

DESCRIPTION AND SYLLABUS

Name of the subject in Hungarian:	Effect Mechanisms of Interpersonal Communication
Name of the subject in English:	Effect Mechanisms of Interpersonal Communication
Credit value of the subject:	3
The code of the subject in the electronic study system:	BN-EFMICO-03-EA
Classification of the subject:	Optional
Language of instruction (in case of non-Hungarian courses):	English
Institute or department responsible for the subject:	Institute of Media Studies
Course type and number of contact hours:	Lecture, class per week: 2, class per semester: 0
Mode of study: (Full-time / Part-time):	Full-time training
The semester in which the subject is open for registration:	2022/2023 1st semester
Prerequisite(s):	-

THE PURPOSE OF THE SUBJECT, LEARNING OUTCOMES:

The course give an introduction to person-to-person communication and addresses the basic processes of interpersonal relationships. While providing the theoretical foundation to understand international communication mechanism it also aims to develop interpersonal skills and promotes the application of the knowledge and skills acquired during the course in practical situations.

SUMMARY OF THE CONTENT OF THE SUBJECT

After discussing the foundations of interpersonal communication including the cultural impacts, the course will address the different basic mechanisms of interpersonal messages. The discussion of interpersonal relationships will follow suit. Development of interpersonal skills will also be included in the course.

STUDENT'S TASKS AND PLANNED LEARNING ACTIVITIES:

Although not compulsory, active participation in classes is encouraged as it helps students to understand and to follow the materials of the course. Group work and group discussions as well as assignments based on self-reflection as well as reading- and multimedia-related reflections are also part of the course. There are tasks and activities that promote critical thinking and the application of the knowledge and skills learnt in the course in different domains of life of students.

EVALUATION OF THE SUBJECT:

The course is closed by a written exam that aims to evaluate how well students understand and how they could apply different concepts, frameworks, theories, and findings in some main fields in interpersonal communication in practice.

Up to an extra bonus of 30% of the grade could be gained via the assignments, activities, and reflections during the semester.

Offered grade can be given: Yes.

OBLIGATORY READING LIST:

- Joseph A. DeVito: Interpersonal Communication Book, The 15th Edition, Pearson, 2019

RECOMMENDED READING LIST:

- Wood, Julia T.: *Interpersonal communication : everyday encounters*. Wadsworth Cengage, c2008