



جامعة أبوظبي
ABU DHABI UNIVERSITY

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

BACHELOR OF ARTS IN ENGLISH

The Department of English offers a carefully designed program that prepares graduates qualified for the service of the community in various fields that require mastery of the English Language and possession of critical thinking skills. Over the four-year period of the program, students receive advanced theoretical and practical training at the hands of experienced faculty. The program provides students with advanced oral and written skills and the latest methods in teaching and translation. BA in English graduates can successfully meet the rising expectations and demands of the job market at both the national and the regional level.

Career Prospects

- Translators and interpreters
- Teachers of English
- Public Relations Officers
- Journalist and Media Reporters
- Tourist Guides
- Administrative and Managerial positions

Faculty Profile



Dr. Ahmad Elnimeiri

Associate professor of English

Dr. Ahmed Elnimeiri received his Ph.D in English and American Literature from the University of South Carolina, in the US. He was three times a Fulbright fellow. His work included developing the English curriculum for schools in Sudan and being chief examiner of English literature in the Sudan School Certificate as well as teaching English and American Literature, Translation and Writing for over 30 years in universities in Sudan, United States, Malaysia, Saudi Arabia and the United Arab Emirates. He published a book, William Faulkner's The Reivers (Garland Publishing 2009), and articles in journals such as ADAB, Gomack Review, Mississippi Quarterly, Critique, Southern Literary Journal and Alif.

Curriculum

COURSE CODE	COURSE TITLE	COURSE CODE	COURSE TITLE
General Education Requirements: 30 Credit Hours			
ARL 100 (A)	Communication Skills in Arabic I (A)	ARL 100 (E)	Communication Skills in Arabic I (E)
CRT 301	Critical Thinking	ENG 200	English II
ISL100 (A)	Islamic Culture (A)	ISL100 (E)	Islamic Culture (E)
ITD100	Introduction to Information and Digital Technology	FWS 310	Fundamentals of Innovation and Entrepreneurship
PHI 300	Professional Ethics	FWS 210	General Psychology
FWS 205	UAE and GCC Society	STT 100	General Statistics
UNS 102	University Study Skills		
College Requirements: 33 Credit Hours			
ENG 204	Situational Conversation	ENG 205	Critical Reading Skills
ENG 206	English Grammar	ENG 209	Writing 1
ENG 303	Introduction to the Study of Language	ENG 306	Writing 2
ENG 307	English Phonetics and Phonology	ENG 310	Debate and Discussion
ENG 401	Discourse Analysis	LIT 301	Introduction to English Literature
LIT 302	Readings in Contemporary English Literature		
Major Requirments: 36 Credit Hours			
TFL 302	Educational Linguistics	TFL 304	Methods of Teaching 1
TFL 306	Curriculum and Material Development	TFL 401	Methods of Teaching 2
TRA 301	Introduction to Translation / Any ME for Non-Arabs	TRA 302	Issues in Translating English Texts / Any ME for Non-Arabs
TRA 304	Issues in Translating Arabic Texts / Any ME for Non-Arabs	TRA 307	Media Translation / Any ME for Non-Arabs
LIT 406	Survey of British Literature	LIT 408	Survey of American Literature
ENG 399	Internship	ENG -399P	Capstone
Open Elective Courses: 9 Credit Hours			
OE 1	Open Elective 1	OE 2	Open Elective 2
OE 3	Open Elective 3		
English Major Electives: 12 Credit Hours			
ENG 402	Contrastive Analysis	ENG 403	Language and Society
ENG 405	Advanced Writing	ENG 407	Morphology of English
ENG 409	Syntax of English	ENG 411	Lexical Semantics
ENG 413	Pragmatics	ENG 417	History of English
LIT 410	World Literature in Translation	LIT 412	Major Author
LIT 414	Literary Genre	LIT 416	Topic in Literature
TFL 402	Error Analysis and Material Design	TFL 404	Psychology of Language Learning
TRA 401	Issues in Technical/Genre Translation	TRA 402	Principles of Translation Quality Assessment
TRA 403	Theory of Translation and Professional Issues	TRA 404	Introduction to Interpreting