

# **CURRICULUM GUIDELINES**

A:	Division:	INSTRUCTIONAL	Date:	<b>September 30, 1999</b>		
В:	Department/ Program Area:	LANGUAGE, LITERATURE AND PERFORMING ARTS MODERN LANGUAGES	New Course	Revision X		
			If Revision, Section(s)	Revised: F, J, M, N, P, Q		
			Date Last Revised:	May 15, 1999		
C:	MODL 2	231 D:	INTERMEDIATE GERMAN I	E: 3		
	Subject & Cou	urse No.	Descriptive Title	Semester Credits		
F:	F: Calendar Description:					
	This course is designed for students who have completed MODL 132 or equivalent.  It builds on previously acquired communicative skills, further develops reading and writing skills, and provides a deeper understanding of the cultural aspects of German speaking countries.  German is spoken in class almost exclusively.					
G:	Allocation of Contact Hours to Types of Instruction/Learning Settings  Primary Methods of Instructional Delivery and/or Learning Settings:  Seminar/Lab  Number of Contact Hours: (per week / semester for each descriptor)  4/1  Number of Weeks per Semester:		H: Course Prerequisites:			
			MODL 132 OR EQUIVALENT			
			L Course Corequisites:			
			NONE			
			J. Course for which this Course is a Prerequisite:			
			MODL 232			
			K. Maximum Class Size:			
			22			
	14					
L:	PLEASE INDICATE:					
	Non-Credit  College Credit Non-Transfer					
	X College Credit Transfer: Requested Granted X					
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## M: Course Objectives/Learning Outcomes

The student will be expected to demonstrate proficiency in German at the intermediate level in:

- 1. Aural comprehension of authentic language situations
- 2. Reading comprehension of written materials
- 3. Study of narrative, past, future, and subjunctive
- 4. Speech delivery: supporting an opinion, defending a point of view with respect to reading material
- 5. Written expression: expository writing
- 6. Understanding target cultures

### N: Course Content

Systematic, in depth study of:

- 1. Syntactic structures
- 2. Lexicon
- 3. Stylistics
- 4. Cultural aspects of German speaking countries.

#### O: Methods of Instruction

Class activities include: small group practice of syntactic and lexical structures studied at home, discussion of readings, debates, listening comprehension, audio-visual presentations, and conversation in small groups with a Native Language Speaker.

## P: Textbooks and Materials to be Purchased by Students

Terrell, et al. Kontakte: A Communicative Approach. 3<sup>rd</sup> edition. McGraw-Hill, 1996.

Accompanying workbook and audio cassettes.

Q:	Means of Assessment				
	The evaluation system includes continuous testing to assess mastery at each step and a comprehensive final exam to assess proficiency at the end of the course.				
	Tests include listening, speaking, reading, writing and cultural knowledge.  The minimum mark required to pass the course is a P in both the written and oral components. The minimum mark required to continue with this language is a C in both the written and oral components.				
	Oral Work (oral test at mid-semester, participation in discussions, oral presentation, conversation lab)	25% cussions,			
	Written Work (compositions and chapter tests)	35%			
	Attendance and Preparation	10%			
	Oral Final Exam (aural comprehension, oral expression)	15%			
	Written Final Exam (grammar, vocabulary, composition)	15%			
		100%			
R:	Prior Learning Assessment and Recognition: specify whether course is open for PLAR				
	Yes, but limited to challenge exams.				
Cours	se Designer(s)	Education Council/Curriculum Committee Representative			
Dean/Director		Registrar			

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