

EDUCATION 467-4 Curriculum and Instruction in
Teaching English as a Second Language

REGULAR SUMMER SEMESTER, 1983
Tuesday, 5:30-9:30

Instructor: Dr. K. Toohey
Location: Campus

This course is intended to provide practising or pre-service teachers with an overview of linguistic, cultural and pedagogical concerns in teaching English as a second language. Participants will discuss the disciplinary bases of contemporary approaches to second language teaching, will survey and evaluate curricular methods and materials, and finally, will develop materials which might be useful in their own actual or projected teaching situations.

Topics:

1. history of language teaching approaches
2. communicative competence and communicative teaching
3. how to teach pronunciation
4. review of English grammar
5. psychological, political and economic considerations in TESL
6. reading and listening
7. writing and speaking
8. bilingual education

Requirements:

1. Phonemic transcription quiz
2. Syntax quiz
3. Textbook evaluation
4. Unit plan for teaching ESL
5. Presentation of lesson from unit plan
6. Ongoing participation in workshop activities: mini-assignments, mini-presentations.

PRE-REQUISITE: A lower level Linguistics course.