COURSE DETAIL

INTRODUCTION TO TRANSLATION
Country Japan
Host Institution International Christian University
Program(s) International Christian University
UCEAP Course Level Lower Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Linguistics Communication
UCEAP Course Number 20
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title INTRODUCTION TO TRANSLATION
UCEAP Transcript Title INTRO TRANSLATION
UCEAP Quarter Units 4.00
UCEAP Semester Units 2.70

Course Description

Why do two translators sometimes produce two very different translations of the same text? Can a translation ever have the same effect as its source text? Why should we study translation theory? What even *is* translation? Through this course, students will explore these and other multi-faceted questions in the field of Translation Studies (TS).

This course aims to provide a solid foundation in major theories and issues of TS, from historical debates surrounding equivalence and fidelity, to newer perspectives that challenge these well-entrenched concepts. Students will learn to describe and critically evaluate translations and translation strategies.

Finally, through guided practice activities and a final group translation project, students will be able to experience firsthand the puzzle-like challenges and satisfactions of producing their own translations.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

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MCC108E

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Host Institution Department
Media, Communication and Culture

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