  

Summer school

Faculty of Philology, University of Donja Gorica

**REFLAME YOUR ENGLISH FOR Political Science and Diplomacy**

**LSP Summer school**

**An intensive course in *English for Political Science and Diplomacy*  – B2/C1.1level**

**Course duration:** 10 working days (40 hours)

**Target group and aims:**

The course is primarily tailored for the students of political science and diplomacy, but it can be attended by all students interested in the field of political science, international relations and diplomacy. The course aims to include systematic development of all language skills (reading, listening, speaking and writing) at the B2/C1.1 level of the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages; introduction to professional and academic terminology, and narrowly-specific structures in written and oral communication; acquisition of grammatical knowledge, specialised techniques and skills necessary for understanding professional texts, as well as for preparing and giving oral presentations on topics in the field of political science and diplomacy and writing different types of diplomatic letters, notes, tweets and describing graphs and charts. The course is based on the textbook *ReFLAME Your English for Political Science and Diplomacy* which offers a number of authentic texts, video and audio materials, a range of communicative activities leading to in-depth discussion, as well as additional research in groups and pairs.

**Prerequisitesfor the course enrolment:**

The B1 level of general English is needed to follow the course material.

**Learning outcomes:**

After successfully completing the course, the student will be able to:

* demonstrate high levels of communicative competence in **vocational English for Political Science and Diplomacy** at the B2/C1.1 level of the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages;
* acquire and use professional and academic terminology, and narrowly-specific structures in written and oral communication;
* acquire and apply grammatical knowledge, specialised techniques and skills necessary for understanding professional texts;
* analyse the written or spoken text in detail and comprehensively, as well as recognise key ideas and implicit meaning;
* discuss topics on specialised theoretical and practical knowledge related to the latest scientific achievements in the field of political science and diplomacy;
* prepare and give an oral presentation on topics in the field of political science and diplomacy;
* write a CV, a political science research proposal, different types of diplomatic notes, letters and tweets.