



English-in-the-Discipline (ED) Courses for the FACULTY OF

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CAES9820 CAES9821

Academic English for Science Students*

Professional and Technical Communication for Mathematical Sciences *

Designed to enhance your use of academic and professional English in your chosen fields, our two courses address literacy needs arising from different science disciplines.

- · CAES9820: Non-mathematical disciplines
- · CAES9821*: Decision Analytics, Mathematics, Risk Management, Statistics

When will I take these courses?

In your 2nd year of study at HKU as part of your graduation requirements for your BSc programme.

Why do I need to take them?

You will need to be able to effectively use linguistic and rhetorical devices appropriate in their field of study and future profession, often for the purpose of communicating (sometimes complex) scientific concepts and data analysis outcomes to cross-disciplinary and non-specialist audiences.

How will I learn them?

- Through the analysis of linguistic and rhetorical features in different texts in a variety of fields of scientific inquiry (CAES9820 and CAES9821)
- By producing oral and written texts which are constructed with the appropriate content, structure and language features, so that they are fit for their intended academic or professional purposes and audiences (CAES9820 and CAES9821)
- By identifying your own language learning needs, developing and carrying out a plan to meet those needs, as well as reflecting on and evaluating your progress (CAES9820)



For more information about the courses

*This is a CI-badged (Communication Intensive) course that explicitly develops students' communication-related knowledge, skills, and attributes. Find out more about CI-badged courses at http://cics.hku.hk/.

For enquiries, please contact Albert Wong, Programme Coordinator for CAES courses for the Faculty of Science: edubert@hku.hk

^{*}This course is compulsory for Actuarial Science and Applied AI majors.







Write & Speak Academically

Avoid Plagiarism

First Year of Study

Cite & Reference Correctly

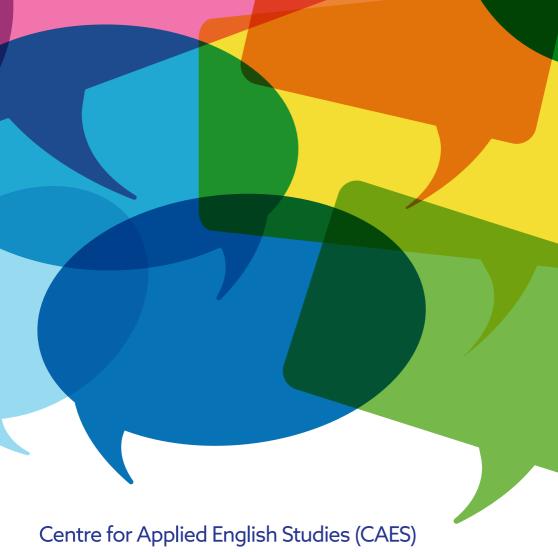
6-Credit Course

Discuss & Debate Confidently

Critical Reading

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For more information about CAES1000 Core University English course, please visit the course website.



COMMUNICATION SUPPORT SERVICES





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Communication Support Services (CSS) is here to help you develop your academic, professional, and social communication skills. Our goal is to help you become a self-directed communicator and author of written, spoken, and multimedia texts. CSS achieves this through 1:1 consultations, workshops, discussions, and social events provided by our Speaking Studio and Writing Centre primarily in Zones R and S, 2/F, Chi Wah Learning Commons.

Our team of CAES lecturers, communication advisors, and selectively-recruited, trained, and paid peer consultants are keen to serve all students of HKU's UGC-funded programmes. Book a consultation on our site today, and come talk to us about your communication project or long-term language learning needs!

Speaking Studio



Speaking Studio aims to help you become a confident and competent speaker in academic, professional and social contexts, such as:

- speaking assignments (e.g. online presentations, poster presentations)
- public speaking
- voice over recordings
- tutorial discussions
- job interviews
- language test preparation (e.g. IELTS)

We encourage you to upload your assessment guidelines, scripts, and recorded rehearsals before your consultation to get detailed feedback on your performance.

Writing Centre



Postgraduate and undergraduate consultants from a wide range of academic backgrounds are keen to help you with any writing project, including:

- $\bullet \ undergraduate \ and \ postgraduate \ academic \ writing \ assignments$
- professional texts (e.g. CVs, cover letters and personal statements)
- language exam writing
- blogs
- creative writing

To get the most from your 1:1 consultation, upload assignment instructions, written work, or readings two days before your appointment, and try to come early in the writing process.

Communication Support Services

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Need help with your writing projects?

Want help with your pronunciation and fluency?



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