

National Research Mordovia State University (MRSU)	
Faculty of Foreign Languages	
S Y L L A B U S	
Course Name	Practicum on the Culture of Verbal Communication of the First Foreign Language
Degree Programme	Specialist's Degree (Track "Linguistic Support of Interstate Relations")
Year of Study	4 year
Semester	Autumn
ECTS (36 hrs per ECTS)	3 (108 hrs)
Instructor(s)	<u>Prof. Tatyana Shikina</u> , Associate Professor, Department of Speech Theory and Translation, Faculty of Foreign Languages <u>Prof. Svetlana Aftaykina</u> , Associate Professor, Department of Speech Theory and Translation, Faculty of Foreign Languages <u>Prof. Svetlana Chertousova</u> , Associate Professor, Department of Speech Theory and Translation, Faculty of Foreign Languages
Language of Instruction	Russian, English, German, French
Course Requirements	At least B2 English/German/French Previously studied courses "Practical Course of the First Foreign Language", "Translation Theory", "Practical Translation Course of the First Foreign Language".
Course Overview	The course is intended for undergraduate students interested in developing of their professional competencies of a future specialist studying the first foreign language, improvement of knowledge, skills and abilities for the implementation of production-practical, scientific-methodical, scientific-research and organizational-management activities, transition skills and use of a foreign language as a means of intercultural communication and broadening the general cultural outlook. The required level of Russian is up from B2+
Learning Outcomes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Qualitative improvement of communicative competence, skills of practical knowledge of a foreign language in basic forms and functional styles ; • Improving skills and abilities in all types of speech activity: listening, speaking (in dialogic and monologue forms), reading, writing ; • Further formation of all types of general professional competence ; • Expansion of the linguistic and professional space of a specialist student ; • Development of readiness for the implementation of oral-speech, communication in various situations of intercultural communication; • Formation of the ability to carry out foreign language communication, which allows satisfying one's life claims and the communicative needs caused by them.
Course unit contents	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Weeks 1-9. Journalism. Infinitive. Infinitive constructions.. • Weeks 10-18. TV. Sensationalism. Gerund. Gerundial Complex. Facial expressions. Styles of communication. The Internet.

Course Structure	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Total number of contact hours: 99• Lectures: -• Seminars: 98 hrs (49 seminars)Individual consultations: -• Self-study: 9 hrs
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Teaching methods	Interactive lectures, discovery learning, cooperative learning, practical learning
Grading System (including segment percentage)	Student presentation (10%) Three course tests during the semester (60%) Final oral test (pass-fail) (30%)
Textbooks and Mandatory Reading	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Acklam R., Burgess, S. First Certificate Gold. Coursebook. – Longman Group Ltd., 2000. • Biber D. Longman Grammar of Spoken and Written English. – Longman Group Ltd., 2000. (LSWE) • Evans V., Edwards L. Upstream Advanced C1. Student's Book. – Express Publishing, 2011. • Gomm H. Inside out. Teacher's Book. Upper Intermediate. – Macmillan Publishers Ltd, 2001. • Harrison L. Inside Out. Upper-Intermediate. Video. Student's Book. – McMillan Publishers Ltd., 2001. • Mann Malcolm, Taylore-Knowles Steve. Skills for First Certificate. Listening and Speaking. – MacMillan, 2007. • Mann Malcolm, Taylore-Knowles Steve. Skills for First Certificate. Reading and Writing. – MacMillan, 2007. • O'Connell, S. First Certificate. Practice Tests with Guidance for the Revised Exam. – Longman Group Ltd., 2000. • Soars J., Soars, L. Headway. Student's Book. Upper Intermediate. – Oxford University Press, 1993. • Stephens M. Practise Advanced Writing. – Longman Group Ltd., 1995. • Swan, Michael. Practical English Usage. – М.: Высш. школа, 1984. • Блох М.Я. и др. Практикум по грамматике английского языка: Учеб. пособие для студентов. / М.Я. Блох, А.Я. Лебедева, В.С. Денисова. – М.: Просвещение, 1985. – 175 с. – На англ. яз. • Каушанская В.Л. Грамматика английского языка: Пособие для студентов пед. ин-тов. / Сост.: В.Л. Каушанская, Р.Л. Ковнер, О.Н. Кожевникова, Е.В. Прокофьева, З.М. Райнес, С.Е. Сквирская, Ф.Я. Цирлина. – 4 изд. – Л.: Просвещение, Ленингр. отделение, 1973. – 320 с. – На англ. яз. • Каушанская В.Л. и др. Сборник упражнений по грамматике английского языка: Пособие для студентов пед. ин-тов. / Сост.: В.Л. Каушанская, Р.Л. Ковнер, О.Н. Кожевникова, Е.В. Прокофьева, З.М. Райнес, С.Е. Сквирская, Ф.Я. Цирлина. – Изд. 3-е. – Л.: Просвещение, Ленингр. отделение, 1973. – 208 с. – На англ. яз. • Крылова И.П. Сборник упражнений по грамматике английского языка: Учеб. пособие для ин-тов и фак. иностр. яз. – 4 изд. – М.: Книжный дом «Университет», 2000. – 432 с. – На англ. яз. • Крылова И.П., Гордон Е.М. Грамматика современного английского языка: Учебник для ин-тов и фак. иностр. яз. / И.П. Крылова, Е.М. Гордон. – 5 изд. – М.: Книжный дом «Университет», 2000. – 448 с. – На англ. яз. • Ломизова Т. И. Французский язык. V курс : Учеб. для студ.ун-тов и фак.иностр.яз.по лингвострановедению и межкульт. общению: Рек. учеб.-метод.об-нием по лингвист. образованию при М-ве образования РФ / Ломизова,Тамара Ильинична. - Н. Новгород : Изд-во НГЛУ, 2001. - 394с. • Папко М. Л. Французский язык. Практикум по культуре речевого общения : учеб. для студ. вузов, обуч. по спец. напр. "Лингвистика и межкультурная коммуникация" / Папко, Маиса Леонидовна, Спасская, Елена Львовна, Базилина, Нина Михайловна. - М. : Дрофа, 2006. - 398 с.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Гончар Л. А. Французский язык : пособие по устной речи / Гончар, Лариса Александровна, Тетенькина, Татьяна Юрьевна. - Минск : Вышэйш. шк., 1988. - 172 с. Практика устной речи (французский язык, вторая специальность) : учеб. пособие для студ. ин-тов и фак. иностр. яз. / Л.Ф. Кистанова, С.И. Башинская, Г.И. Исаченко и др. - Минск : Вышэйш. шк., 1987. - 192 с.
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Grading system		
Grade	No. of points	Description
5	86-91	Excellent
4	71-85	Good
3	51 - 70	Satisfactory
2	Below 51 point	Fail