Educational Inquiry in the College of Education, and Dr. Wenying Xu, Chair of the English Department.

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Email this form and syllabus to sfulks@fau.edu and eqirjo@fau.edu one week before the University Graduate Programs Committee meeting so that materials may be viewed on the UGPC website by committee members prior to the meeting.

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COURSE DESCRIPTION: An analysis of phonological, morphological, and syntactic features of English as well as the nature of its spelling system for teachers of English as a second language.

COURSE OBJECTIVES: Students will understand the application of linguistic concepts to:

* second-language transfer errors in pronunciation and grammar
* socioeconomic and geographical differences in standard English
* dictionary skills for pronunciation, parts of speech, and language change
* the teaching of spelling-sound relationships

PREREQUISITE: None, but LIN 3010 Introduction to Linguistics is recommended.

GRADING: Quizzes (20%), Midterm (25%), Final (30%), Presentations on the application of Linguistics in the classroom (10%), and Term paper (15%). Your attendance and class participation are intangibles but may figure in your final grade if you are near a cut-off point on the grade scale.

The grading scale will be 93-100 = A; 90-92 = A-; 87-89 = B+; 83-86 = B; 80-82 = B-. The rest of the grades follow the same pattern, except there is no F-.

ATTENDANCE: More than two absences will require official excuses.


The TURNITIN plagiarism detection program and other means may be used on any papers. Plagiarism and cheating will result in a grade of F for the work or the course.

COURSE CALENDAR below: [Page numbers refer to Justice; Swan & Smith’s chapters on the separate transfer problems of 22 different languages will be assigned according to student interest in particular languages.]

Aug 25 Introduction [Preface & pp. 1-11]; The linguistic equality of all human languages; developing dictionary skills, phonic symbols and pronunciation keys [Handouts]. Next meeting is Labor Day.
Sep 08  *Phonetic-, Phonemic- and Phonic-Level Transcriptions of English* [p. 12-74]

Sep 15  The *Sound System of English* and those of other languages [pp. 12-74]
Sep 22  *Quiz 1*; then *Morphology*: English Word Structure and Analysis [pp. 75-102]

Sep 29  *Morphophonemics*: Where Morphology and Phonology Meet [pp. 103-124]

Oct 06  *Phonology, Morphology and English Spelling-to-Sound Correspondences*

Oct 13  Practice in *Transcription* levels: *Phonics, Phonemics, Phonetics, and Morphophonemics* [Handouts]  [October the 17th is the last day for a W]

Oct 20  *MIDTERM EXAM*; then *Syntax: Word Classes, and English Phrase and Sentence Structure* [pp. 125-146]

Oct 27  *Syntactic Subcategorization*; and *Transformations* [pp. 146-167]

Nov 03  Practice in Syntactic Analysis: Syntactic Exercises [pp. 168-190]

Nov 10  *Quiz 2*; then Practice in Phonics, Phonology, Morphology and Syntax  [Nov 11 is the *Veterans Day* holiday]

Nov 17  Language Variation: English Dialects and TESOL [pp. 191-208]

Nov 24  English Dialects continued

Dec 01  Dialect, transcription, articulation, and grammar exercises and tying it all together

Dec 10  **FINAL EXAM. Send e-mail request for grade with subject line: Grade LIN 6251**

*Bibliography*


Holliday, A. 2005 *The Struggle to Teach English as an International Language.* NY: Oxford UP.


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Date: October 26, 2009
Subject: Letters of support for TSL 6248 & ESL Changes
From: Robert Trammell, Professor of Linguistics
To: A & L’s Graduate Curriculum Committee

I have copied supporting Letters from Dr. Wenying HU, Chair of English, and Dr. James McLaughlin, Chair of Department of Curriculum, Culture, and Educational Inquiry.

From: H. James McLaughlin [mailto:jmclau17@fau.edu]
Sent: Monday, March 30, 2009 12:45 PM
To: Robert Trammell
Cc: Michael J. Horswell; Hanizah Zainuddin
Subject: APPROVE ESL STUDIES CERTIFICATE CHANGES & Graduate Applied Linguistics and TESOL

Bob:

After talking with TESOL faculty in the department, we have no conflict with a graduate version of Applied Linguistics and TESOL. We would like to meet with you, however, to discuss TSL 4251, because of accreditation issues. Let me know when you might be able to meet next week, and take care.

Yours,

Jim McLaughlin

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From: Wenying Xu [mailto:wxu@fau.edu]
Sent: Friday, January 18, 2008 1:00 PM
To: ‘Robert Trammell'
Subject: RE: Changes in ESL Studies Certificate Requirements

Dear Professor Trammell,

I support the revision of ESL Studies Certificate Program, and I don’t see any conflict with the offering by Department of English.

Wenying Xu, Ph.D.
Chair & Associate Chair
Department of English
Florida Atlantic University